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Studies of the Month:

Child and Teen Anxiety Study

For Children and Teens 8-17

What
A study to determine the effectiveness and side effects of a medication called sertraline in children and teenagers with anxiety.

Who
Children and adolescents 8-17 years old with anxiety.

Pay
Participants will receive payment for time and travel for each completed study visit. All study visits tests, procedures and medication will be provided at no cost to participants.

Details
For more information, contact Ashley Specht at 513-558-2868 or email huckabam@uc.edu or Heidi Schroeder at 513-558-4422 or email heysehk@uc.edu.

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16-21 IRB # 2019-0642
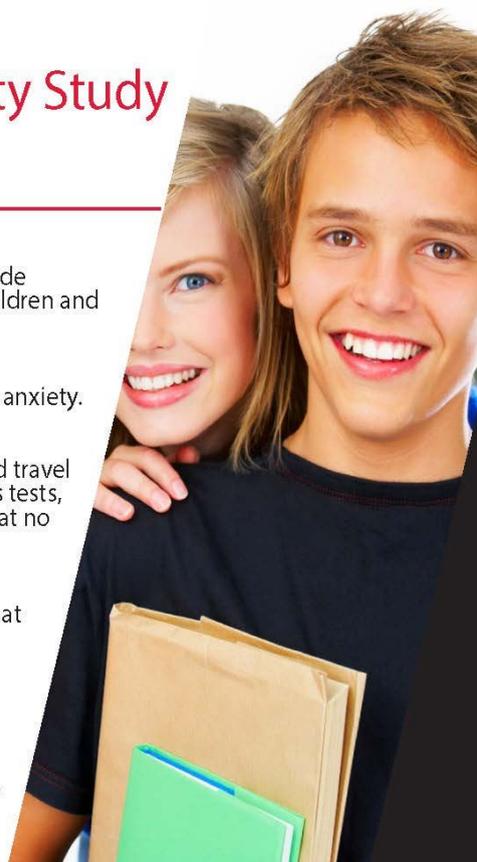
Do you have Depression with Sleep Problems?

Are you currently taking an antidepressant?

What
A research study to evaluate the safety and effectiveness of an investigational medicine in people who have depression with sleep problems.

Who
Adults 18-74 with depression who are currently taking an antidepressant medication, and are experiencing difficulty falling asleep or staying asleep, or do not feel rested the next day.

Pay
Participants will be paid $52 per visit for time and travel costs related to the study.

Details
For more information, contact Emily Rummelhoff at (513) 558-4295 or Emily.rummelhoff@uc.edu.

UC Health.

23-21 IRB # 2020-0595

New to the UC OCR Team!

Adam Alexander joined the UC Office of Clinical Research team on March 7, 2022 as our Operations specialist. Prior to joining the team, Adam received graduate education in Health Services Administration from Xavier University and has developed diverse experience and skillsets. He enjoys coaching soccer in his free time. Please join our team in welcoming Adam to the UC Health family!

UC SRS Grants and Contracts Team Updates:

On behalf of the UC SRS Grants and Contracts team, it is our pleasure to announce the addition of Bridget Kellner and Alex Valdes to the clinical research contracts team and look forward to working with these new team members as well as with Eileen O'Shaughnessy. They will be fully staffed by mid-March and though all three contract administrators have CTA negotiation experience, the team will need some additional time to reach 100% productivity. We appreciate your patience with the transition and we all wish Stuart Engel the best in his new endeavors.

W-9 Update:

UC will no longer require W-9s be collected from industry sponsors paying UC to conduct clinical trials. If UC will be paying an external entity, a W-9 will still need to be collected from the external entity. This change will help streamline operations and help ensure continued alignment with IRS requirements.

High Enroll:

We are currently negotiating a master agreement between UC and High Enroll to ensure all UC studies fall under the UC contracting process. UC studies should go through the correct UC invoicing/payment process and we do not expect any additional UC Health invoicing to occur for High Enroll studies, as all UC Health studies should have already been uploaded to High Enroll. Please contact Maria Stivers with questions.

UC Health Laboratory:
Ordering Research Draws:

Effective immediately, any blood collection for research purposes that is to involve UC Health Laboratory materials or personnel (including collections with study kits/tubes that are sent to the sponsor laboratory) must be ordered in Epic using the "**Research Draw, EPIC : LAB4897**" test code. This order is required as a patient safety measure to document the blood collection at a UC Health facility and to ensure that the laboratory is appropriately compensated for the service provided.

At this point, there will be a $3 charge associated with the research blood collection, but rates may increase in the future as ancillary research service fee schedules are evaluated.

This announcement does not apply to instances where additional blood is being collected for research during a standard of care draw. This lab order also does not apply to the inpatient setting.

Without this Research Draw order placed by the study team, the laboratory personnel are not allowed to perform the blood collection service and have been instructed to communicate this message to study personnel. Thank you in advance for your corporation. Please feel free to reach out to the Office of Clinical Research with any questions or concerns.

Scanning of Patient Specific Research Information into EPIC:

Please keep in mind that when a patient consents to participate in a research study, a copy of the of the signed informed consent form (ICF) document MUST be scanned into the patient/subject's EPIC medical record.

Other information that could be useful for clinical staff entering the subject's medical record - such as the protocol, or other miscellaneous information - should also be scanned in to the subject's medical record when applicable.

Barcoded labels which identify the type of document being scanned (Consent, Protocol, or Miscellaneous), and help to properly store scanned document electronically in EPIC, are required to be placed only on the first page of the document being scanned. These barcoded labels are available from the Office of Clinical Research.

