ASCO Research Community Forum

ASCO RCF Resources for Research Sites

The following lists ASCO Research Community Forum (RCF) and ASCO resources for research sites related to the conduct and management of clinical trials. Recently developed ASCO RCF tools and manuscripts and other ASCO initiatives to facilitate the conduct and management of clinical trials are highlighted below. The seminal paper with ASCO's statement on minimal standards and exemplary attributes of clinical trial sites, along with a subsequent series of related articles, published by ASCO volunteers, is listed on the following pages.

Tools Launched from ASCO RCF

ASCO Topics At-a-Glance. Released June 2019.
Access: **Contract Negotiations for Clinical Trials**, **Insurance Coverage of Clinical Trials**, **Clinical Trial Staffing Considerations**, **Quality Assessment of Clinical Trial Sites**, **Clinical Trial Workload Assessment Strategies**.

ASCO RCF Online Forum. Join the online forum to engage with the research community and network, share best practices, access resources, and learn more about the ASCO RCF.
Access: **myconnection.asco.org/rcf**

American Society of Clinical Oncology: Clinical Trial Workload Assessment Tool. Released Oct 2014.
Access: **http://workload.asco.org/**

Access the following resources from asco.org/research-community-forum:

ASCO FDA Audit Readiness Toolkit.
Released September 2019.

ASCO Adverse Events Reporting Decision Aid Toolkit.
Released September 2019.

ASCO Business of Clinical Trials: Optimizing Clinical Trial Sites and Implementing Best Practices Toolkit. Released September 2018.

ASCO Insurance Coverage of Clinical Trials Toolkit.
Released September 2017.

American Society of Clinical Oncology Online Library of Resources for Research Sites. Updated Spring 2016.

American Society of Clinical Oncology Research Program Quality Assessment Tool. Released July 2015.

Publications Released from ASCO and the ASCO RCF

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Kim ES, Bruinooge SS, Robert S, et al. ***Broadening Eligibility Criteria to Make Clinical Trials More Representative: American Society of Clinical Oncology and Friends of Cancer Research Joint Research Statement.*** *Journal of Clinical Oncology.* 2017; 35:33, 3737-3744.*

Szczepanek CM, Hurley P, Good MJ, et al. ***Feasibility of a Centralized Clinical Trials Coverage Analysis: A Joint Initiative of the American Society of Clinical Oncology and the National Cancer Institute.*** *Journal of Oncology Practice.* 2017;13:6, 395-400.

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Vose JM, Levit LA, Hurley P, et al. ***Addressing administrative and regulatory burden in cancer clinical trials: Summary of a stakeholder survey and workshop hosted by the American Society of Clinical Oncology and the Association of American Cancer Institutes.*** *Journal of Clinical Oncology*. 2016; 34:31, 3796-3802.

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Good MJ, Hurley P, Woo KM, et al. ***Assessing clinical trial-associated workload in community-based research programs using the ASCO Clinical Trial Workload Assessment Tool.*** *Journal of Oncology Practice*. 2016;12(5):e536-47.

*This initiative includes recommendations for expanding specific eligibility criteria, which are available for reference on asco.org.
**This publication was developed from a follow-on initiative of the ASCO-American Association of Cancer Institute's Best Practices in Cancer Clinical Trials Initiative.

SEMINAL PAPER: ***American Society of Clinical Oncology statement on minimum standards and exemplary attributes of clinical trial sites***
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J Oncol Pract. 2011 Nov;7(6):e40-1

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Baer AR, Smith ML, Bendell JC
J Oncol Pract. 2011 Sep;7(5):334-7

A new look at informed consent for cancer clinical trials
Baer AR, Good M, Schapira L
J Oncol Pract. 2011 Jul;7(4):267-70

The clinical research team
Baer AR, Zon R, Devine S, Lyss AP
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Cost-neutral clinical research enterprise
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Quality assurance and educational standards for clinical trial sites
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Good clinical practice research guidelines reviewed, emphasis given to responsibilities of investigators: second article in a series
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ASCO outlines minimum standards and exemplary attributes for research sites: previews tools to be provided
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American Society of Clinical Oncology policy statement: oversight of clinical research
American Society of Clinical Oncology
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