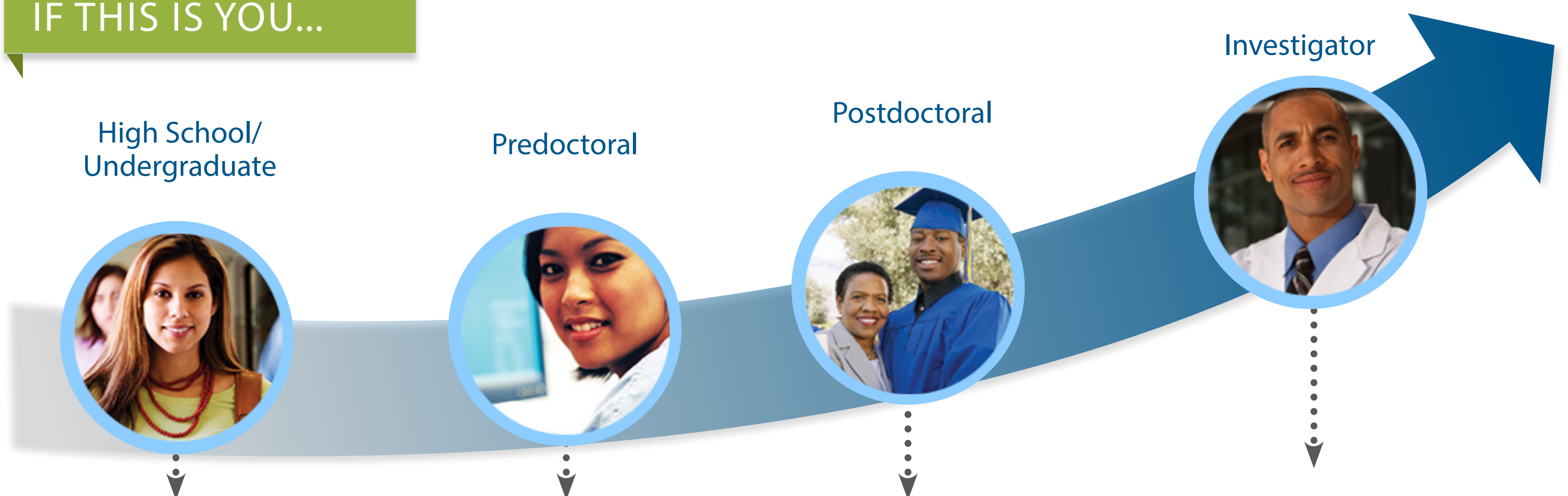


YOU CAN BECOME A CANCER RESEARCHER

Whether you're a high school or predoctoral student dreaming of finding a cure for cancer, or early-stage investigator seeking career guidance and research grants, you can achieve your goals with the National Cancer Institute's (NCI's) **Continuing Umbrella of Research Experiences (CURE)**. CURE provides a unique series of biomedical research training and career development funding opportunities to scholars from diverse racial/ethnic or disadvantaged backgrounds, or those with disabilities.

IF THIS IS YOU...



