

COVID-19
Prevention Network

COVID-19 Community Leadership Summit

May 21, 2021

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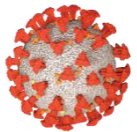
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- Pastor

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- Faith Ambassador
- Faith Consultants
- Faith Communities



Our Team – Faith Consultants



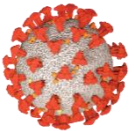
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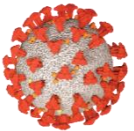
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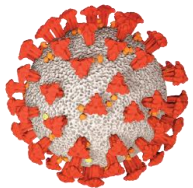
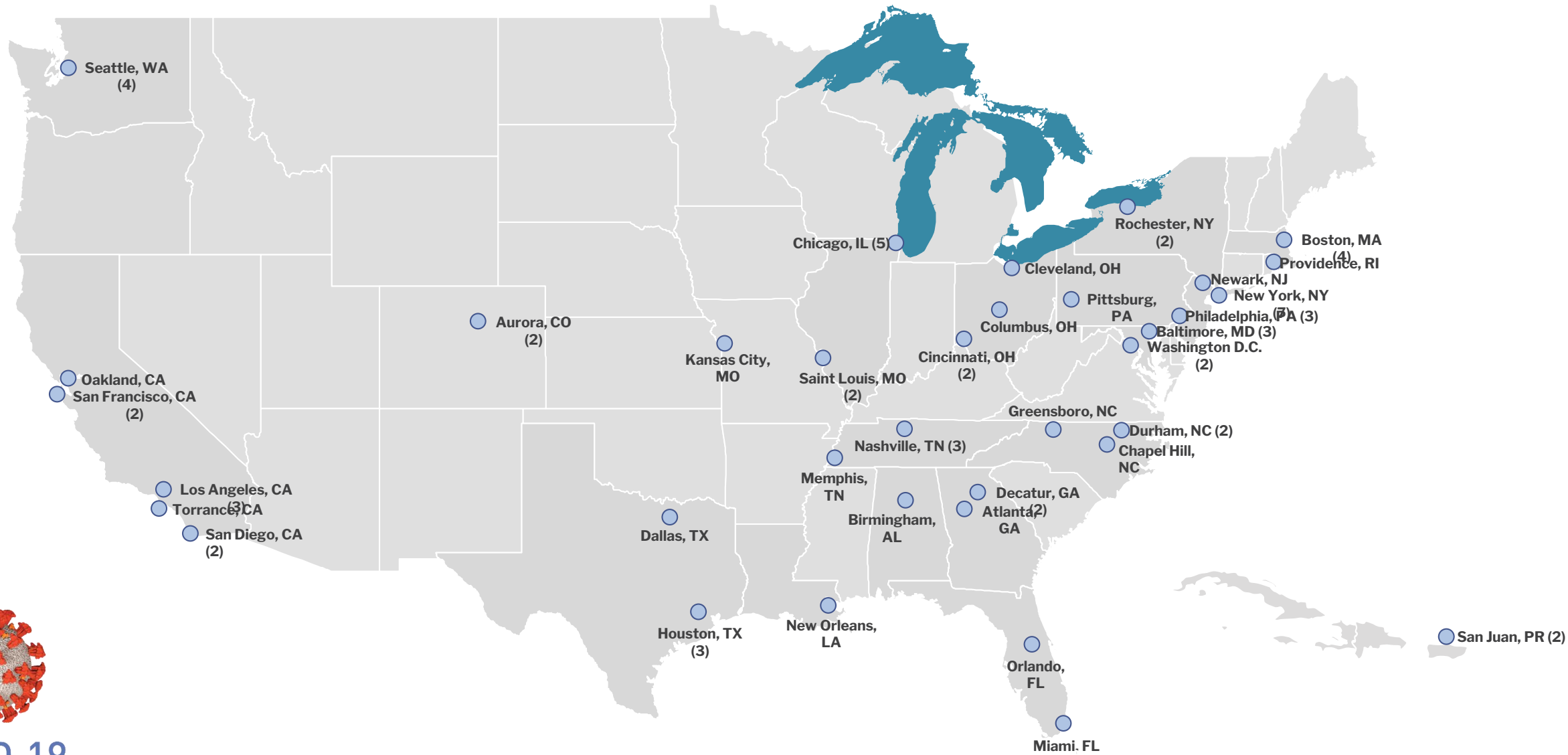


COVID-19 Prevention Network (CoVPN)

Established by the National Institute of Allergy
and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)



NIAID COVID-19 Prevention Network (n=72)



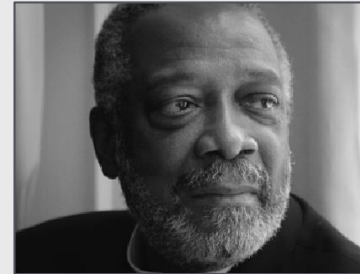
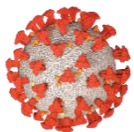
Faith Community Engagement

Faith Ambassadors

- Geographically distributed across the US
- Speaking to the intersection between faith and science
- Establishing and enhancing networks of faith leaders to conduct COVID & CoVPN educational activities

Clergy Consultants

- Geographically distributed across the US
- Host 4 quarterly meeting in their regions annually to educate their communities about COVID-19 and CoVPN trials



Rev. Edwin Sanders, Senior Servant and Founder of Metropolitan Interdenominational Church in Nashville, Tennessee (initiative leader)



Khadijah Abdullah, Executive Director of Reaching All HIV+ Muslims in America (RAHMA), Washington, District of Columbia



Dr. Ulysses W. Burley III, Founder of UBtheCure, Chicago, Illinois



Bishop Oliver Clyde Allen III, Senior Pastor and Founder of The Vision Cathedral of Atlanta, Georgia



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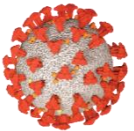
Rev. Bertram G. Johnson, Union Theological Seminary, New York, New York

Faith & Health

“Thus says the LORD, the God of your ancestor David: I have heard your prayer, I have seen your tears; indeed, I will heal you.” **2 Kings 20:5**

John 5:6-9a (NIV)

⁵ One who was there had been an invalid for thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him lying there and learned that he had been in this condition for a long time, he asked him, "**Do you want to get well?**" "Sir," the invalid replied, "I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me." Then Jesus said to him, "**Get up! Pick up your mat and walk.**" At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked.

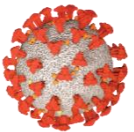


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(Do something positive)

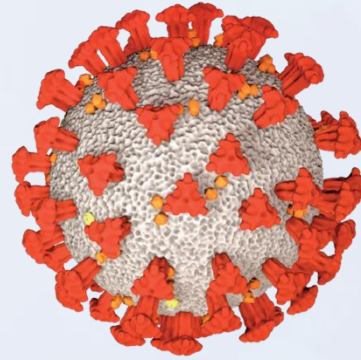
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John 5-8

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