AACI CRI Welcome

Clinical trials for cancer need good management. To offer the most benefit to patients, the trials must have standard guidelines for their management and robust methods of evaluation.

AACI’s Clinical Research Initiative (CRI) aims to improve clinical trials management at cancer centers. Toward this goal, the CRI annual meeting enables those in clinical trials offices to share their best practices—through peer-to-peer networking, collaboration, and ongoing communication. All these interactions can lead to better cancer treatments.

CRI objectives include developing better methods for disseminating information across cancer centers, identifying and addressing clinical research challenges, and measuring progress. The CRI annual meeting program aligns with AACI’s strategic goal of stimulating cancer center interactions to maximize the use of resources, including eliminating unproductive steps that slow down drug development. Those involved in CRI fill a variety of leadership roles and thoroughly understand their respective cancer center’s clinical trials system.

This year’s meeting focuses on how AACI cancer centers are adapting to manage novel and complex cancer clinical research trials that advance cancer treatment and prolong patient survival.
AADI CRI Meeting Objectives

1. Address cancer center challenges by working with novel research agents that can lead to the rapid development of new therapies.
2. Discuss how clinical trials office leaders are changing their operational structures to adapt to complex trial designs such as the NCI-MATCH Trial and basket- and umbrella-type trials.
3. Describe the impact of revisions to the NCI Cancer Center Support Grant guidelines, including how they affect preparations for NCI site visits.
4. Support peer-to-peer networking, collaboration, and ongoing communications between clinical trials office administrative and medical directors.
5. Identify policies and practices that promote staff retention, job satisfaction, diversity and stability for the clinical research workforce at cancer centers.
6. Highlight challenges in preparing for audits and site monitoring visits.
7. Create trial budgets that address research staff effort while adhering to National Trial Coverage Decision Guidelines.
8. Discuss how cancer centers are building relationships with network care sites to promote trial accrual, coordination, and monitoring to ensure study compliance and accurate research data collection that aligns with study endpoints.
9. Explore the use of information technology platforms to facilitate research data collection, electronic regulatory record management, and the capture of clinical trial finances.

Who Should Attend This Meeting?
- Administrative directors of clinical trials offices
- Clinical trials office medical directors
- Deputy/associate directors of clinical research administration
- Cancer center administrators
- Clinical trials office managers and supervisors
- Employees of research regulatory agencies
- AADI Sustaining Members
- AADI Corporate Roundtable members
- Representatives from industry, including pharmaceutical companies and clinical research organizations

MEETING PROGRAM

Association of American Cancer Institutes
9th Annual Clinical Research Initiative Meeting
Loews Chicago O’Hare Hotel - Rosemont, Illinois

Wednesday, July 12

7:00 AM Breakfast - Avedon Ballroom C/D

7:00 AM Meeting Registration Begins - Artist Foyer

7:00 AM Exhibits Open - Artist Foyer

8:00 AM Welcome - Cassatt Ballroom

   Janie Hofacker, RN, BSN, MS
   Association of American Cancer Institutes

   Paul Martin, MD
   Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

   Roy A. Jensen, MD
   The University of Kansas Cancer Center; President-elect, AACI

8:15 AM Supporting Patients Through Clinical Trials and Beyond - Cassatt Ballroom

   With experience as both a cancer survivor and a cancer physician, Dr. Beck brings a unique perspective to her research and clinical leadership at Huntsman Cancer Institute. Dr. Beck will address clinical research—especially how to encourage clinical trial enrollment—and will describe how her personal struggle with cancer has altered her views about supporting cancer patients throughout their disease trajectory. Dr. Beck's areas of research interest are end-of-life care, communication skills training, and female cancers.

   Anna C. Beck, MD
   Huntsman Cancer Institute
   University of Utah

9:15 AM Managing Trials at Affiliate Sites - Cassatt Ballroom

   In this session, panelists will identify reasons for using affiliate sites, criteria for selecting sites, and the importance of building relationships and evaluating a site's readiness for trial participation. Panelists will share ideas for establishing a budget to cover affiliate site costs for trial start-up, research staff and non-reimbursable insurance charges. The panel will also discuss the challenges faced when the lead site has minimal authority over affiliate sites to ensure regulatory compliance or to address nonconforming sites that don’t accrue subjects according to established metrics. (continued page 4)
10:15 AM Break

10:30 AM Updated CCSG Guidelines - Cassatt Ballroom
Panelists will lead an open dialogue about the NCI program award, “Cancer Center Support Grants (CCSGs) for NCI-designated Cancer Centers (P30),” Topics include revisions to grant guidelines and instructions for renewing the P30 grant. Attendees will also hear some practical advice from two cancer centers that have recently completed their CCSG competing renewal using the new grant criteria.

