The American Lung Association Airways Clinical Research Centers Network is the nation’s largest not-for-profit network of clinical research centers dedicated to asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) treatment research. Attracting some of the best researchers nationwide, ACRC Principal Investigators are part of the larger Lung Association Research Team whose work makes a direct impact on patient care for individuals with lung disease.

15 Airways Clinical Research Centers with 35+ trial sites*, 1 data coordinating center & 100+ asthma and COPD specialists

- Baylor College of Medicine
- Columbia University/Brigham and Women’s/Cornell University/New York Medical College/New York University/Presbyterian Brooklyn Methodist Hospital
- Duke University/Johns Hopkins University/University of North Carolina Hospital
- National Jewish Health/Denver Health Medical Center/University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus/Mt. Sinai National Jewish Respiratory Health
- Nemours Children’s Jacksonville/Nemours Children’s Orlando/University of Florida, Jacksonville
- Northwestern University/University of Illinois at Chicago/University of Chicago/Rush University
- St. Vincent’s Health System
- University of Alabama at Birmingham
- University of Arizona - Tucson
- University of California, San Francisco/University of California, Los Angeles
- University of Kansas/Washington University in St. Louis/Wake Forest School of Medicine/University of Wisconsin, Madison
- University of Michigan/University of Iowa
- University of Vermont/University of Rochester
- University of Washington
- Temple University/Ohio State Wexner Medical Center/University of Pittsburgh Emphysema COPD Research Center/Medical University of South Carolina

* Sites in blue are ACRC centers; others listed are additional recruiting sites.

Since its inception in 1999:

- 16 clinical trials and 7 observational studies have been conducted
- 10,000+ patients have participated in an ACRC clinical trial
- over 90 manuscripts published in high impact peer-reviewed journals including the Journal of the American Medical Association, New England Journal of Medicine, Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunology
- Funding support through multiple NIH and corporate grants.

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