

Introduction to Clinical Research

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Collaboration via CTMS

An overview of the OnCore Clinical Trials Management System

Learning Objectives

Describe two ways in which OnCore can be utilized as a collaboration tool

List three components of protocol management

Name two ways OnCore can enhance communication with the institutions

Agenda

- What is a CTMS?
- What data is currently tracked in the CTMS?
- Opportunities for Collaboration within study teams
- Opportunities for enhanced communication with institutions
- Future CTMS expansion
- Questions



What is a CTMS?

- CTMS = Clinical Trial Management System = OnCore at UW/FH/SCCA
- CTMS is a standardized workflow and operational data management system designed to centralize, manage, and provide insight into all research-related activities at an institution including:
 - Reporting:
 - Cancer Center Support Grant (CCSG)
 - Clinical Trials Reporting Program (CTRP)
 - ITHS Metrics
 - Leadership: Department, Division, Study Group, etc.
 - Electronic Health Record (Epic) Integration
 - Committee Management Cancer Consortium Scientific Review Committee
 - Clinical Research Workflow Protocol Startup and Amendments
 - Operational Data Tracking and Management

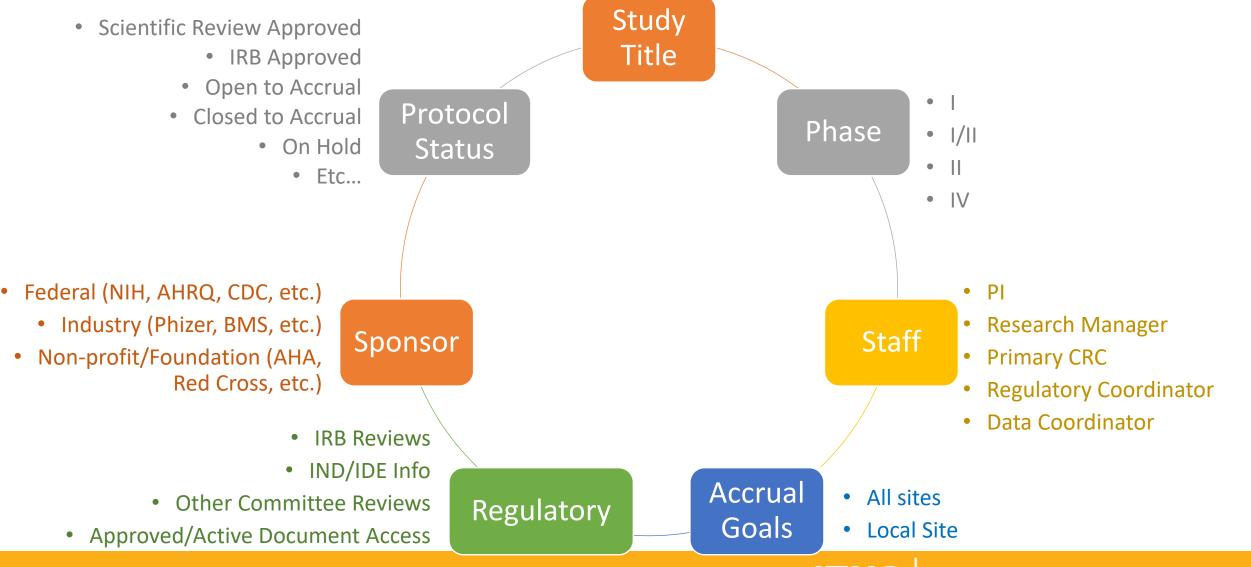


Information Currently Tracked in CTMS

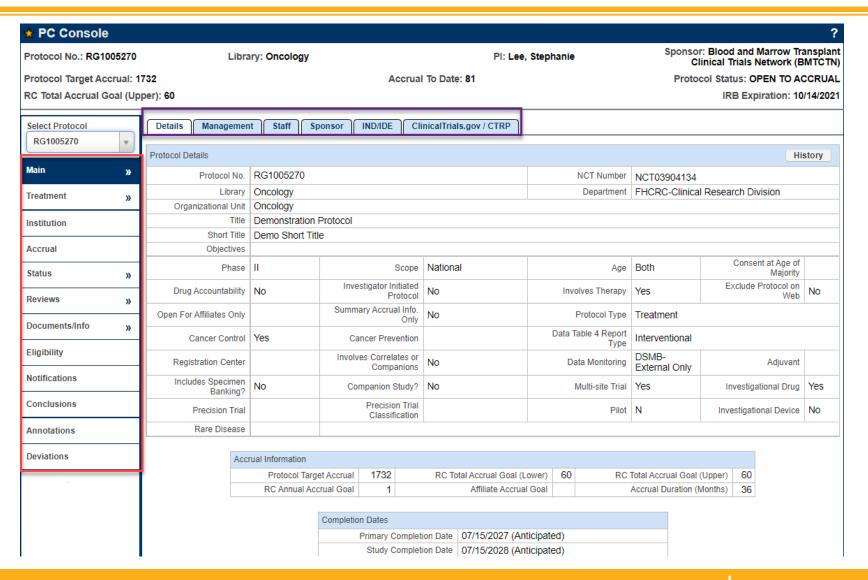
Oncology and FH non-oncology protocols



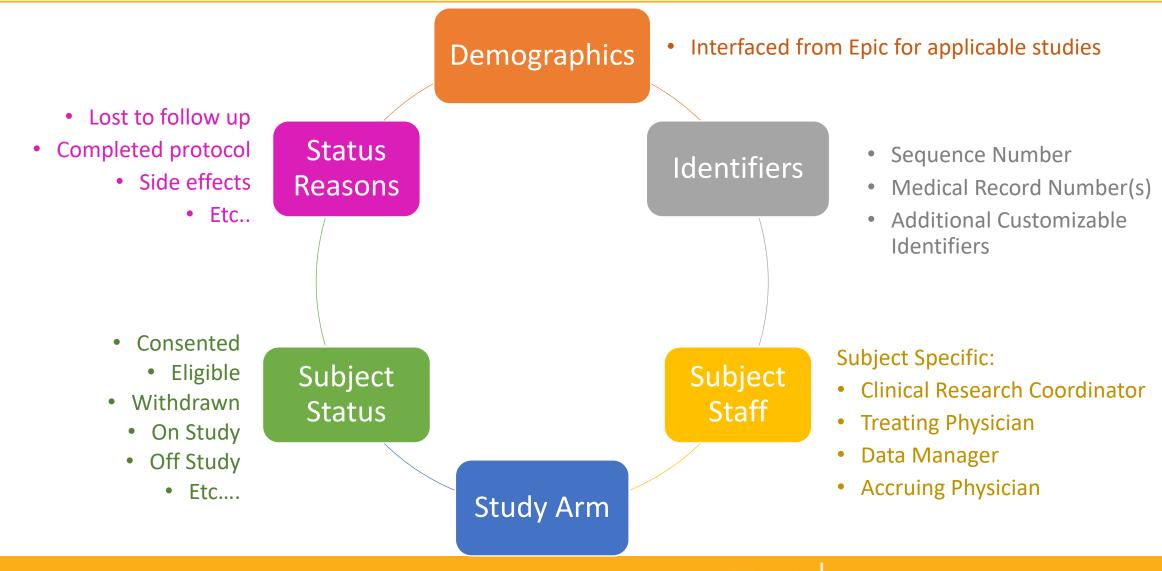
CTMS Protocol Data



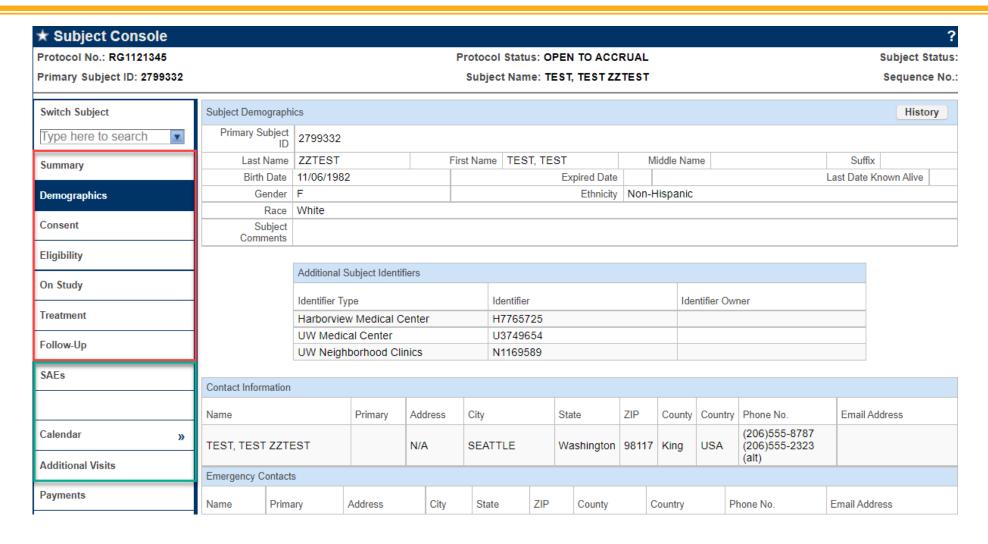
