

# Welcome

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# Workshop learning objectives



- Clarify the definition of ePCTs and explain their utility
- Introduce attendees to the unique characteristics and challenges of designing, conducting, and implementing ePCTs in diverse healthcare systems
- Increase the capacity of health services researchers to address important clinical questions with ePCTs

# Workshop sessions

- What Are Embedded Pragmatic Clinical Trials?  
(Wendy Weber)
- Engaging Stakeholders & Aligning With Health System Partners (Emily O'Brien)
- Objectives and Trial Design: An Overview of Hybrid Designs (Emily O'Brien)

# Workshop sessions (continued)

- Measuring Outcomes (Emily O'Brien)
- ePCT Design (David Murray)
- ePCT Analysis (David Murray)
- Pilot & Feasibility Testing (Wendy Weber)

# Workshop sessions (continued)

- Ethical & Regulatory Oversight (Stephanie Morain)
- ePCTs in Context: Panel Discussion With Demonstration Project PIs
- Assembling an ePCT Team & Writing a Compelling Grant Application (Beda Jean-Francois)
- Next Steps (Wendy Weber)





# Resource: The Living Textbook


Visit the *Living Textbook of Pragmatic Clinical Trials* at

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### Rethinking Clinical Trials: A Living Textbook of Pragmatic Clinical Trials

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Welcome to the Living Textbook of pragmatic clinical trials, a collection of knowledge from the NIH Pragmatic Trials Collaboratory. Pragmatic clinical trials present an opportunity to efficiently generate high-quality evidence to inform medical decision-making. However, these trials pose different challenges than traditional clinical trials. The Living Textbook reflects a collection of special considerations and best practices in the design, conduct, and reporting of pragmatic clinical trials.

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