For more information on how to obtain barcoded labels, scanning documents into the medical record, and a full description of this process, please refer to the following SOP: **UCH-OCR-DOC-SOP-002: Scanning of Patient Specific Research Information into EPIC-06**

All OCR Policies and SOPs are accessible from the UC Health intranet home page using the policy portal search function, or at the following link:

Save the Date:
5th Annual UC Gardner Neuroscience Institute (UCGNI)/Neurobiology Research Center (NRC) Neuroscience Research Day:

Please mark your calendars for the 5th Annual University of Cincinnati Gardner Neuroscience Institute (UCGNI)/Neurobiology Research Center (NRC) Neuroscience Research Day which will be held within a virtual conference environment on April 12, 2022!

The UCGNI/NRC Neuroscience Research Day features platform presentations from all fields within the neurosciences across UC starting at 8:30AM. We will be hosting an invited keynote speaker at 12PM and the Day will be capped by an awards ceremony at 1PM during which we will announce 1st and 2nd prize peer reviewed winners for each level of training. Prize money will be awarded to the winners in each category!

Further details on poster/abstract submissions will be announced shortly. We look forward to your participation! Please feel free to contact Dr. Brandon Foreman with any questions.

How to Voluntarily Submit Proof of COVID-19 Booster Dose:

A COVID-19 booster dose can offer added protection against COVID-19, particularly the Omicron variant, and maximize ongoing protection against infection. You should schedule your booster at least 5 months after completing your primary COVID-19 vaccination series.

If you've received your COVID-19 booster dose, let the University of Cincinnati know. Students, faculty and staff can voluntarily submit proof of their booster by emailing the following information to uccovidcheck@ucmail.uc.edu:

- Name
- Brand/type of booster dose (eg - Pfizer or Moderna)
- Date you received booster dose

Still need to get your booster dose? Click here to learn about locations and providers offering booster doses.

Upcoming Events:

Lunch & Learn: 3/17/2022
12:00 - 1:00 pm
Virtual Meeting
Gender Diversity & Inclusion: Microaggressions in the Workplace
Part II

Clinical Research Managers Meeting: 3/25/2022
9:30 - 10:30 am
Virtual Meeting

Resources For Our Research Community:

UC OCR Bearcats Landing Site

New site!

Welcome to the family:
Office of
Clinical Research

MY
BEARCATS
LANDING

We are excited to announce the launch of the UC Office of Clinical Research site on Bearcats Landing! The goal of this site is to serve as a centralized resource for the entire clinical research community. Use our new site as a way to learn about UC OCR news and events, access tools and services, and much more!

Bearcats Landing, UC's new faculty/staff only intranet, was launched in 2019 providing an online resource that will enable internal communication, empower collaboration, and unify our digital workspace. Visit Bearcats Landing by entering my.uc.edu into your web browser (UC login required).

If you have questions about Bearcats Landing, please visit the Bearcats Landing FAQ page.

Increase Awareness of Your Clinical Trials with HighEnroll

HIGH ENROLL

The High Enroll App is available to assist your recruitment efforts. Would you like to have more clinicians looking for potential subjects? Would you like to share information about your studies with colleagues inside and outside of UC? The High Enroll mobile app is available to solve recruitment problems such as these. This tool allows your entire recruiting portfolio of studies to always be updated and available on the phone of everyone who is involved in patient care. A trial summary, inclusion and exclusion criteria, other pertinent study information, and a "one-touch" contact button for the primary research coordinator is available for each study loaded onto the platform.

The app is available for any healthcare provider to download by scanning the QR code above or by searching High Enroll, LLC on the App Store or Google Play

Download the app today and earn Starbucks credits when you create your account!!!!

For more information on how to get your studies on the app, please reach out to Ginger Conway at 859-992-5339 or gaconway@highenroll.org.

Access and Authorizations:
Updated Appendix A

Click here for an updated Appendix A for the Access and Authorizations process. Appendix B and Appendix D remain the same. The process continues to be the same, but all researchers, volunteer or paid, should use the newly updated Appendix A. Please reach out to Research-Credential@uchealth.com with any questions.

GreenPhire ClinCard Training Video

Greenphire has developed a ClinCard Training Video for new users. The video link will be added to the REDCap request form as well as the OCR SharePoint site. We hope this video will be helpful when onboarding new users and serve as a valuable resource for current users. If you have any questions, please contact UCH-Greenphire@uchealth.com.

CCTST Online Educational Library, CTROnline

CTRonline offers an array of clinical and translational research training modules and event recordings. All videos are free and open to any learner looking for a brief introduction to (or a refresher on) specific research topics.

ResearchMatch Online Training
Thursday, March 10, 2022
2:00-3:00 PM

ResearchMatch offers free, online training for anyone in the research community interested in learning how to use ResearchMatch as a recruitment tool. This training will teach you how to get started and will share tips for ensuring that your experience with ResearchMatch is successful, including defining your demographics and key terms.

Register here: ResearchMatch Researcher Training.

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Join the Mailing List:

We have moved our mailing list to an electronic system. New staff or faculty that wish to join the mailing list can now click the button here or on the OCR website to join.

If you received this newsletter, you are already on the list. No need to re-join, but we encourage you to share with your colleagues, especially those new to UC Health and UC.

Sign up to receive communications from the UC Health Office of Clinical Research on the topics of new SOPs, education sessions, news, events and information geared towards the UC/UCH Research Professionals community.

Click Here to Join the Mailing List

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