OnCore PC Console



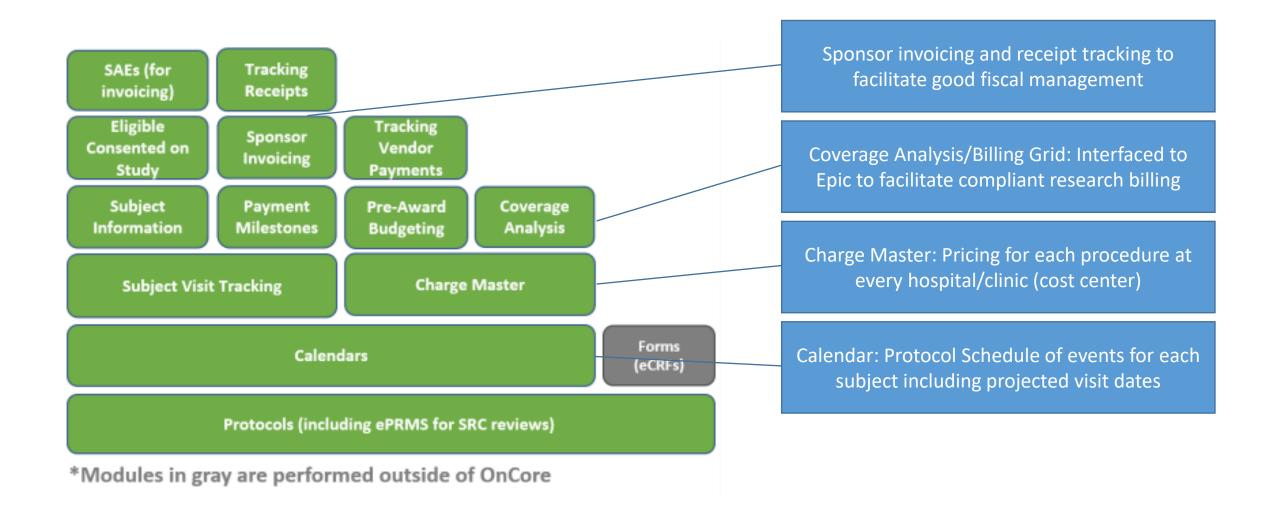
CTMS Subject Data



OnCore Subject Console



CTMS Financial and Coverage Analysis Data- Coming September 2021!



How is OnCore data used?

Examples of how OnCore data is used:

- Protocol and accrual data is used for reporting requirements for the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Cancer Center Support Grant (CCSG)
- Subject study registration and status is sent to Epic for automatic subject association to support research billing review
- Protocol data supports study start-up processes & ongoing monitoring (e.g., SRC Review, low accrual monitoring)
- Dates from processes and tasks are used to visualize study startup metrics



Who has access to OnCore?