...HERE'S WHAT CURE OFFERS

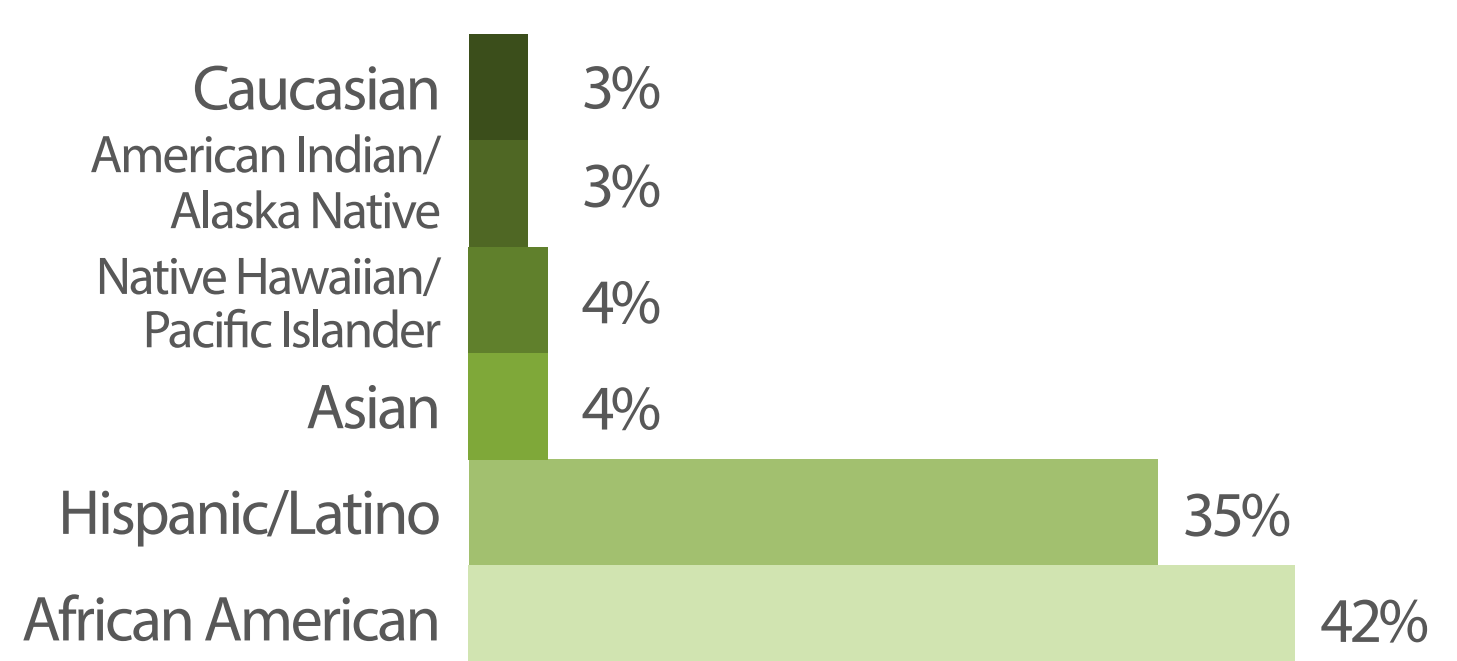
- High School/Undergraduate:**
 - Diversity Research Supplements
 - Supplements to the CURE (P30S)
- Predocctoral:**
 - Diversity Research Supplements
 - National Research Service Awards (NRSA) (F31)
 - Supplements to the CURE (R25TS, T32S)
- Postdoctoral:**
 - Diversity Research Supplements
 - Mentored Career Development Awards (K01, K08, K23)
 - Non-Mentored Career Development Award (K22)
 - Supplements to the CURE (R25Ts, T32S, K12S)
- Investigator:**
 - Diversity Research Supplements
 - Mentored Career Development Awards (K01, K08, K23)
 - Non-Mentored Career Development Award (K22)
 - Supplements to the CURE (K12S)
 - Exploratory Grant (Diversity) (R21)

