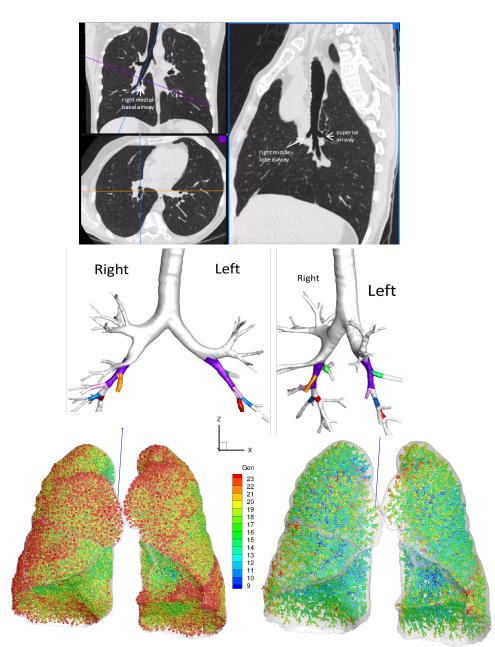
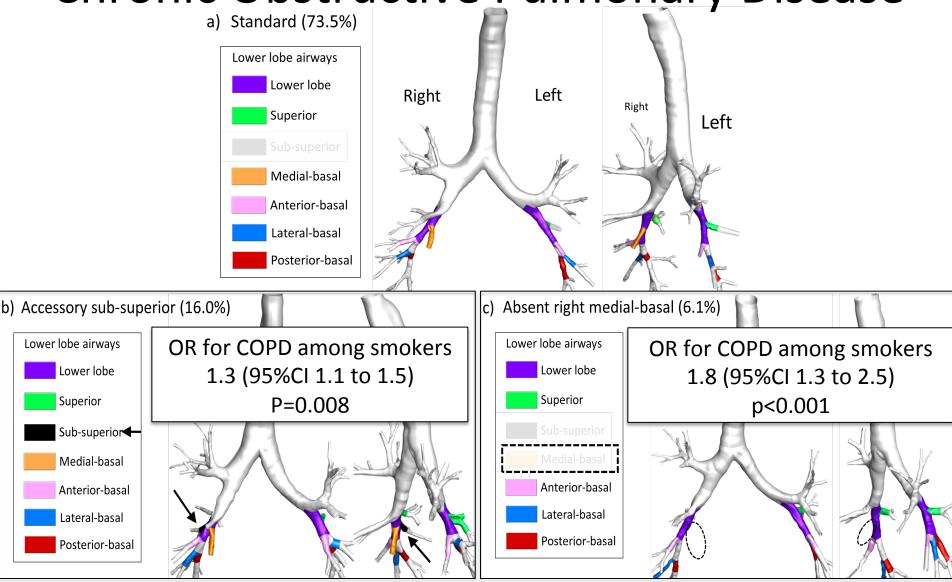
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Airway Branching Variation and Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

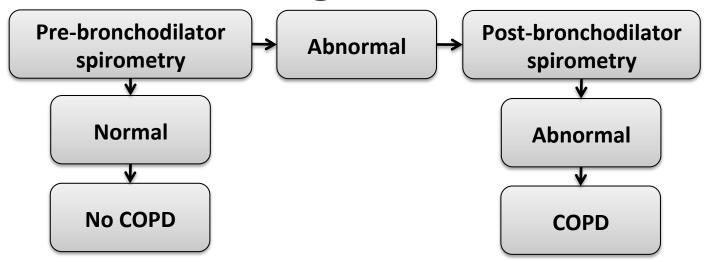


Odds ratios adjusted for age, gender, height, race, smoking status, pack-years of smoking

 Aim 1: Variant airway anatomy is independently associated with COPD and respiratory symptoms cross-sectionally among 2,635 non-smokers and with incident COPD and decline in lung function among 2,000 non-smokers followed for a median of 10 years

NON-SMOKERS	KEY PROCEDURES: Lung questionnaire, CT, and Spirometry**		
MESA Exam 6	258 of 650 (39% of target)		
MESA Exam 5	1,445		
CanCOLD	540		

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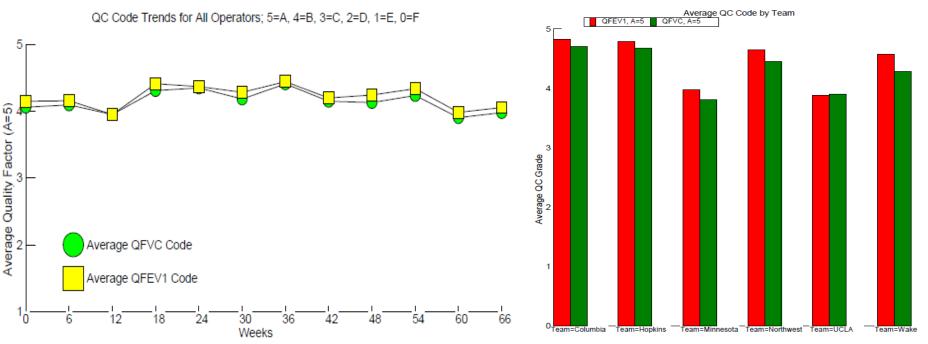