Institutional Offices:

- UW Clinical Trials Office/Clinical Research Budget & Billing (CRBB)
- Epic Research Billing Teams (UW and SCCA)
- FH Clinical Research Support (CRS)
- Cancer Consortium Scientific Review Committee (SRC)
- SCCA Clinical Research Business Office (CRBO)

Hospital Staff:

- Pharmacists
- Clinic Staff
- Ancillary Staff

Individuals/Study Teams:

- Principal Investigators
- Research Managers
- Study/Research Coordinators
- Data Managers
- Biostatisticians
- SRC Reviewers
- Regulatory Coordinators/Managers
- Directors and VP's
- Research Scientists
- Project Managers
- Research Nurses

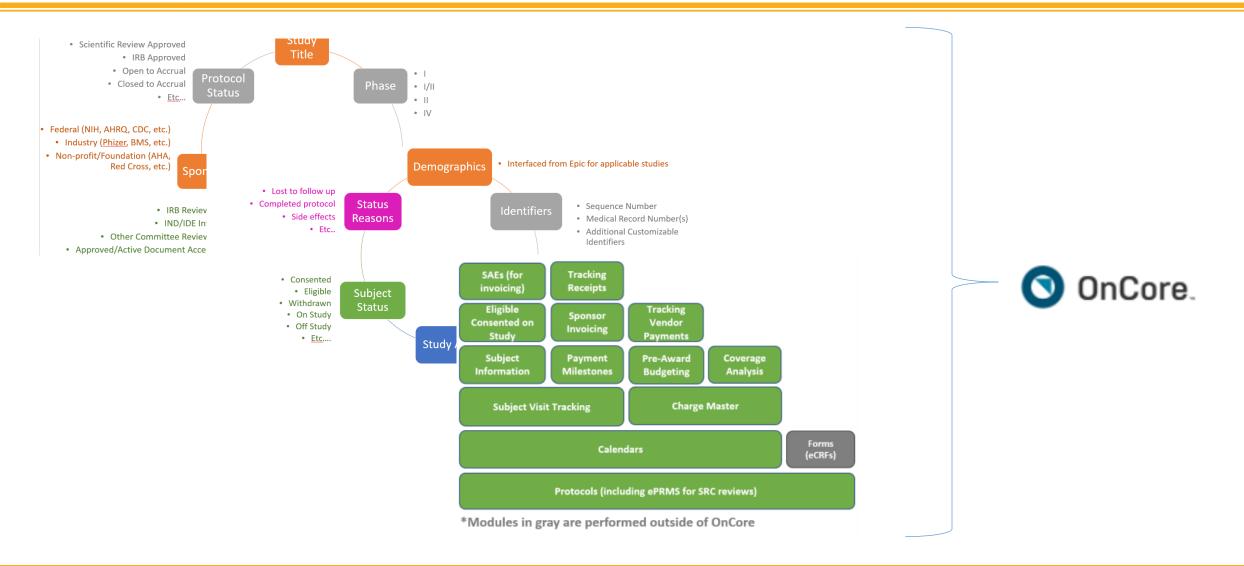
Collaboration within the study team

Poll

How big is your study team?

- A. I'm a team of one (PI fills all roles)
- B. We are a team of 2-3 members (PI plus 1-2 study staff)
- C. We a larger team of a 4+ members (PI plus 3 or more study staff)
- D. I use the ITHS coordinators to help my study team

Extensive data in one location paves the way for collaboration



Collaboration within a study team - Scenario 1

- Study receives IRB Initial Approval and is ready to open the protocol to accrual
 - Other study members need to perform next steps
 - CTMS Office performs Open to Accrual with study team go-ahead

Regulatory Coordinator

Budget Manager Research Manager CTMS Office Open to accrual

- Enters IRB
 Initial Approval
 in OnCore
- Automatic notification triggered to specific study staff to trigger next steps
- Sends IRB
 Review invoice
 to sponsor
 when item
 automatically
 appears in
 finance
 console
- Completes required OnCore fields which triggers report for CMTS office to open to accrual
- Receives auto generated report and opens study
- Automatic
 Notification to
 specific study
 staff, clinics,
 institutional
 offices and
 Epic when
 study is open

Collaboration within a study team – Scenario 2

- PI Requests status report of all studies where she is a PI or sub investigator
 - Include subject statuses
 - Number of subjects 'On Study'
 - Information about the protocols: Protocol Type, Phase, Sponsor, etc.
 - Due: Tomorrow!