Moderator: Dave Gosky, MA, MBA
UK Markey Cancer Center

Henry Ciolino, PhD
National Cancer Institute

Megan Kilbane, MBA
Case Comprehensive Cancer Center, Case Western Reserve University
Seidman Cancer Center at University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center

Marcy List, PhD
The University of Chicago Medicine Comprehensive Cancer Center

David Loose
National Cancer Institute

12:00 PM Lunch - Avedon Ballroom C/D

1:15 PM 2017 CRI Abstract Presentations - Cassatt Ballroom
Abstracts received from AACI cancer center members focus on oncology research that illuminates clinical research challenges and solutions aimed at accelerating drug development for patients with cancer. The CRI Steering Committee selected three abstracts for presentation at this year’s meeting. Each presentation will be 15 minutes, and a Q&A session will follow.

Moderator: Paul Martin, MD
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

Ensuring PEAK Training and Compliance in Cancer Clinical Trials
Richa Upadhyay, MD (presenter); Ledionia Ardolli, MA; Rosemarie Gagliardi, c.EdD, MPH, CCRA; Donna Berizzi, RN, MSN, OCN;
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Improving Reproducibility of Quantitative Imaging Endpoints
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Implementing a Research Nurse Model for the Clinical Trials Office (CTO)
Helen Peck, RN, MA, OCN, CCRP (presenter); Joanne Mancini, RN, CCRP; Cathy Galasso, RN, OCN, CCRP
Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, University of Miami Health System; Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute

2:15 PM Clinical Trials Coverage Analysis 101 - Cassatt Ballroom
Clinical trials coverage analysis is the initial step in developing a clinical trial budget. In this session, panelists will discuss how to prepare a trial coverage analysis to create a trial budget for contract negotiations and a billing grid for assigning charges. Panelists will also explore ways to generate documentation to support medical-necessity-of-care claims in the electronic medical record as well as billed charges and services requiring payer preauthorization. A representative from the National Cancer Institute (NCI) will discuss how they develop trial coverage analysis for National Clinical Trials Network (NCTN) phase II and phase III trials and NCI Community Oncology Research Program cancer control/prevention trials. Panelists will also address regional differences in how the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services determine national coverage for clinical trials.

Moderator: Paul Martin, MD
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

Andrea Denicoff, MS, RN
National Cancer Institute

Tesheia Johnson, MBA, MHS
Yale Cancer Center
Yale School of Medicine

Kelly Feehan, JD, MS
City of Hope Comprehensive Cancer Center

3:15 PM Break

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3:30 PM  **Concurrent Breakout Sessions**

- **A Deeper Dive into Managing Community and Affiliate Trials Sites - Avedon Ballroom A/B** (Wednesday Only)
  - Kim Keller, RN, MSN, OCN
    UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center
    University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
  - Jennie Crews, MD, MMM, FACP
    Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

- **Enhancing the Relationship Between Medical Directors and CTO Administrative Directors - Avedon Ballroom C**
  - Jessica Moehle, CCRP
    Huntsman Cancer Institute
    University of Utah
  - Theresa Werner, MD
    Huntsman Cancer Institute
    University of Utah

- **Operationalizing Complex Clinical Trial Designs - Pollock**
  - Rhoda Arzoomanian, MSM, RN, BSN
    Yale Cancer Center
    Yale School of Medicine
  - Erin Williams, MBA
    Simmons Comprehensive Cancer Center
    UT Southwestern Medical Center

- **Research Center and Industry Staff Turnover and Its Impact on Quality Data Capture - Warhol**
  - Collette Houston
    Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
  - Moshe Kelsen, MBA
    Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center
    Columbia University Medical Center

4:45 PM  **General Sessions End**

5:30 PM  **Poster Session - Artist Foyer**

6:00 PM  **Welcome Reception - Artist Foyer**
  Reception Sponsored by Forte Research Systems®

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**Thursday, July 13**

7:00 AM  **Breakfast - Avedon Ballroom C/D**

7:00 AM  **Vendor Presentation: Complion**
  **Going Paperless: Managing Regulatory & Clinical Trial Documents in Complion - Avedon Ballroom B**

7:00 AM  **Exhibits Open - Artist Foyer**

8:00 AM  **Welcome - Cassatt Ballroom**
  Janie Hofacker, RN, BSN, MS
  Association of American Cancer Institutes

8:15 AM  **So You Want to Run an Investigator-Initiated Trial? Points to Consider - Cassatt Ballroom**
  This session will focus on developing investigator initiated trials (IIT) from concept to effective, well-designed trials that collect data to match the study's endpoints.
  
