



## CITI Offers More Than Basics in Responsible Conduct of Research

Did you know there are more than the required human subjects protection courses available online through the **Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)**? UTMB is one of over 1130 institutions and facilities from around the world that participate in CITI. The large membership prompts CITI completion certificates to be well-recognized across institutions. As an institutional member, any UTMB employee or student has access to optional CITI offerings. ***Once the employee/student completes all assigned mandatory modules, he/she may self-select from a wide range of optional offerings based on need.***

The CITI Program, co-founded by Karen Hansen and Paul Braunschweiger Ph.D, is now in its 10th iteration. A variety of optional modules include topics on ethics, vulnerable populations, risk-assessment, HIPAA, and many more. There is also a Good Clinical Practices certificate available if a candidate completes all of the modules in the series.

### Good Clinical Practice Course

- GCP Introduction
- Overview of New Drug Development
- International Conference on Harmonization (ICH) – 2 Parts
- FDA Regulated Research and ICH
- Conducting Investigator-Initiated Studies According to FDA Regulations and GCP
- Managing Investigational Agents According to GCP Requirements
- Conducting Clinical Trials of Medical Devices
- Informed Consent: An Ongoing Process
- Detection and Evaluation of Adverse Events
- Reporting Serious Adverse Events
- Monitoring of Clinical Trials by Industry Sponsors
- Audits and Inspections in Clinical Trial

Some of the courses can be taken in conjunction with other coursework to meet responsible conduct of research requirements.

### Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) Courses

- Biomedical Research Focus
- Social, Education, Behavioral Research Focus
- Physical Sciences Research Focus
- Scholarly Activities in The Humanities Focus
- RCR for Engineers
- RCR for Science Administrators
- Bio-Safety and Bio-Security

A multi-language course site, with materials in Spanish, Portuguese, French, Chinese, Thai, Japanese and Russian languages is now available for international participants. Additional Non-English content is being added every year. For more information about CITI courses, please visit:

<https://www.citiprogram.org>