

Micro Course Monday – Clinical & Rural Health Research in the North Country

Clinical research is a branch of healthcare that systematically and scientifically assesses new drugs, devices, and treatment regimens for safety and effectiveness in volunteer participants. Pharmaceutical and device companies partner with health systems throughout the nation and world, to execute the same research protocol in multiple locations, resulting in standardized data that can help the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) determine if the new treatment should be approved for use in a medical setting. Each clinical trial has a strict protocol that specifies which patients can be included in a trial and outlines every detail of the study, including the schedule of study appointments, the dosage of the investigational drug, and the tests and procedures that will be completed.

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