  Panelists will identify IIT challenges such as using multiple electronic data capture systems, bridging financial gaps when pilot or donor funding is limited, navigating complex industry and clinical research organizational structures, and educating principal investigators and clinical teams about trials to ensure trial compliance (e.g., reporting trial results to ClinicalTrials.gov).
  
  **Moderator: Elizabeth Anderson, MPH, BSN**
  Stanford Cancer Institute
  Kate Anderton, MPH, CCRP
  Hollings Cancer Center
  Medical University of South Carolina
  John Musser
  Moffitt Cancer Center
  Steve Williamson, MD
  The University of Kansas Cancer Center

9:15 AM  **Concurrent Breakout Sessions**

- **The Burden of FDA Inspections - Avedon Ballroom B (Thursday Only)**
  - Nicholas Farley, MS
    Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
    Harvard Medical School
  - Therica Miller, MBA, CCRP
    Samuel Oschin Comprehensive Cancer Institute
    Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

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10:30 AM  **Break**

10:45 AM  **Trials and Tribulations - Cassatt Ballroom**
In this session, presenters will report on the progress, or lack thereof, in solving clinical trial operations problems that were presented in abstracts submitted for the 2016 CRI Annual Meeting. Each presentation will be 15 minutes. A Q&A session will follow.

**Moderator:** Nicholas Fisher, MBA
*Siteman Cancer Center*

**Pamela Degendorfer, MA, CCRP**
*Princess Margaret Cancer Centre*
*University Health Network*

**Moshe Kelsen, MBA**
*Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center*
*Columbia University Medical Center*

**Krystal Merdinger**
*Fox Chase Cancer Center*
*Temple Health*

11:45 AM  **Lunch - Avedon Ballroom C/D**

12:45 PM  **Breakout Sessions Report Back - Cassatt Ballroom**

1:30 PM  **Evaluating and Streamlining Non-Value-Added Activities in Your CTO - Cassatt Ballroom**
Panelists will discuss challenges associated with conducting pharmaceutical-industry-sponsored research where policies to address regulatory burdens create non-value-added work for cancer center trial sites. Examples of non-value-added activities include: use of sponsor portals; reviewing third-party serious adverse-event reports that do not meet FDA guidance for reporting; and, managing multiple site and remote monitoring visits. Panelists will share advice on how to streamline clinical research operations to eliminate non-value-added steps.

**Moderator:** Tess Cummings, RN, MS
*University of Maryland Marlene and Stewart Greenebaum Comprehensive Cancer Center*

**Hobs Apell**
*The University of Kansas Cancer Center*

**Young Kwang Chae, MD, MPH, MBA**
*The Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University*

2:15 PM  **Practices to Promote Sustainable Staffing and Retention Models - Cassatt Ballroom**
Clinical trial leaders face continual staffing challenges. Panelists will share information—collected via surveys or pilot studies and workload metrics data—about the effectiveness of various staffing models (e.g., nurse vs non-nurse) and the challenges of retaining staff, promoting employee satisfaction, ensuring balanced workloads, and addressing industry and institutional competition for high-performing staff.

**Moderator/Presenter:** Kristie Moffett, MHA
*Moffitt Cancer Center*

**Pam Herena, MSN, RN, OCN**
*City of Hope Comprehensive Cancer Center*

**Carrie Lee, MD, MPH**
*UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center*
*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

3:00 PM  **Closing Remarks - Cassatt Ballroom**

**Janie Hofacker, RN, BSN, MS**
*Association of American Cancer Institutes*

3:15 PM  **Adjourn**

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SECOND PLACE: Improving Reproducibility of Quantitative Imaging Endpoints
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THIRD PLACE: Implementing a Research Nurse Model for the Clinical Trials Office (CTO)
Helen Peck, RN, MA, OCN, CCRP; Joanne Mancini, RN, CCRP; Cathy Galasso, RN, OCN, CCRP
Sylvestre Comprehensive Cancer Center, University of Miami Health System; Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute

Data Reporting: A Simple Tool for Analysis and Forecasting Success
Andrea Skafel, MSc, CCRP; Wade Berry, CCRP; Mallory Kock, CCRP; Thomas Cunningham, PhD, CCRP
Helen Diller Family Comprehensive Cancer Center University of California San Francisco

