

**Position in Patient Centered Outcomes Research in Cancer Control and Survivorship:  
Assistant or Associate Professor (Team Science Track)**

The Department of Medical Social Sciences (MSS) and the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center's (Lurie Cancer Center) Cancer Control and Survivorship (CCS) Program at Northwestern University invite applications for a full-time position at the Assistant or Associate Professor Level. The Department, the Lurie Cancer Center and the CCS Program provide a unique scientific home for applied researchers who integrate biomedical and social science approaches to improvement of health and health care delivery in cancer survivors across the lifespan. MSS and the Lurie Cancer Center jointly provide a rich platform for research including a diverse and broad scientific portfolio of cancer-related studies, biostatistical and health informatics cores, expertise in multi-level assessment methods and technology implementation and collaborative relationships across Northwestern's biomedical and life sciences campuses. Because an interdisciplinary, collaborative orientation is a defining element of the Department and the Cancer Center, both provide an ideal home for scholars whose work is collaborative, integrative and cuts across traditional content areas. The CCS program includes research themes that focus on behavioral and population science research, outcomes measurement, disparities research, quality of care, biobehavioral mechanisms, symptom management and behavioral interventions across the lifespan with exceptional opportunities for community-based and translational research.

We are particularly interested in candidates who wish to be part of a highly collaborative, translational and transformative research program and have research interests and expertise in patient centered outcomes research, with emphasis on assessment, clinical application of measurement science and behavioral and psychosocial interventions in cancer survivorship. Such approaches may include, but are not limited to, clinic- and e-Health-based measurement and intervention applications for distress and symptom burden, integration of such approaches in EHR platforms to facilitate continuity of care and improve patient centered outcomes, development and implementation of pragmatic and adaptive tailored interventions that are informed by state of the art and technology-based measurement approaches to deliver necessary precision care to optimize patient centered outcomes, and integration of assessment of patient centered outcomes, and intervention or patient centered outcome data analysis opportunities in the context of state of the art precision medicine activity within the Lurie Cancer Center's novel therapeutics and genomic profiling programs.

For this team scientist position, we are seeking candidates with a strong collaborative orientation and a track record of significant scientific contributions as part of a translational team. Candidates should have a strong publication record and a history of extramural funding as PI and/or co-investigator roles. MSS, the CCS program and the Lurie Cancer Center have a highly collaborative culture in which multiple investigators have opportunities to work in tandem on large-scale outcomes and team science research. Participation in MSS Departmental training activities and University service are also expected and valued. Salary and rank will be commensurate with experience and credentials. This is a full-time, continuing position. Start date is flexible.

Applications will be considered until position is filled. Additional information about the Department of Medical Social Sciences can be viewed at [www.mss.northwestern.edu](http://www.mss.northwestern.edu). Information about the Cancer Center and the Cancer Survivorship Institute can be viewed at [www.cancer.northwestern.edu](http://www.cancer.northwestern.edu) and [www.cancer.northwestern.edu/survivorship](http://www.cancer.northwestern.edu/survivorship).

Please send a statement of interest, curriculum vitae, representative reprints and names of three references to Search Chair, Frank Penedo, PhD, c/o Kathleen Lambert at [mss@northwestern.edu](mailto:mss@northwestern.edu). Please reference search #P-140N-16 in the subject line of the email.

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