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News & Events Don't Miss Webinars!

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Save the Date!!!

Corrective and Preventive Action (CAPA): A Critical Component of Quality Management System

**Wednesday, September 30, 2020
1:00 - 2:00 PM EST**

Presented by:

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Welcome New Members

As a member of IACRN, you are part of the first organization founded to meet the professional needs of clinical research nurses. By belonging to IACRN, you have gained access to a wealth of benefits to support you in your practice and profession.

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- Lynne Bischoff**, Michigan Medicine, New Hudson, MI, US
 - Courtney Budke**, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
 - Lisa Cannon**, Wisconsin Center for Advanced Research, Milwaukee, WI, US
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 - Maryanne Ducey**, Stanford Hospital, Wilton, CT, US
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Pearls of Wisdom

... from the Education Committee



Who needs to be listed on the Delegation of Tasks/Signature Log?

A Delegation of Tasks/Signature Log (DOT) serves two purposes:

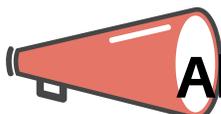
1. Provides documentation of the PI's delegation of certain study-related tasks.
2. Documents signatures and initials of staff who are authorized to make entries in study records so that ... [Read More.](#)

News & Events



The Year of the Nurse:
Advancing Best Practices in Clinical
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October 19-21, 2020



2020 Call for Abstracts

Our **Call for Poster Presentations** has
been extended! Click on the links
below for additional information.

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JULY 20th

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If you have any questions please
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President's Message

Dear members

It's hard to believe we are halfway through this crazy
year- although something of a relief. I know many of you
are still in the thick of pandemic work and I hope you are
staying safe and well. Here in the UK my focus is on
delivering the many COVID vaccine studies that I hope
will allow us to meet face to face next year.

Your amazing committees have been working very hard
to keep us all connected and our wonderful organisation
moving forward. Our colleagues at the management
group have supported and lead on a number of initiatives
as well and we are very enthusiastic about our plans.

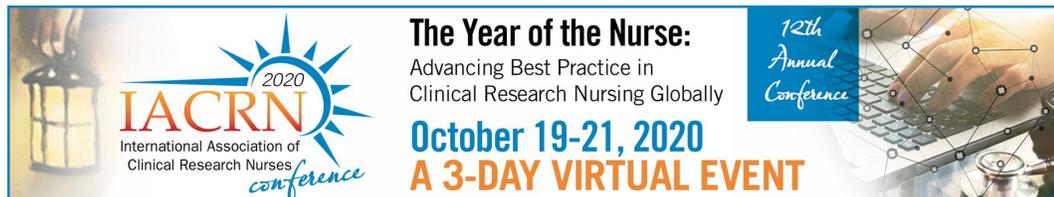


As you now know, we have transitioned to a virtual format for **conference** this year. We
are very excited to be planning a range of interactive activities and you will see we are
taking advantage of our virtual status to bring new content to you as well. This year
more than ever I am looking forward to connecting with members around the world,
learning and sharing with you. Please consider submitting a virtual **poster** and certainly
this year it is very cost effective to attend the conference, network, obtain CEUs and
develop your clinical research nurse practice without the added travel and
accommodation costs. Please continue to take care of yourselves, your families and
communities. Wash your hands and wear a mask- I'm saving on lipsticks but miss
everyone's smiles!

I am also really missing all of you and I am so pleased we will have the opportunity to
share some virtual time together this autumn.

With best wishes

Jennifer Allison,
President, IACRN



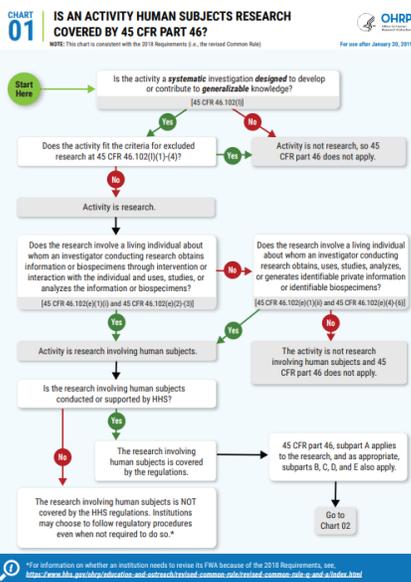
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REGULATORY CORNER



OHRP has posted on its website a set of decision charts that are consistent with the 2018 Requirements (i.e. the revised Common Rule). Titled, "Human Subject Regulations Decision Charts: 2018 Requirements," these graphic charts are intended to aid those who need to decide if an activity is research involving human subjects that must be reviewed by an institutional review board (IRB) and whether informed consent or the documentation of informed consent can be waived under the 2018 Requirements found for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) at 45 CFR part 46, Subpart A. The 2018 Requirements were originally published on January 19, 2017 and further amended on January 22, 2018 and June 19, 2018.

The decision charts are necessarily generalizations and may not be specific enough for particular situations. The charts do not address requirements that may be imposed by other organizations, such as the Food and Drug Administration, the National Institutes of Health, other sponsors, or state or local governments.

