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Endpoint Strategy in Pragmatic Trials: From Big Questions to Meaningful Outcomes

A VIRTUAL WORKSHOP | Join us for a free workshop on September 8 and 9, as we share knowledge from the NIH Collaboratory Trials and explore the factors involved in selecting endpoints and interpreting treatment effects in embedded pragmatic clinical trials to best inform decision-making.

Day 1: September 8, 2026; 11:00 am–3:00 pm ET

Welcome & Introductions — 11:00 am ET

Wendy Weber, ND, PhD, MPH
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Defining the Endpoint: Where Evidence Begins — 11:05 am ET

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Duke University

Aiming for Impact: What Is the Right Concept to Target? — 11:35 am ET

MODERATOR

Steven George, PT, PhD
Duke University

Michael Ho, MD, PhD
Kaiser Permanente Colorado & University of Colorado

Frederick Masoudi, MD, MSPH
Ascension

Miguel Vazquez, MD
UT Southwestern Medical Center

Tracy Wang, MD, MHS, MSc
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The Estimand Framework: Aligning Objectives, Endpoints & Analyses — 1:05 pm ET

MODERATOR

Liz Turner, PhD
Duke University

Elizabeth Colantuoni, PhD, ScM
Johns Hopkins University

Fan Li, PhD
Yale School of Public Health

Richard Skolasky, Jr, MA, ScD
Johns Hopkins University

Hulin Wu, PhD
UTHealth Houston

Working With Multiple Outcomes: Multicomponent Endpoints & Beyond — 1:50 pm ET

MODERATOR

Emily O'Brien, PhD
Duke University

Julie Fritz, PhD, PT
University of Utah

Patrick Heagerty, PhD
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Eric Roseen, DC, PhD
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Kaiser Permanente Washington Health Research Institute

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Day 2: September 9, 2026; 11:00 am–3:00 pm ET

Welcome & Introductions — 11:00 am ET

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Moving From Measurement to Meaning — 11:05 am ET

Kevin Weinfurt, PhD
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Unpacking Uncertainty, Meaningfulness & Magnitude — 11:25 am ET

MODERATOR

Greg Simon, MD, MPH
Kaiser Permanente Washington Health Research Institute

Juan Marcos Gonzalez, PhD
Duke University

Devon Check, PhD
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Laura Lee Johnson, PhD
US Food & Drug Administration

Lynn DeBar, PhD, MPH
Kaiser Permanente Center for Health Research

Natalia Morone, MD, MS
Boston University & Boston Medical Center

Toward Best Practices for Interpretation of Endpoints — 1:10 pm ET

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Summary & Concluding Remarks — 2:40 pm ET

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