# Mendel Genetic Counseling

Installation Instructions using the Julia REPL

### Before the Workshop

- It is important to install Julia
- Install Open Mendel modules:
  - SnpArrays.jl
  - MendelSearch.jl
  - MendelBase.jl
  - MendelGeneticCounseling.jl#ASHG2019
- And test Open Mendel with a small test example

### Notebook or REPL?

- The Open Mendel team prefers to use Jupyter notebooks whenever possible, primarily because they make reproducibility easier. However you might find it easier to run Julia by just clicking on the Julia Icon.
- This presentation is designed to assist users who can't or don't want to use the IJulia- jupyter notebooks combination.

### Step 1: Install Julia and Open Julia

 Go to the Julia download site, <u>https://julialang.org/downloads/</u> and download the latest stable release of julia (version 1.2.0 on 9/19/2019).

Once Julia is downloaded click on the julia

icon to open the REPL

## Step 2: Installing MendelGeneticCounseling

- Use the package manager in Julia.
- Invoke by typing "]" at the Julia prompt
- Then add in order the modules: SnpArrays.jl, MendelSearch.jl, MendelBase.jl and MendelGeneticCounseling.jl#ASHG2019
- Then give the command: build SpecialFunctions
- pkg> add https://github.com/OpenMendel/SnpArrays.jl
- pkg> add https://github.com/OpenMendel/MendelSearch.jl
- pkg> add https://github.com/OpenMendel/MendelBase.jl
- pkg>add https://github.com/OpenMendel/MendelGeneticCounseling.jl#ASHG2019
- pkg> build SpecialFunctions
- To exit the package manager press the delete key

### Step 3: Check for Input files

- Check for the working directory contains your files julia> pwd()
- change to the appropriate directory if needed
  - On Mac:
  - julia > cd("/Users/janets/GeneticCounseling/SmallSamplel")
  - On PC:
  - julia> cd("C:\\Users\\janets\\GeneticCounseling\\SmallSample")
- Then check for the input files by typing

#### julia> readdir()

- "ControlSmallParametric.txt"
- "HeterozygousRisk.txt"
- "LocusSmall.txt"
- "PedSmall.csv"
- "PhenoSmall.txt"
- "SampleOutput"

### Run MendelGenetiCounseling

First compile MendelGeneticCounseling
julia> using MendelGeneticCounseling

Then run the test problem by typing:
julia> GeneticCounseling("ControlSmallParametric.txt")

Result:

The risk = 0.03892.

### Report Any Difficulties

- Please report any problems on the open mendel github site or by email <u>jsinshel@g.ucla.edu</u> as soon as you have them (don't wait until the week of the workshop because we probably won't be able to help you).
- Be sure to provide as much information as you can on the commands you tried and the error messages you received. Also give us an email address that you check on a regular basis so the Open Mendel team can help you solve any problems.