Site	Exam 6 Visits (n)	Selected for spirometry (%)	Consented of those selected (%)	Completed pre-BD spirometry of those consented (%)	Completed post-BD spirometry of those selected (%)
3 Wake	143	90	98	87	55
4 CU	210	86	93	93	81
5 JHU	207	92	98	97	83
6 Minn	317	98	99	95	27
7 NWU	327	90	96	84	39
8 UCLA	246	91	98	94	61
Total	1450	92	97	92	56

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Exam 6 Spirometry

- Good, but could be better
- Completion rate and quality varies by site



**Post-bronchodilator spirometry required to determine COPD status

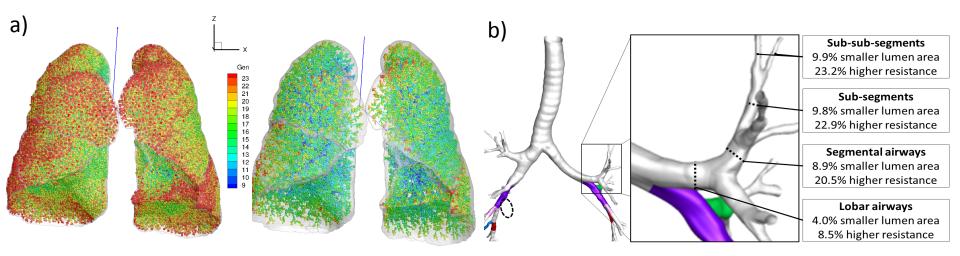
SPIROMETRY TAKE-HOME POINTS

- Spirometry is an essential outcome measure for the MESA Lung Studies
- High quality pre- and post-bronchodilator spirometry is possible in Exam 6

TIPS

- Remind your staff that spirometry is well-tolerated, even in the elderly
- Perform spirometry early in visit when participants when are less tired
- Questionnaires can be completed between pre- and post-bronchodilator spirometry
- Perform spirometry (or post-bronchodilator spirometry) on return visit
- QC committee is sending site-specific recommendations to improve spirometry quality

- Aim 2: The mechanisms of COPD risk differ by common airway variant among non-smokers and smokers in a CFD model of participant-specific geometry
 - Accessory airway variant: higher bifurcation density (a), and higher particle deposition in a CFD model of participant-specific geometry
 - Absent airway variant: globally narrowed lumens (b), and higher airway resistance



- Aim 3: GWAS will discover genetic variants underlying the common airway variants in MESA, MESA Family and SPIROMICS, with replication in an independent sample (CanCOLD)
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 - 6,076 of 11,269 participants (54%) complete
 - Candidate gene analysis of absent airway variant

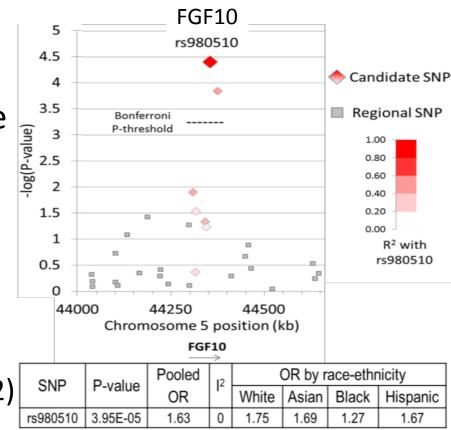
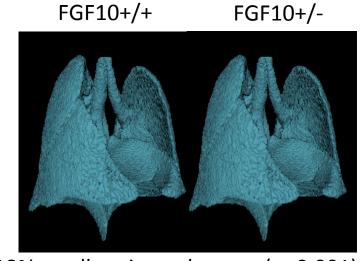
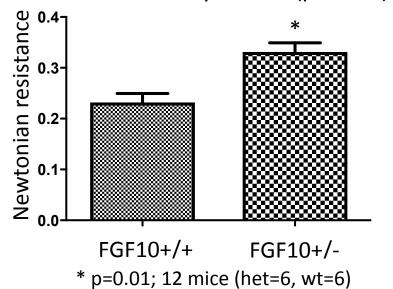


Fig. 5: Regional association plot of candidate SNPs within *Fgf10* and absent right medial-basal airway (n=2,522). SNPs selected *a priori* based on location within genes implicated in airway morphogenesis (11 genes, 107 SNP). Genotyping: Affymetrix 6.0, excluding MAF<0.05, missingness per SNP>0.1, missingness per subject>0.1, and linkage disequilibrium>0.7. Analysis stratified by race-ethnicity, adjusted for gender, and principle components of ancestry, pooled by random effects meta-analysis. I² is heterogeneity index by race-ethnicity. OR denotes odds ratio. Bonferroni P-threshold 4.67E-04, indicated by dashed line.

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18% smaller airway lumens (p<0.001)



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