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.

**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](http://workload.asco.org/)

**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](http://myconnection.asco.org/rcf)

**American Society of Clinical Oncology: Clinical Trial Workload Assessment Tool.** Released Oct 2014.

**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.


*This initiative includes recommendations for expanding specific eligibility criteria, which are available for reference on [asco.org](http://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.
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**Cancer genomics: conducting exemplary trials with biospecimen and biomarker components**
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