Collaboration within a study team – Scenario 3

- Each time a subject is consented the study team emails the biostatistician for randomization and arm assignment
- Information to be included: Subject name, consent date, PI name, Study Title
- Timing: Within 1 business day of signing consent form

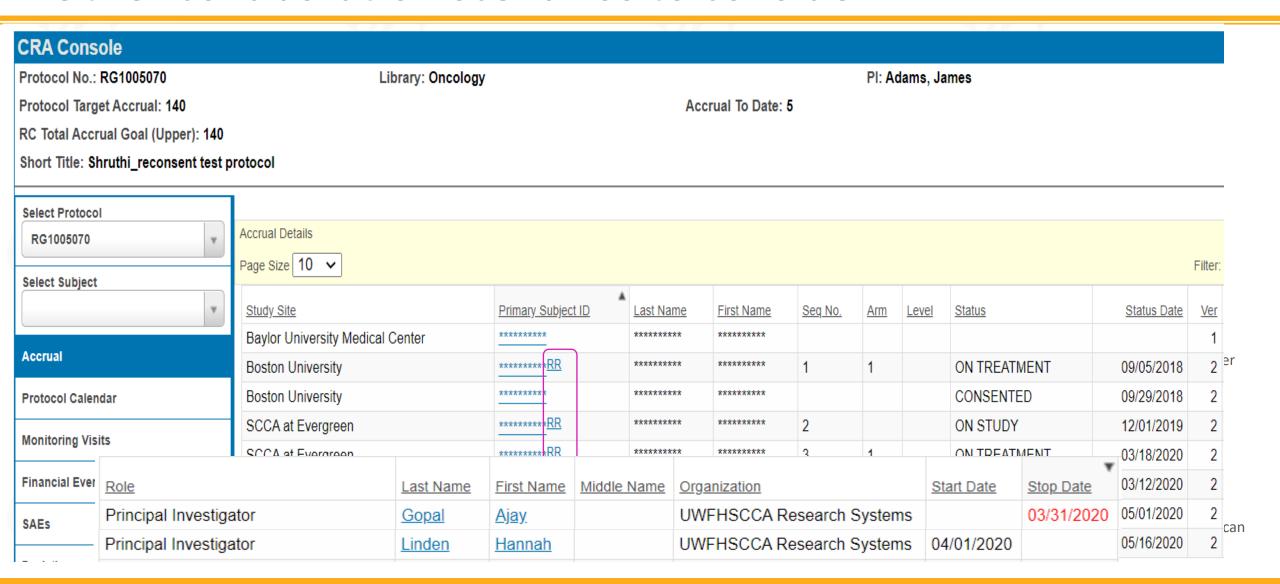
Clinical Research
Coordinator

Enters Consent information

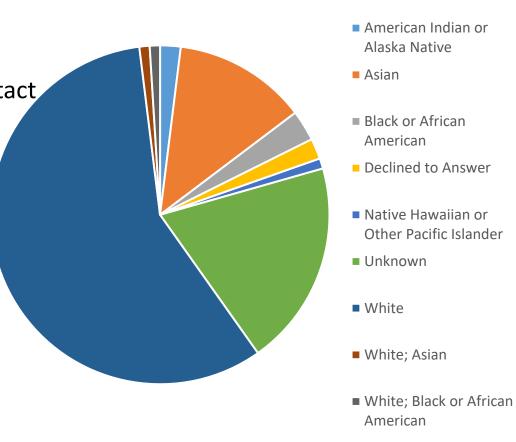
Notification

 Automatic notification sent to Biostatistician Biostatistician

 Uploads randomization output to subject console documents

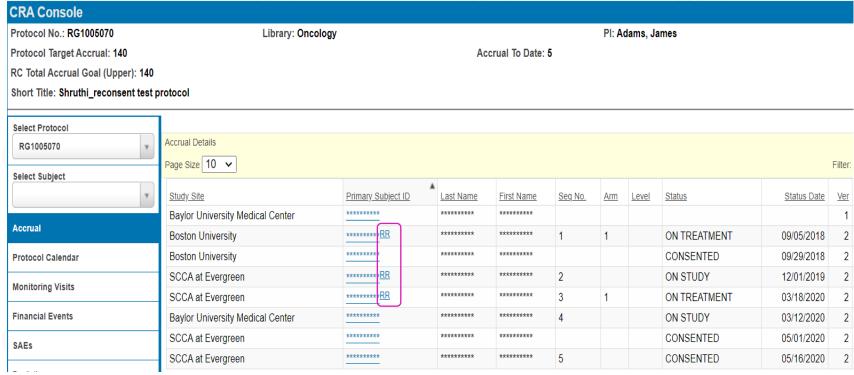


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- Track protocol staff roles, start & end dates
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- Last Name First Name Middle Name Organization Start Date Stop Date Monitor: Principal Investigator Gopal Ajay. **UWFHSCCA Research Systems** 03/31/2020 volumes | Principal Investigator **UWFHSCCA Research Systems** 04/01/2020 Linden Hannah
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How can OnCore CTMS enhance communication with hospitals and institutions?