Adapting to Thrive: Risk-Based Monitoring of Academic Institutional Investigator-Initiated Clinical Trials
Daniel Otap, CCRP; Fran Brogan, MSN, RN; Moshe Kelsen, MBA; Lauren Blumberg; Jennifer Wang, MS; Tiffany Negri, CCRP; Shannon Kelly; Tasha Isles Smith, MA, MPH; Stephen Emerson, MD, PhD; Andrew Lassman, MD, MS; Joseph Juricic, MD
Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center Columbia University Medical Center

“If You Build It, They Will Come”: Creation of a Dedicated Oncology Clinical Research Infusion Center
Frances Brogan, MSN, RN; Fawzia Ibrahim; Ryan Shelton; Caryn O’Mullane, RN, MSN, MBA; Moshe Kelsen, MBA; Andrew B. Lassman, MD, MS; Stephen Emerson, MD, PhD; Gary Schwartz, MD; Richard Carvajal, MD
Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center Columbia University Medical Center

Development of a Streamlined Process to Collect Fresh Biopsy Specimens to Send Out for Clinical Trial Screening
Joni Harris, MS, CCRP
Hollings Cancer Center Medical University of South Carolina

Converting to Electronic Regulatory Binders, and the Great Scan
Curt Hampton, MBA, MS; Jessica Moehle, CCRP; Lindsay Byrd, CCRP
Huntsman Cancer Institute University of Utah

Integrating a Clinical Research Nurse Program at an Academic Cancer Hospital
Kristin Maloney, RN, BSN, OCN
Huntsman Cancer Institute University of Utah

Promoting Comprehensive Site Policies and Limiting Industry Overreach
Lindsey Byrd, CCRP; Jessica Moehle, CCRP
Huntsman Cancer Institute University of Utah

Using the Epic EMR for Research Documentation
Rachel Kingsford, MS, CCRP; Jessica Moehle, BS, CCRP; Leanne Lujan, BS, CCRP; Lindsay Carpenter, MSW, CCRC; Sally Fairbairn, BS, CCRP; Susan Sharby, BS, CCRP; Karthik Sonty, BS, CCRP; Theresa L. Werner, MD
Huntsman Cancer Institute University of Utah

Improving Study Activation Timelines: Establishing Flow
Erica Love, MA, MPH, CCRP; Paul K. Davis, KMP; Nida Cassim, MPH
Laura and Isaac Perlmutter Cancer Center at NYU Langone; Essex Management

Development of a Complexity Assessment for Clinical Trials
Alexa Richie, DHSc; Jennifer Lineburg; Andrea Tavlarides, PhD; Dale Gamble, MHSc; Susan Rogers; Carol Griffin
Mayo Clinic Cancer Center

Improving Research Lab Sample Tracking and Cost Recovery by Implementing a Web-Based System
Wes Rood; Megan Koceja, BS; Brenda Brito; Betty Oleson, BSN, RN, CCRP; Rebecca Selle, BS, CCRP; James Thomas, MD, PhD
Medical College of Wisconsin Cancer Center

Not All Tumors Are Created Equal: Evaluating the Impact of an Interdisciplinary Molecular Tumor Board
Allison Martin, PharmD; Ben George, MD; Elizabeth Weil, PharmD, BCP; Angela Urmsanski, PharmD, BCP; Katrina Schroeder, RN, OCN, CCRP; Kayla Mendenhall, CPhT; Mindy Waggner, PharmD, BCP; Carolyn Oxencis, PharmD, BCP, BCP
Medical College of Wisconsin Cancer Center

They Talked the Talk…But Can They Walk the Walk? Implementing a Written Test During Candidate Interviews for Clinical Research Coordinators and Assistants
Rebecca Selle, BS, CCRP; James Thomas, MD, PhD; Betty Oleson, BSN, RN, CCRP
Medical College of Wisconsin Cancer Center

Best Practices to Achieve a Successful FDA Inspection
Susan Puleio, CCRP; Veronica Tomaselli
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

The Research Council: Developing and Implementing Institutional Policy for Clinical Research Portfolio Management
Sara Hanley, MSW; Xenete Lekperic; David Spriggs, MD; Ann Rodavitch, MA
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center
2017 Abstracts

Coordinators Asked, We Answered: The New Clinic Coordinator Education and Training Program
Emily Hawkins, CCRP; Elizabeth Menne, RN; Maria Westfall, CCRP
Siteman Cancer Center

Improving Protocol Activation Times via Automation and Centralization
Helen Peck, RN, MA, OCN, CCRP; Andrew Nilson, BHA; Simmy Thompson, MPH, CIP, CCRP; Rizalia Rivera Cevijic; Michael A. Samuels, MD; Jonathan Trent, MD, PhD
Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center;
University of Miami Health System

