Coordinating Centers serve as the central node of a vast research network, turning research data to research results.

Examples of Studies Supported:
- HIV Vaccine Testing (Europe, South America, Africa, North America)
- WHI: Aging and Health in Women (North America)
- BMI and Mortality in Asian Populations (Asia, India, North America)
- Early Detection of Malignancies due to Asbestos Exposure (Australia)
- Evaluating Risk for Sporadic Colorectal Cancer (ASTERISK) (Europe)

Coordinating Centers manage research around the world. They develop standards and train investigators, ensuring that data collection is consistent throughout a network. The Centers ensure open access to research data and develop robust biostatistical tools for the analysis of complex data sets.