These decision charts can be accessed at: <https://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/regulations-and-policy/decision-charts-2018/index.html>

From the Education Committee

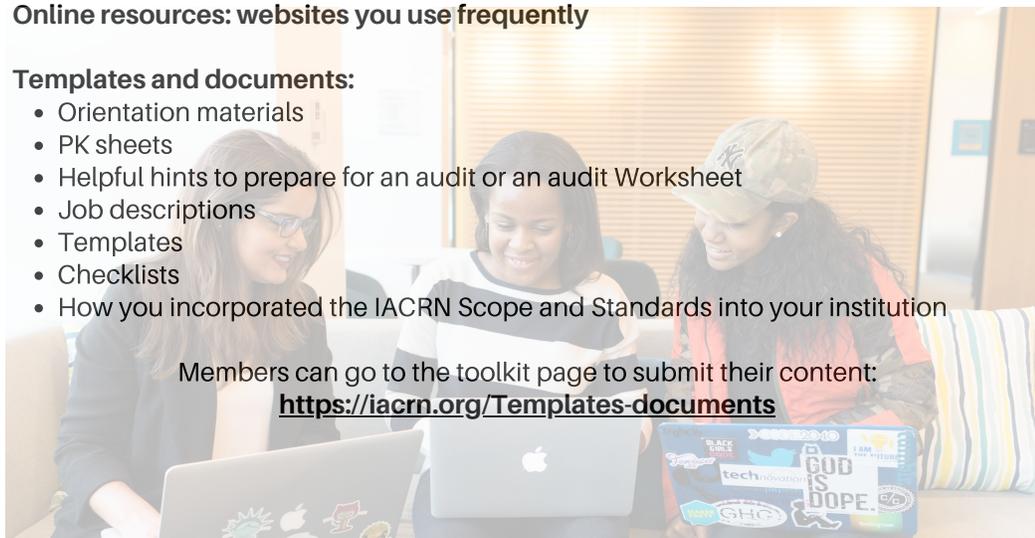
We are looking for materials to add to our member toolkit. Items include, but are not limited to:

Online resources: websites you use frequently

Templates and documents:

- Orientation materials
- PK sheets
- Helpful hints to prepare for an audit or an audit Worksheet
- Job descriptions
- Templates
- Checklists
- How you incorporated the IACRN Scope and Standards into your institution

Members can go to the toolkit page to submit their content:
<https://iacrn.org/Templates-documents>



Stay Connected with the new IACRN COVID-19 Toolkit Resources and Discussion Board Forum:

We know our members are dealing first hand with the current health crisis on a daily basis and want to say THANK YOU! Together we will get through this challenging time.

We encourage you to visit the new COVID-19 resource list found in the our Toolkit section and to stay connected with colleagues and friends through our Online discussion board. By exchanging best practices and insights, useful information and resources members around the world can help support and guide others as they continue to do important work and much needed research.

We invite you to join or start a conversation today!

To access the toolkit login to the [IACRN website](https://iacrn.org) and click Toolkit under the Education tab.



SHARE YOUR COVID-19 PANDEMIC STORIES with Us!

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CAREER CORNER



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COVID-19 Update

As we are currently in some uncertain times, the MMC wanted to provide you with some credible resources about the COVID-19 pandemic and resources for destressing:

[CDC website Information](#)
[Patient Fact Sheet about Coronavirus](#)
[Patient Fact Sheet if sick with Coronavirus](#)

[Johns Hopkins Website for daily COVID-19 statistics](#)

[Worldometer Website statistics](#)
[World Health Organization \(WHO\)](#)
[American Holistic Nurses Association \(AHNA\)](#)

Mindfulness resources:

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Focus Edition Guest Editors

Dr Gordon Hill, Senior Lecturer in Nursing, Glasgow Caledonian University, UK
Dr Juliet MacArthur, Chief Nurse - Research & Development, NHS Lothian, UK

The aim of this focused edition of JRN is to give voice to clinical research nurses and midwives (CRN/Ms) in order to advance international understanding and debate of the scope, context and impact of this nursing and midwifery specialism.

As the number of CRN/Ms increase around the world, a deeper understanding of their contribution to multidisciplinary clinical research is required to ensure their ...

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CITI Covid 19 & Clinical Trials

Resources for conducting efficient trials during & after the pandemic

The COVID-19 pandemic has turned our world upside down. And, within the clinical trials community, nearly every aspect of research is experiencing unprecedented disruptions.

To help, CTTI is leading several efforts -- including conducting surveys, holding webinars, and developing resources -- with the goal of helping the clinical trials ecosystem adapt and move forward during this pandemic. Activities and resources include:

- Recordings of four previous CTTI webinars are now available. The topics include: designing high-quality, streamlined COVID-19 trial, identifying best practices for conducting clinical trials with the new FDA guidance, solutions for switching to remote and virtual visits, and engaging racial and ethnic minority patient populations during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- CTTI has also created a best practices document and a daily searchable spreadsheet of the COVID-19-related studies posted on ClinicalTrials.gov.

For more resources that can help, please visit

<https://www.ctti-clinicaltrials.org/projects/clinical-trials-issues-related-covid-19>

Bibliography: Clinical Trials Issues Related to COVID-19. (2020, June 23). Retrieved July 16, 2020, from <https://www.ctti-clinicaltrials.org/projects/clinical-trials-issues-related-covid-19>

