

Translational Research

Leadership of the Consortium for Health Policy, Law and Bioethics		
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Abstract

The Consortium for Health Policy, Law, and Bioethics completed another successful year of educational programs, public outreach, and collaborative research. Educational highlights include (1) offering for the second time, an innovative graduate course co-taught by the three Consortium-directors (Wright, Kinney, Meslin) that is open to students in law, public health, philosophy; (2) The addition of a new “concentration in international research ethics” (offered in the Philosophy Department that is now eligible for joint-degree status with the JD; and (3) approval of a new JD/MSW. Research highlights include (1) twenty publications (2) several grants awarded to Consortium co-directors; \$4,958,909.75 and (3) the establishment of year-long a multidisciplinary study group focusing on ethical, legal, social, and policy issues involving comparative effectiveness research. Outreach highlights include nine presentations to community groups, professional associations, and academic institutions.