



"Creation of a National Biobank for the Precision Medicine Initiative"



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Dr. Thibodeau directs the Mayo Clinic Biorepositories Program in the Center for Individualized Medicine, which will serve as the National Precision Medicine Initiative (PMI) Cohort Program Biobank for the NIH. This longitudinal program aims to enroll 1 million or more U.S. participants to better understand individual differences that contribute to health and disease to advance precision medicine.

Dr. Thibodeau's research focus is understanding the genetics of certain cancers. Over the last several years, his laboratory has explored the use of next-generation DNA sequencing technologies for the discovery of genetic susceptibility genes for both hereditary prostate cancer and hereditary colon cancer.

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