BENEFITS

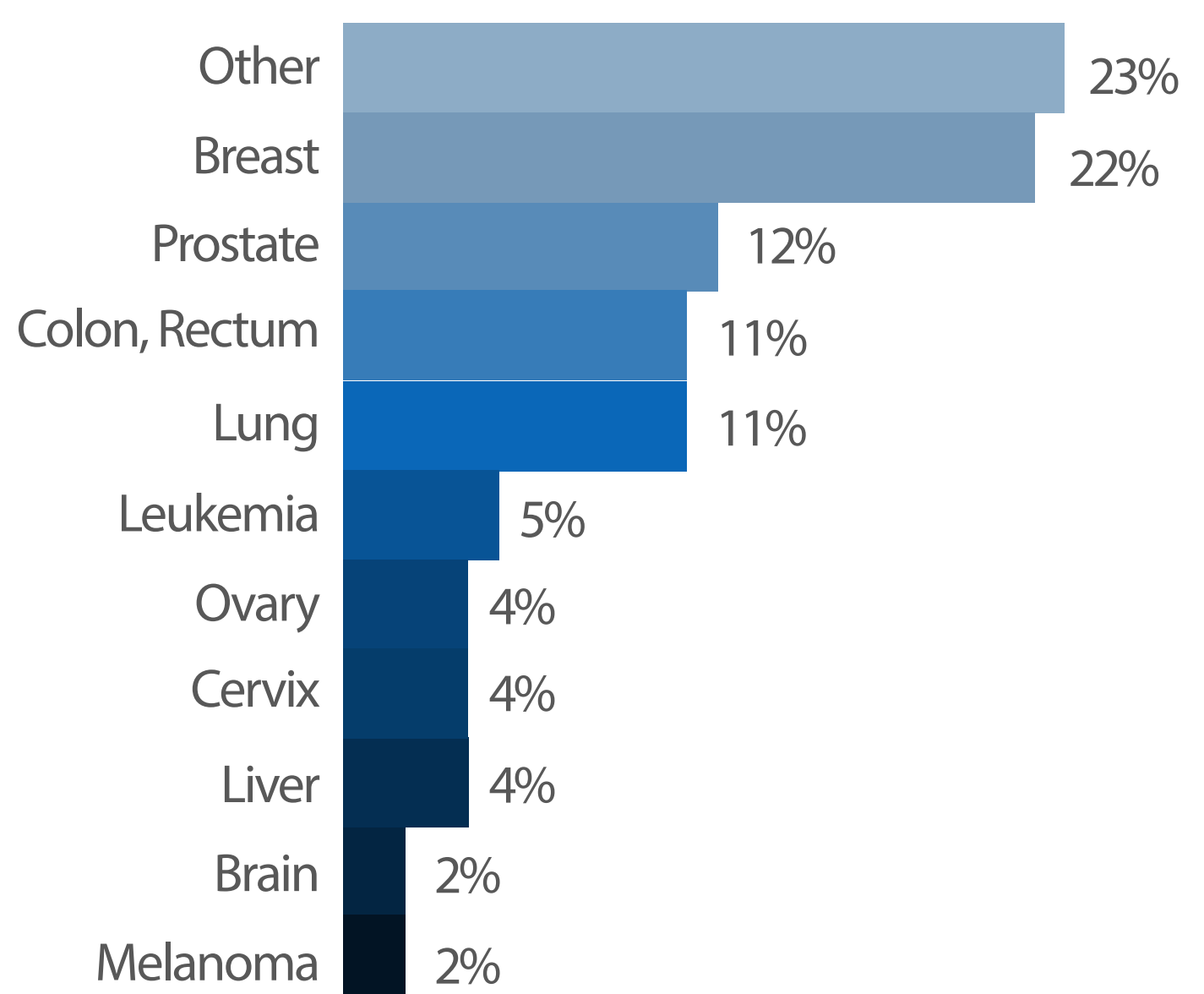
- Take advantage of continuous funded training, career navigation, and mentoring
- Work with supportive academic mentors and NCI program directors
- Receive protected time for research
- Access state-of-the-art research and technology
- Participate in mock scientific reviews
- Build your research, grant writing, publication, and interviewing skills
- Network with NIH/NCI staff and your peers

