




April 24, 2024

# TRENDING IN TRIALS

Essential Information for Principal Investigators at UAB

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-  **Ensuring Consent is Truly Informed - Experience ACTION Learning Firsthand** | Explore the intricacies of informed consent with engaging, actor-driven scenarios that illuminate effective communication strategies. Designed for anyone involved in participant interaction (e.g., recruitment, consent, research visits), this unique workshop offers insights into recognizing participant cues and employing techniques like "Teach Back" and "Chunk and Check" to guarantee understanding. **In-person event, April 29, 1-2pm. [More info](#), [register now](#).**
  
-  **Clinical Trials Week is May 20-24!** | Join us for [Clinical Trials Week](#), beginning with our in-person Clinical Trials Day event on May 20th at the Wallace Tumor Institute—complete with breakfast for those who [RSVP](#) and giveaways. Continue the celebration and participate virtually in diverse events throughout the week to support and highlight our community's dedication to advancing medical research. [Read more about the week's activities and RSVP here](#).
  
-  **Team Building Essential: Research Orientation Program (ROP) for those new to clinical research roles** | This one-session, high-level overview of how to implement a sponsored or investigator-initiated clinical study is ideal for young investigators and research staff who are new to clinical research. Want a refresher course? ROP emphasizes key aspects of a clinical trial. Completion of pretest and video, sent after registration closes, will be mandatory prior to the live program. **May 16, 9am-12:30pm via Zoom. [Register by May 10th](#).**

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***Thank you for reading!***

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