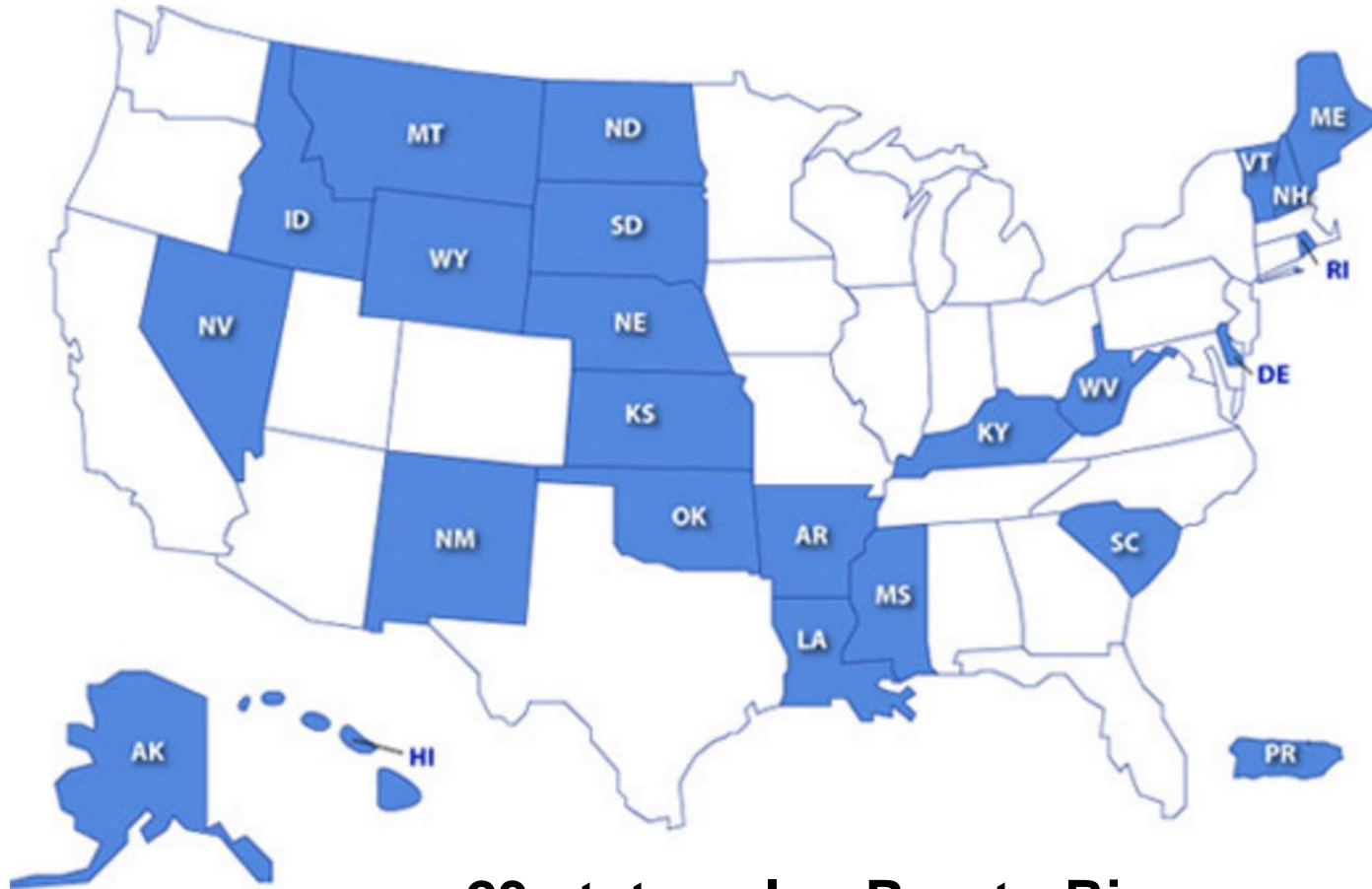


# **Institutional Development Awards (IDeA) program**

## **National Institute of General Medical Sciences**



**23 states plus Puerto Rico**

# The Institutional Development Award (IDeA) program

**Funds three types of infrastructure grants**

- **IDeA networks of Biomedical Research Excellence (INBRE) – primarily undergraduate institutions**
- **Centers of Biomedical Research Excellence (COBRE)**
- **Clinical and Translational Research (CTR) centers**