JUST THE FACTS

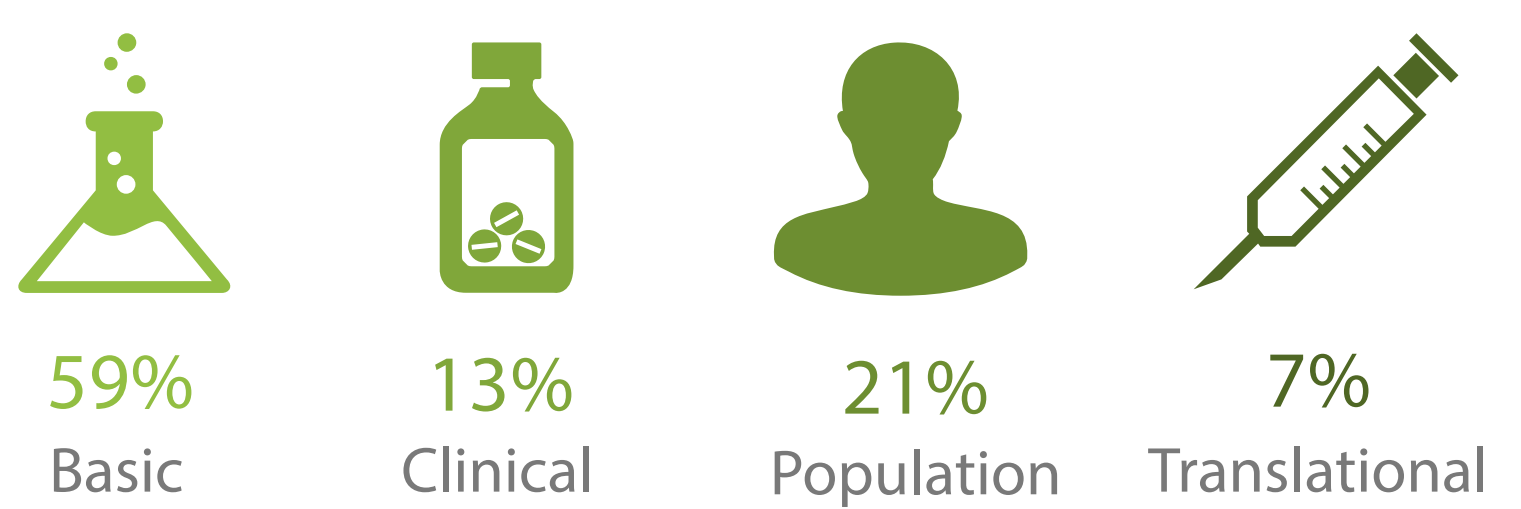
CURE scholars are a diverse mix of people.



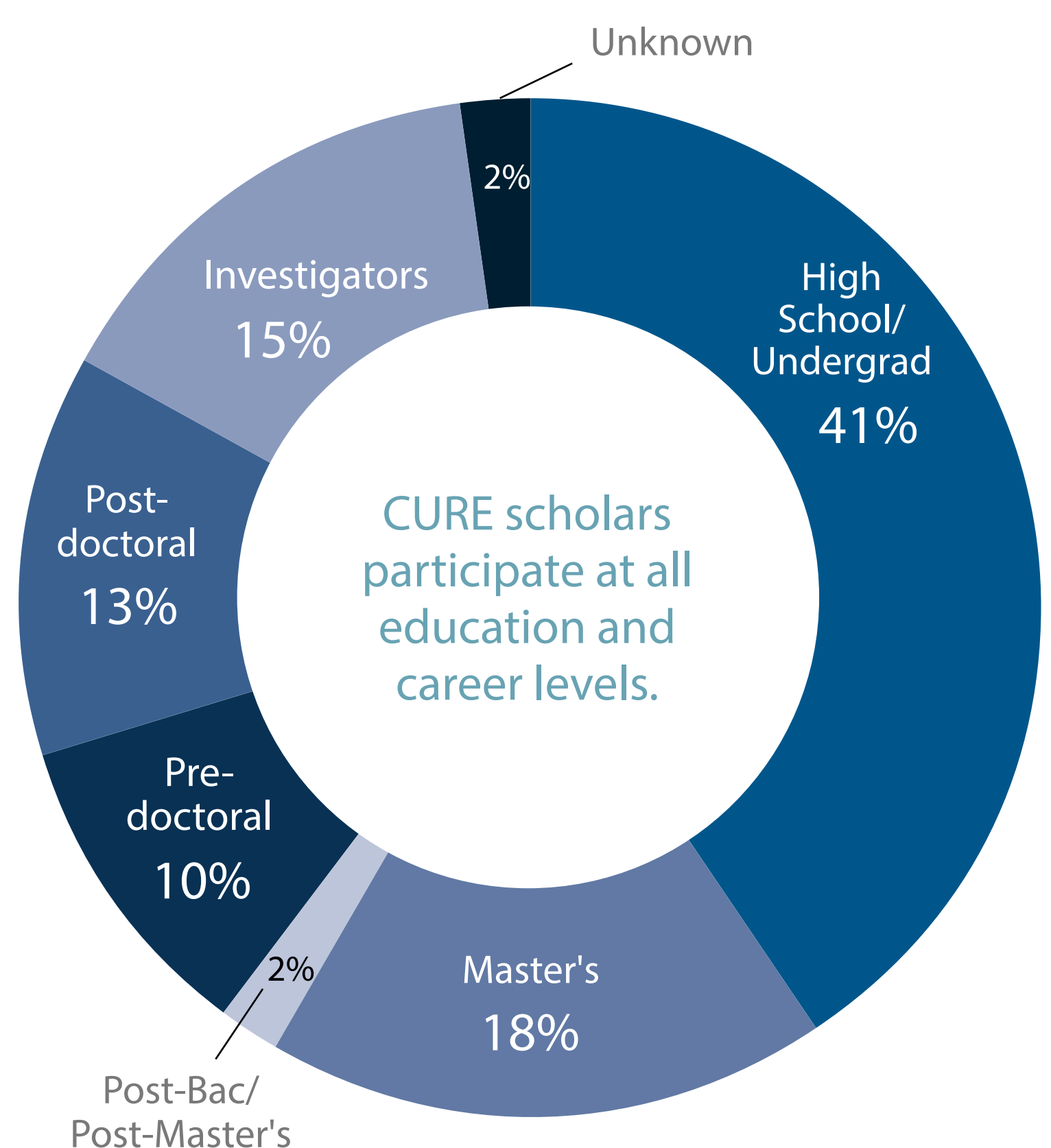
CURE scholars research many different cancers.



