Ethical and Regulatory Aspects of Clinical Research (Asynchronous/Online)

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Module 1: Introduction to the Ethical Conduct of Research		
1	Framework for the Ethical Conduct of Research	Christine Grady, RN, PhD
2	History of Research Ethics	Susan E. Lederer, PhD
3	Institutional Review Boards	Holly Taylor, PhD, MPH
Module 2: Informed Consent		
1	Informed Consent	Christine Grady, RN, PhD
2	Research Involving Persons at Risk for Impaired	Scott Kim, MD, PhD
	Decision-Making	
3	Capacity to Provide Informed Consent in Research	Carol Squires, MSSW, LCSW
4	Nuts and Bolts of Consent	Holly Taylor, PhD, MPH
Module 3: Study Design, Value, & Children in Research		
1	Introduction to Study Design	Holly Taylor, PhD, MPH
2	Risk-Benefit Assessment in Clinical Research	David Wendler, PhD
3	Ethical Inclusion of Children in Research	Seema Shah, JD
Module 4: Equity, Subject Selection, & Recruitment		
1	Equity in Clinical Research	Yukiko Asada, PhD
2	Participant Selection	Holly Taylor, PhD, MPH
3	Recruitment and Retention	Aisha T. Langford, PhD, MPH, FSBM
Module 5: Genomic Findings		
1	Ethics in Returning Genomic Research Results	Ben Berkman, JD, MPH
2	Outcomes Associated with Opportunistic Screening for	Julie Sapp, ScM, CGC
_	Secondary Findings	
3	Genetics and Inclusion of Indigenous Populations	Katrina Claw, PhD
Module 6: Participant Experience		
1	Healthy Participants in Clinical Trials	Jill Fisher, PhD
2	Enrollment of Uninsured Patients in Clinical Research: Case Discussion	Holly Taylor, PhD, MPH
3	Participant Panel	Various speakers
Module 7: International Research Ethics		
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1	International Research Ethics: Introduction & Standards of Care	Robert Steel, PhD
2	Post-trial Obligations	Joseph Millum, PhD, MSc
3	Community Engagement in Health Research	Dorcas Kamuya, PhD, MSc

Italicized names are for non-NIH guest lecturers.

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