# The CTR grant mechanism

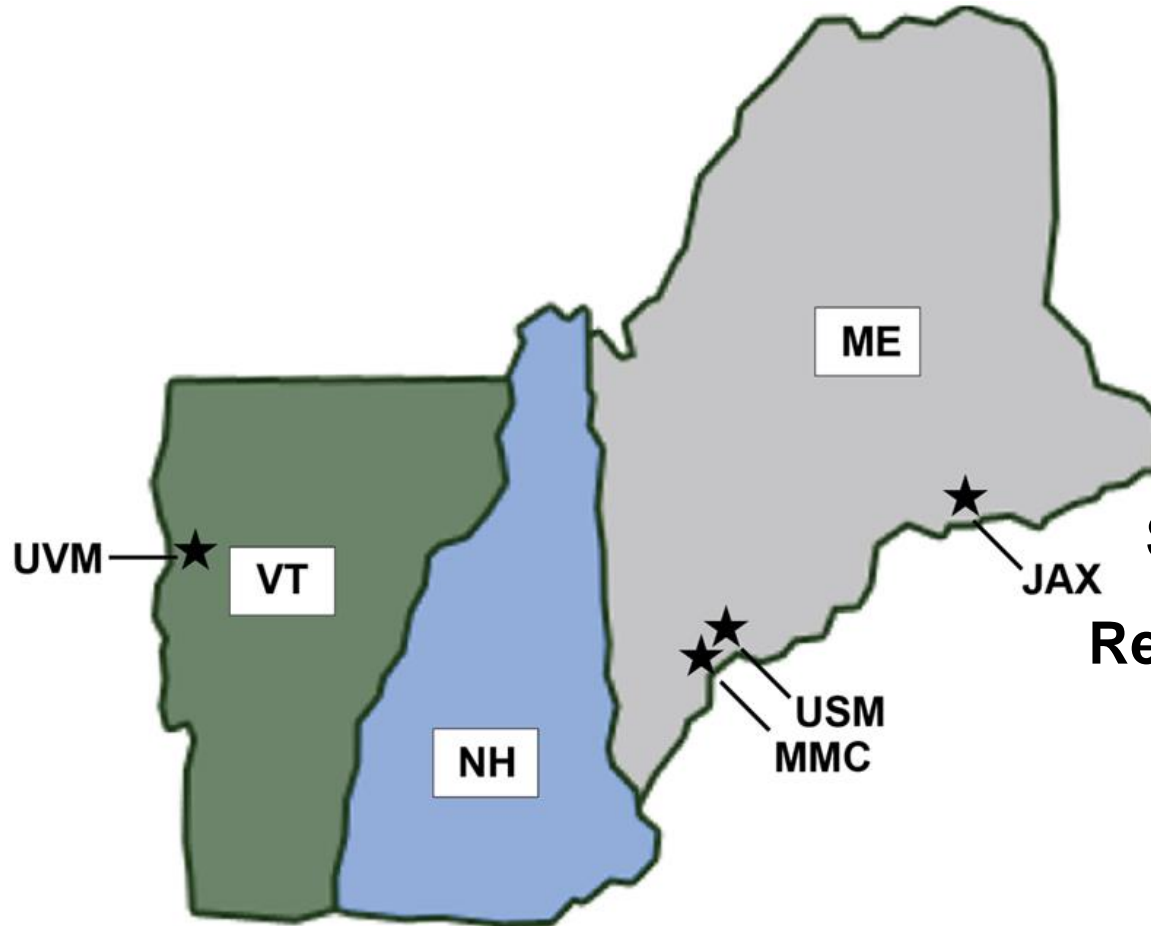
## General Objectives and Goals

- **General objectives**
- **Develop infrastructure and human resources to conduct clinical and translational research**
- **Enhance the ability of IDeA institutions and investigators to develop competitive clinical and translational research programs**
- **Foster collaboration and coordination of clinical and translational activities within and across IDeA institutions**

# The CTR grant mechanism

- **Goals**
- **Study diseases prevalent among populations in IDeA states**
- **Develop approaches to prevent, diagnose, and treat diseases to improve health and health outcomes**
- **Integrate basic, translational, and clinical research through collaborations across different organizations**
- **Provide professional development activities in clinical and translational research**

# Northern New England Clinical and Translational Research Network



**\$4M total costs/year**

**5 years = \$20M**

**Submitted Sept 2014**

**Resubmission Sept 2016**



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# Northern New England Clinical and Translational Research Network

- CTR is organized as a group of core services. Some cores are required, some are optional; based on the Clinical and Translational Science Awards (CTSA) model
- Multiple-PI leadership plan
  - Cliff Rosen (MMC)
  - Gary Stein (UVM)
  - Tom Gridley, MMC Program Coordinator

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- **Required Cores**
- **Administrative Core**
- **Pilot Projects Program**
- **Professional Development**
- **Clinical Research Design, Epidemiology, and Biostatistics**
- **Tracking and Evaluation**
- **Optional Cores in our application**
- **Translational and Biomedical Research Technologies**
- **Rural Health Delivery and Community Research Resources**

# **Northern New England Clinical and Translational Research Network**

- **Revised proposal will be submitted September 30, 2016**
- **Emphasis on rurality, aging populations, cardiovascular disease and cancer**
- **Adding Rural Health/Clinical Research Resources core**
- **Prominent roles in revised application for Doug Sawyer (Chief of Cardiovascular Services), Scot Remick (Chief of Oncology Services) to strengthen clinical aspects of the revised proposal**