University of Cincinnati College of Medicine Office of Research

News for the week of February 3, 2020

NIH Assisted Referral Tool.
Have you ever wondered if you're sending your grant application to the most appropriate NIH study section? The Assisted Referral Tools (ART) was developed by the NIH Center for Scientific Review to provide recommendations. Paste in your title and abstract, and ART will use natural language processing and large-scale machine learning technology to make recommendations. Check out the resource today: https://art.csr.nih.gov/ART/selection.jsp

Team Science Workshop: Five Dysfunctions of a Team.
Attend a Team Science workshop: Five Dysfunctions of a Team: Symptoms of Team Dysfunction and Interventions to Address Dysfunction, presented by the CCTST Center for Improvement Science on Friday, February 28th from 10:00am-12:00 PM in the Health Science Building, Rm G10. Speakers include Jack Kues, PhD, and Rebecca Lee, PhD, RN. Attendees will understand the functions of a team; apply tools to assess the functional levels of a team; assess the need for, and value of, interventions to address team dysfunctions; and describe various types of interventions based on level of dysfunction. For more information, please contact Jackie Knapke at Jackie.Knapke@uc.edu. Register for the Five Dysfunctions of a Team workshop at: https://redcap.research.cchmc.org/surveys/?s=3Y97JMXT3P.

UC Health Office of Clinical Research Education Opportunity.
At the next First Friday talk on February 7th in MSB E864 at 9:00 am, Dr. Michael Linke, of the UC IRB, will present on Exception from Informed Consent (EFIC), how it is used for emergency research, and what to consider when planning to use EFIC for your research studies. For more information, please contact Nate Harris at Nate.Harris@uchealth.com.

Did You Know: Email Encryption.
UC policy dictates email being sent to individuals or organizations outside of UC’s system that contains personal health information (HIPAA) data, personally identifiable information or any other restricted data must be encrypted (per UC Data Governance and Classification Policy 9.1.1.B). The UC email system is capable of encrypting outgoing email but, this feature is not automatic. The easiest way to encrypt an outgoing email is to type the word encrypt in the subject line. For more email encryption information please reference this Knowledgebase article: https://kb.uc.edu/KBArticles/Office365-EmailEncryption.aspx

Content to submit? Click here: https://redcap.research.cchmc.org/surveys/?s=3CX994Y34W

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CORES - Notifications of new technologies in existing Cores, establishment of new Cores and instrumentation, calls for collaboration on instrumentation grants, information about Core offerings, and highlights of research facilitated by Core.

EDUCATION - Trainees successes/achievements and innovations and improvements in education facilities and resources related to research.

CULTURE - Activities or opportunities that reward, recognize, inspire collaboration, and support our research faculty, trainees, students, and staff.