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# Questions from the Public

- Submit to Dr. Samia Noursi, [samia.noursi@nih.gov](mailto:samia.noursi@nih.gov)
- You will receive a direct response

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# Welcome



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**Fred Hutchinson Cancer  
Research Center**



**Dr. Irene Aninye**

**Society for Women's  
Health Research**



**Dr. Amanda Bruegl**

**Oregon Health & Science  
University**



# Thank You



**Dr. Roger  
Fillingim**  
University of Florida



**Dr. Stacie Geller**  
University of Illinois at  
Chicago



**Dr. Ana Langer**  
Harvard University



**Dr. Margaret  
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University of Maryland



**Dr. Elena Rios**  
National Hispanic  
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# Attendance and Introductions

# **55<sup>th</sup> Meeting Minutes Approval**



# Monitor Women's Enrollment in NIH-Funded Clinical Research

- In October 2015, GAO released a report titled “Better Oversight Needed to Help Ensure Continued Progress Including Women in Health Research (GAO 16–13):
  - Purposes of the report
  - Five recommendations from the GAO
- NIH officially closed all five recommendations in December 2021 -  
Addressed the final recommendation in the “National Institutes of Health--Report on the Advisory Committee on Research on Women's Health: Fiscal Years 2019-2020” (Biennial Report)