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Are you yet on lists for Cor and Cor exec? Need to be. Prob Cicep also. Thanks.

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## CoR NEWS

(9-20-15)

To: APLU Council on Research

From: APLU Staff

Sending along this announcement about the latest activity with the Precision Medicine Initiative in case you haven't seen it yet:

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**From:** NIH Outreach Office [<mailto:outreachoffice@messages.nih.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 17, 2015 3:09 PM  
**Subject:** PMI Cohort Report Released

Dear Colleague,

In January, President Obama announced the Precision Medicine Initiative (PMI) – an exciting new effort to accelerate our understanding of individual differences in people's genes, environment, and lifestyle and their effect on disease onset, progression, prevention, and treatment. A major component of the PMI is the PMI Cohort Program (PMI-CP) – a new research cohort of a million or more volunteer participants.

Today, the Advisory Committee to the NIH Director released its recommendations for how that cohort should be shaped and implemented. The [report](#) is now available for your review. We encourage you to share this link with others who may be interested.

Dr. Francis Collins, NIH Director, and Dr. Kathy Hudson, NIH Deputy Director for Science, Outreach, and Policy, will host a discussion about the report and its recommendations on September 22, 2015 from 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM Eastern Time on Twitter using the hashtag #PMINetwork. @WhitehouseOSTP will also participate in the chat.

Dr. Collins and Dr. Hudson will also host a briefing for stakeholders on the report and the design of the PMI-CP. We invite you to join us for this briefing at the NIH campus (9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20892) in Building 1, Wilson Hall on Friday, September 25, 2015 at 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Eastern Time.

To register for the briefing, please RSVP to the Outreach Office at [outreachoffice@messages.nih.gov](mailto:outreachoffice@messages.nih.gov). If you are unable to join us in person, the briefing will also be webcast at [videocast.nih.gov](http://videocast.nih.gov).

We look forward to your participation in the conversation on Twitter and at the briefing next week.

Best,  
Janet Lynch Lambert  
NIH Outreach Office