

Innovation at the Frontlines of Health

At The Lundquist Institute, the distance between discovery and the people who need it can be measured in footsteps.

The Lundquist Institute is an independent nonprofit biomedical research institute where scientists and clinicians turn discoveries informed by patient and community needs into treatments, technologies, and training that benefit people in Los Angeles and around the world. We work at the interconnected frontlines of health—in the lab, in the clinic, in the marketplace, and in communities and classrooms—moving promising ideas toward meaningful impact.

Why The Lundquist Institute?

SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY

In the lab

Basic and translational research tackles the health challenges our patients and communities face.

CLINICAL TRANSLATION

In clinical research

On the campus of Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, new approaches improve how we prevent, diagnose, treat, and survive disease.

TECHNOLOGY & COMMERCIALIZATION

In the marketplace

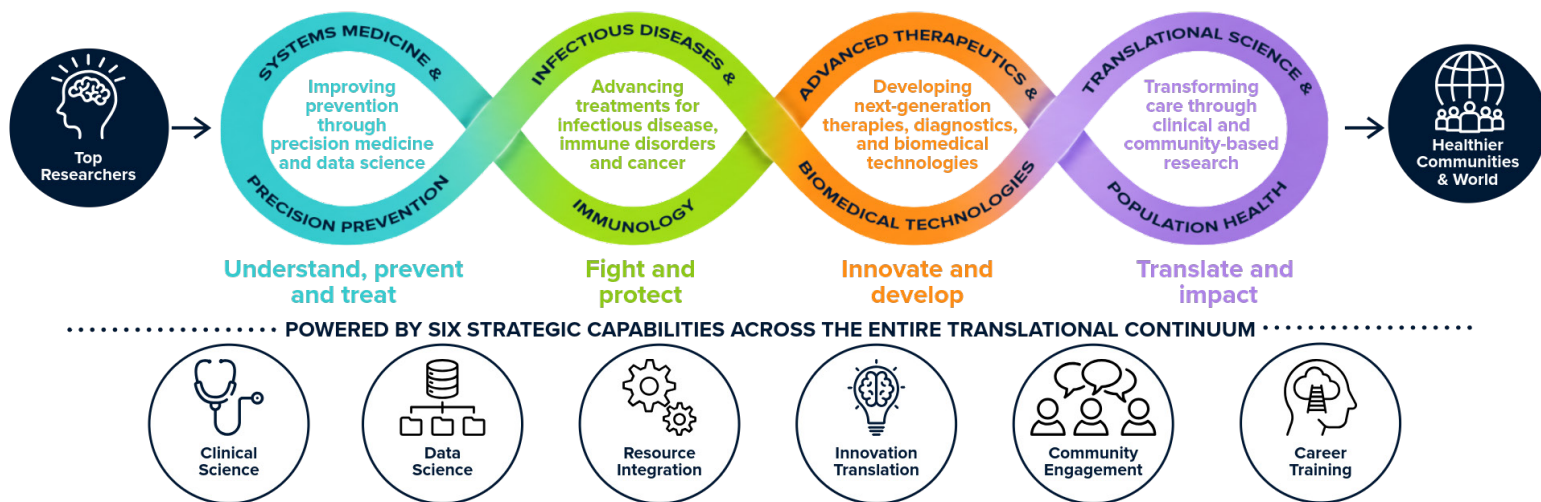
Promising technologies reach people and the market through licensing, startups, and our co-located incubator.

COMMUNITY IMPACT

In communities and classrooms

Our teams bring advances to people who need them and train the next generation of scientists.

Four Innovation Hubs. One continuum from discovery to impact.



225

Principal investigators

600+

Active studies

150+

Clinical trials / year

500+

Publications / year

300+

Patents issued

Research. Innovation. Impact.

Discoveries already reaching patients and a pipeline built to deliver what comes next.

RESEARCH

Approved therapies

Aldurazyme®

Enzyme therapy for MPS I, a rare inherited disease

Endari®

Treatment for sickle cell disease

Kybella®

Treatment for submental fullness

Tepezza®

First approved treatment for thyroid eye disease

Cleared technologies

QT Medical PCA 500

Personal 12-lead ECG for use at home

INNOVATION

Our pipeline



Discovery

Questions that start at the bedside and in the lab



Preclinical

Building the evidence a new idea needs



Clinical trials

150+ industry- and government-sponsored trials each year



Commercialization

In-house expertise for licensing, intellectual property, and startup creation



Patient benefit

Treatments and technologies that reach people

IMPACT

Education

Training future scientists at every stage: high school students, medical and graduate students, and postdoctoral fellows.

Entrepreneurship

Dozens of companies launched from our research

BioLabs incubator, co-located on our campus

Tech Park breaking ground in 2027, with space for growing companies to scale

Community health

70,000+ participants served each month by our Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) program

Science and Your Health, our free community education lecture series

Why partners work with us

- Agile, independent structure with minimal bureaucracy
- Clinical research on a campus shared with Harbor-UCLA Medical Center
- Leading-edge equipment, data science, and artificial intelligence
- Built-in pathways for innovation and technology commercialization
- Education and workforce development
- Community engagement across South Los Angeles and the South Bay

Early support can make an extraordinary difference.

Philanthropy gives our scientists the freedom to pursue bold new ideas, and industry partnerships build the evidence and momentum to carry them to patients.



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