Resource Allocation Review: Two-Year Analysis of Protocols Open to Enrollment at Least One Year
Rosemarie Gagliardi, C.EdD, MPH, CCRA; Ariel Hosey; Lediona Andolli; Catherine Raimond; Richa Upadhyay, MD; Paula Klein, MD; Aja Chari, MD; Matthew Gaslyk, MD
The Tisch Cancer Institute at the Mount Sinai Health System

Objective Data-Tracking Tool
Stefanie Belanger, BA, CCRP; Stephanie Ladd, BS, CCRP; Matthew Jansen, BA, MS
UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center;
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Modeling AACI to Create a Problem-Solving Culture Within the University of Chicago Comprehensive Cancer Center
Lauren Wall, MS; Amanda Spratt, BS
The University of Chicago Medicine Comprehensive Cancer Center

Survey of Protocol Review and Monitoring Systems in U.S. Cancer Centers
Deborah H. McCollister, RN, BSN; Carrye Cost, MD; Ian Riley; Stephen Leong, MD
University of Colorado Cancer Center

First Impressions: Centralizing the CDA Process
Christine Mackay, RN, BSN, MSA, CCRP; Morgan Smotherman; Kathy Schleeter; Donna Palatas, JD; Claire Sabin Koenig, JD; Tiffany Pothapragada, PhD; Peter Griffith, JD
The University of Kansas Cancer Center

Learn-Inform-Recruit: Increasing the Offer of Urologic Cancer Trials in Community Practice
Christine Mackay, RN, BSN, MSA, CCRP; Andrew Zganjar, MD; Laurie Petty, PhD; Mugur Geana, MD, PhD; Jessica Gills, MD; Tomas L. Griebling, MPH, MD; Brantley Thrasher, MD; Shellie Ellis, MA, PhD
The University of Kansas Cancer Center

Assessing Patients for Clinical Trials: An Evaluation of Radiation Oncologists at an NCI-Designated Cancer Center
Mindi TenNapel, MBA, PhD; Christine Mackay, RN, BSN, MSA, CCRP
The University of Kansas Cancer Center

Minimizing Information Redundancy Across the Institution and Improving Quality with Centralized Regulatory Document Management
Andrew Nilson; Rosa Hsieh; Cristina Ferrazzano Yaussy, MPH, CCRP; Tom Battle
Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center;
University of Miami Health System; Complion, Inc.

Clinical Research Office Monthly Lecture Series
Cindy Wynne-Jones, RN, CCRC; Erin Williams, MBA
Simmons Comprehensive Cancer Center;
UT Southwestern Medical Center

Streamlining Research Billing with Informatics Tools and Consensus Building
Umit Topaloglu, PhD; Terra Colvin, MS; Megan Brown; Jennifer Black; Jennifer Newsome; Stacey Lewis; Kim Sweatt; Jennette Cossey; Selvia Ohene; Brooke Everhart; Robin Harrelson; Meredith Hiatt; Teresa Sells; Brian Strittmatter; Garland Kitts; Lynn Kennedy; Boris Pasche, MD, PhD; Stefan Grant, MD, JD, MBA
Wake Forest Baptist Comprehensive Cancer Center

Document Management Beyond Regulatory: Breaking Down Silos and Cultivating Effective Collaboration
Amy MK Rovitelli, MS, CHRC; Tina Marie Bowdish, MS, CRCP, CHRC; Tom Battle; Cristina Ferrazzano Yaussy, MPH, CCRP
Wilmot Cancer Institute, University of Rochester Medical Center; Complion, Inc.

Mastering the Delegation-of-Authority Log: A Centralized Approach to Maintaining Site Regulatory Documents
Stephanie Speaker, CCRP; Brittany Walker, CCRP
Yale Cancer Center

Realizing Rapid Review: Expanding the Use of a Clinical Trials Management System to Streamline the Protocol Review and Monitoring System
LaToya Howard, CCRP; Stephanie Speaker, CCRP; Alyssa Gatemay, MPH, CCRP
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The ASCO Research Community Forum serves as a go-to resource for the cancer research community. The Forum’s key objectives are to: 1) convene community-based researchers, including those affiliated with academic centers, to share best practices, identify challenges, and brainstorm effective strategies for conducting research, and 2) develop and disseminate solution-oriented resources and tools that address challenges and facilitate clinical trial participation and accrual. The Forum is led by a Council that includes physician investigators and research administrators from a range of settings, primarily community-based research programs and academic research networks with affiliated community-based research sites.

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