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Purpose: AbSPORU Support Application for Resident Research Course

The <u>Clinical Research Unit (CRU)</u> is a core faculty resource of the Cumming School of Medicine and provides end-to-end research data support services. Our mission is to simplify and demystify research data processes from collection to analysis to translation. The CRU is pleased to support resident research projects via AbSPORU funds.

Support Available via the CRU:

- **Electronic Data Capture (EDC)**: We are the University of Calgary's exclusive access point for REDCap, a leading EDC tool. Our "quality-by-design" build services translate protocols and CRFs into a sophisticated yet simple database to collect participant data.
- **Custom Platforms**: When existing tools do not meet needs, we can develop custom tools that are tailor-made to meet a study's unique needs.
- **Methods and Analytics**: Tackle the complexity of data with ease. Our team of expert biostatisticians and data scientists can support study setups, randomization, data linkage, data cleaning, and statistical analysis.

Application Instructions: To access CRU support, AbSPORU funds are available up to \$2,000 per project. Please complete an AbSPORU Service Application form, per the following.

- In section 14, please mention that you are looking for support from the CRU and describe the support requested. Please reach out to Tracy Wang (<u>tracy.wang1@ucalgary.ca</u>) if you require assistance completing this section.
 - a. ***Please leave all boxes unchecked.***



- 2. Please send the completed form to Tracy (tracy.wang1@ucalgary.ca) for review.
- 3. Once Tracy approves, please submit the form to AbSPORU (absporu@albertainnovates.ca).

If your project is approved, you will receive a Commitment Letter from the CRU on behalf of AbSPORU. Once approved, please complete the CRU's <u>intake form</u> and someone from our team will reach out to schedule an intake meeting and scope the services required.

AbSPORU Application Form: https://absporu.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/AbSPORU-Service-Request-Form_01DEC2021_FINAL.pdf