



### Affiliated Centers

- Integrative Center for Aging Research
- Center for Outcomes Effectiveness Research & Education
- Center for AIDS Research
- Comprehensive Cancer Center
- Center for Nursing Research
- Minority Health Research Center

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Community Advisory Board  
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SE Institute for Innovation in  
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**Clinical Workgroup**  
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**Research Workgroup**  
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**Education  
Workgroup**  
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**Marketing &  
Partnerships**  
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#### VA Palliative Care Clinical Programs

- Safe Harbor Unit
- Inpatient Consultation
- Amb Clinic

#### UAB Palliative Care Clinical Programs

- PCCU
- Inpatient Consultation
- Supportive Care and Survivorship Clinic
- Caregiver & Bereavement Support Services
- Psychology & Counseling Services
- CAPE

- Early Palliative Care Interventions
- Supportive Care and Survivorship Research
- Caregiver & Bereavement Research
- VA PC Research
- Cultural Aspects of Palliative Care

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BEACON	NCQA
RAND	

- Innovation Summit
- Cultural Training
- Networking Platforms
- Specialized training and webinars

**Fellowship  
Committee**  
Michael Barnett MD

- Palliative Care Leadership Center (PCLC)
- UAB Clinical Training Academy (CTA)
- PC Subspecialty Nurse Practitioner Program
- Psychology & Counseling Training Program

- Development
- Website
- PCLC/CTA Marketing
- Community Advisory Board
- Community Organizations
- Faith Community
- Payor Partnerships

#### COA Clinical Programs

- Inpatient consultation
- Musc Dys Clinic
- Neuro-Onc Clinin