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Translating Science into Solutions for Better Health

CHLA/TSRI Mentor Training Program

Fall Into Better Mentorship!

The fall Mentor Training Program provides a three-part virtual training via Microsoft Teams covering topics related to building and strengthening effective research mentoring relationships.

This interactive and discussion-based program includes breakout rooms and case studies in every session to foster deeper engagement and peer learning. To ensure a rich and collaborative experience, space is limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis.

*Attendance required for all 3 sessions to get credit.

Eligibility: Open to anyone in a mentor role, formal or informal. Contact tecpad@chla.usc.edu with questions about the course.

This course repeats in Spring 2027.



Session 1: Introduction & Aligning Expectations

Facilitators: Drs. Tamara Simon and Anoopindar Bhalla

Tuesday, October 13, 2026 | 9:00–11:00 AM

Session 2: Fostering Independence & Cultivating Ethical Behavior

Facilitator: Dr. Michael Neely

Tuesday, October 20, 2026 | 9:00–11:00 AM

Session 3: Cultural Humility & Belonging; Promoting Professional Development

Facilitators: Drs. Hanna Song and Lorraine Kelley-Quon

Tuesday, October 27, 2026 | 9:00–11:00 AM

DATE & TIME:

TUESDAYS, 9AM - 11AM

- OCTOBER 13, 2026
- OCTOBER 20, 2026
- OCTOBER 27, 2026

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