CURE scholars focus on different types of research.

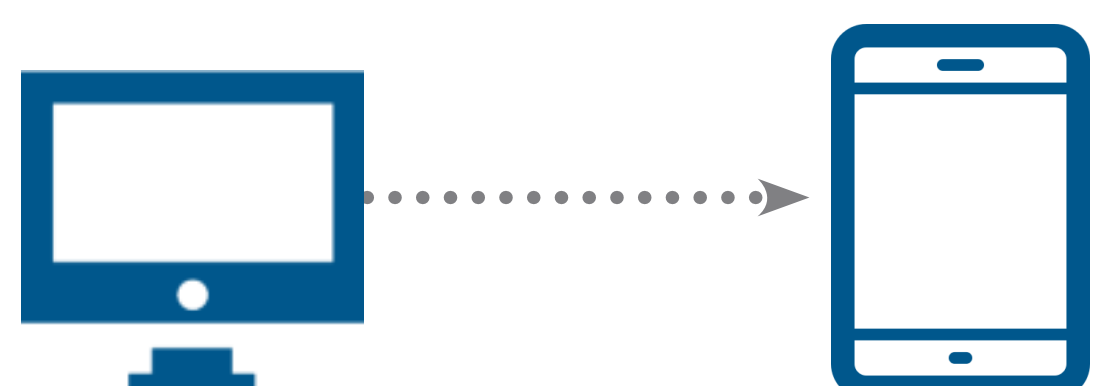


3,041
Total number of CURE scholars from high school through early-stage investigators (FY 2001—2012)



27%
Percentage of CURE scholars who research Cancer Health Disparities

HOW TO APPLY



Go to **Cancer.Gov/cure-program** and contact a CURE Program Director to learn more

CURE SUCCESSES

1,700+
publications in peer-reviewed scientific journals written by CURE scholars

98%
CURE F31 predoctoral scholars who completed or are in the process of completing doctoral degrees

25%
of CURE scholars with mock review experience, prior research grants, and publications are likely to become independent researchers

TESTIMONIALS



"Everyone needs to know, particularly in the black community, that if you want to go to school and you want to be successful, sports and entertainment aren't the only ways. We have a wealth of opportunities, like CURE, that you can use to get you there."

Eladio Abreu, Ph.D.
Emory University School of Medicine
Diversity Supplement Awardee



"The CURE experience really gave me the skills necessary to write strong grants early on."

Dr. Elva Arredondo
Associate Professor
San Diego State University
School of Public Health
F31, R21, R01 Awardee



"Having the K22 award really sped up the time that I could develop and start the lab [and] get additional funding."

Dr. Annette Khaled
Associate Professor
University of Central Florida
K22 Awardee