Poll

How many institutions and clinics does a typical protocol involve within your study team?

- A. Single Institution, One clinic
- B. Single Institution, Multiple Clinics
- C. Multiple Institutions, Multiple Clinics

Communication with Institutions – Scenario 1

protocol info and

status change

reason)

- During study startup a worldwide pandemic disrupts financing for a new protocol. Sponsor tells study teams to pause all startup activity pending resolution.
- Study Team must notify institutions that study startup is on hold

Research Manager Notification Institutions **Notification** Staff Change Off Hold Updates Study Automated Update Following open Status in OnCore notification is notification sent to accrual the processes to reflect hold to 'ON HOLD' when startup billing contact sent to changes. Staff institution status resumes Status includes a changes in offices to change reason OnCore are sent communicate and comments hold status to the billing offices (includes

automatically.

Communication with Institutions – Scenario 2



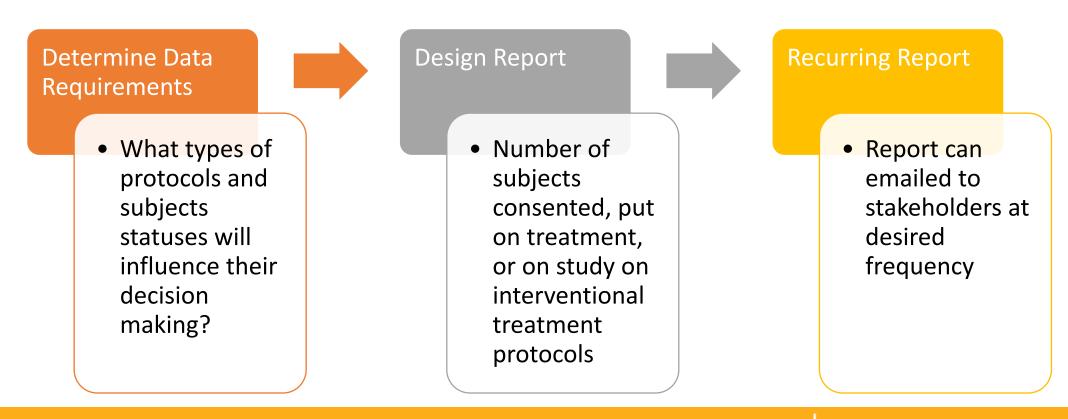


New funding opportunity released for clinical research infrastructure

Required in the funding application is a report of *institution level* data on previous trial success, enrollment breadth, etc. of a similar population

Communication with Institutions – Scenario 3

• A worldwide pandemic causes hospitals to divert resources to caring for the pandemic patients. Clinics must reevaluate staffing and supply resources frequently to determine capacity.



Takeaway

- OnCore is a centralized tool which is accessible to clinical trial staff and administrative staff across teams and institutions.
- Information entered in OnCore can be viewed directly in OnCore or automatically delivered via email report.
- Administrative teams have updated their processes to get data from OnCore instead of via reach out to study teams, where possible.
- Where possible, OnCore and the CTMS Program Office act as a link between study teams, administrative offices, and data consumers to enhance collaboration and communication across the clinical research enterprise.

Future CTMS Expansion

T3 – Target 3 implementation (September 2021)

Scope Expansion

- Currently: Cancer consortium research and FH non-oncology protocols and subjects
- September 2021: UW Non Oncology protocols with Epic Billable procedures will start to transition

Calendar and Financial Functions

- Protocols calendars will be built based on schedule of events
- Financial information linked to calendar, budgeting and invoicing functions
- Medicare coverage analysis built in CTMS and sent to Epic
- Epic and UW Research Office will route charges based on coverage analysis



