

To provide consistent messaging and respond to questions and concerns about clinical and translational research during the COVID-19 outbreak, the CTSC has established a Tiger Team. This small team will primarily focus on clinical research, coordinate with the UC Davis Office of Research and Primate Center and reach out to individual subject matter experts as needed. The Tiger Team will serve as a key institutional resource to collect questions, develop communication, and share information regarding best practices for research in a frequently changing environment.

The Tiger Team will:

- Develop, coordinate, and share consistent messaging around clinical research efforts, such as best practices for CRCs, Research Nurses, and other staff.
- Coordinate and connect investigators/staff/protocols addressing COVID-19 research with resources.
- Serve as an advisory council for CAOs, investigators, and staff on issues related to the conduct of research under pandemic conditions.
- Provide strategic guidance to the School of Medicine Dean's office on issues related to clinical research.
- Coordinate with other UC medical centers on clinical research issues.
- Monitor and communicate guidance and policies originating from external regulatory agencies (e.g., FDA, NIH).

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We will leverage our team's subject matter expertise to respond to the institutional need and work collectively to advance the mission and help relieve the burden on individuals.

For URGENT guidance on clinical research questions, please contact Chris Kain, or Daniel Nishijima/Ted Wun on TigerText.

Please direct general questions to Kitty Lombardo.