

2024 Healthcare Research Compliance Academies

Explore emerging research compliance risks and solutions to increase the effectiveness of your institution's compliance program

Nashville, TN • Mar 11–14

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PLUS: Sit for the CHRC exam!

Demonstrate your expertise and enhance your career—take the optional Certified in Healthcare Research Compliance (CHRC)[®] exam offered by the Compliance Certification Board (CCB)[®] at the conclusion of the Academy.



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About our Academies

HCCA's Healthcare Research Compliance Academy is a three-and-a-half-day intensive training program designed to help attendees increase their ability to manage effective research compliance programs. Our faculty provides guidance and insights on many areas that affect research compliance professionals on a day-to-day basis, including emerging risks and solutions. Unlike larger events, the Healthcare Research Compliance Academy offers attendees a classroom-style, hands-on approach to learning that encourages small-group interactions and networking opportunities. Seats are limited to allow no more than 75 participants per Academy.

Who should attend?

Our Academies are designed for participants with basic knowledge of and professional experience in healthcare research compliance.

This includes:

- Chief compliance officers
- Compliance specialists
- Research auditors
- Clinical research compliance officers
- Research and compliance directors
- Compliance analysts
- Research coordinators

Why should you attend?

Kick-start your compliance program and head back to work with a wealth of new information and resources.

- Gain core healthcare research compliance knowledge
- Learn from faculty hand-selected for their expertise
- Network with other compliance professionals

- Earn live continuing education units (CEUs)
- Take the optional Certified in Healthcare Research Compliance (CHRC)[®] exam

Enrollment for each Academy is limited, ensuring personal interaction with our experts.

Course materials and takeaways

In addition to the knowledge you gain by attending, you also receive:

- All course materials (A binder will be provided on the first day of the Academy.)
- One-year online access to the *Research Compliance Professional's Handbook, 3rd Edition* (a \$225 value) (A link will be sent on the first day of the Academy to the email address in your HCCA account.)

HCCA's mission

HCCA exists to champion ethical practices and compliance standards in all organizations and to provide the necessary resources for compliance professionals and others who share these principles.

Contact Us

Please visit hcca-info.org to learn more about our Academies and HCCA's other programs.

Our faculty



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Retired Compliance Professional



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Principal,
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(Faculty subject to change.)

CHRC[®] Do you qualify? Become certified!

Certification can enhance your career and give you credibility with your organization and peers. Immediately following each Academy, we offer an optional Certified in Healthcare Research Compliance (CHRC)[®] exam. A separate application and fee submitted in advance directly to the Compliance Certification Board (CCB)[®] is required.

PLEASE NOTE: Although Academies can provide the CEUs you need to qualify, they are not a preparation class for the exam itself.

MONDAY

7:30–8:00 AM

Registration and Continental Breakfast (*provided*)

8:00–8:05 AM

Welcome/Introduction

8:05–9:50 AM

Research Compliance 101 — *Kelly Willenberg*

- A high level overview of key research compliance issues
- Human research protections, scientific misconduct, conflicts of interest, research billing, effort reporting, and more
- Integration of research compliance into the corporate compliance program

9:50–10:05 AM

Break

10:05–11:35 AM

Human Research Protections — *Ryan Meade*

- Overview of federal regulations governing investigators, institutions, IRBs
- Discussion of frequent trouble spots identified in determination letters and warnings and how they can be managed
- Interactive dissection of hypothetical scenarios and practical approaches managing thorny issues

11:35 AM–12:30 PM

Lunch (*provided*)

12:30–1:30 PM

Healthcare Compliance 101 — *Debbie Troklus*

- An overview of general compliance topics focusing on the elements of an effective compliance program
- The infrastructure of a compliance program
- The board's role in compliance

1:30–1:45 PM

Break

1:45–3:15 PM

FDA-Regulated Research — *Kristin West*

- Guidelines for determining whether research is regulated by FDA and, if so, by which component
- Institutional and investigator responsibilities in FDA-regulated research: FDA and industry expectations for compliance
- FDA inspections: What to expect and how to respond

3:15–3:30 PM

Break

3:30–4:45 PM

Managing Research Conflicts of Interest — *Jeffrey Driver*

- Identifying a potential conflict of interest that may introduce bias into the design, conduct, or reporting of research
- Determining when action needs to be taken, and what actions are necessary and appropriate for reduction, management, or elimination of the potential or actual conflict
- Action that can be taken to decrease the possibility of conflict of interest situations arising in the conduct of research

TUESDAY

8:00–8:30 AM

Continental Breakfast (*provided*)

8:30–9:45 AM

Scientific Misconduct — *Jeffrey Driver*

- Introduction to concepts of research misconduct: What it is and what it isn't
- Governing regulations
- Remedies and consequences

9:45–10:00 AM

Break

10:00–10:15 AM

Certified in Healthcare Research Compliance (CHRC)[®] Exam Information

10:15 AM–12:00 PM

Clinical Research Billing — *Ryan Meade*

- In-depth review of rules for billing payors for clinical research services
- Review a methodology for determining coverage of clinical research services
- Overview of a clinical research Medicare coverage analysis

12:00–1:00 PM

Lunch (*provided*)

1:00–2:00 PM

Clinical Research Billing (Continued) — *Ryan Meade*

- Review the impact of budgets and clinical trial agreements on billing compliance
- Examine language in informed consent forms that impact billing
- Discuss research billing coding

2:00–2:15 PM

Break

2:15–3:30 PM

Animal Research Regulation — *Kristin West*

- Overview of the main regulators/regulations in the animal research arena
- Working with institutional animal care and use committees, institutional officials, attending veterinarians, and other important players in animal research oversight
- Case analysis: Issuing, spotting, and applying pertinent regulations in animal research settings

3:30–3:45 PM

Break

3:45–5:00 PM

Research Documentation, GCP and GMP — *Joan Podleski*

- Understand what is the research record
- Differentiate the research record from the medical record
- Understand the basics of GCP and GMP documentation standards/guidelines

5:00–6:00 PM

Networking Reception

WEDNESDAY

7:30–8:00 AM

Continental Breakfast *(provided)*

8:00–9:30 AM

Conducting a Research Risk Assessment — *Dwight Claustre*

- What is a risk and what does it mean to assess it?
- Who needs to be involved in the process and why?
- Identifying the risk and conducting the assessment
- What do we do with the results?

9:30–9:45 AM

Break

9:45–11:00 AM

Auditing and Monitoring — *Kelly Willenberg*

- Key elements of a successful healthcare research auditing and monitoring plan
- How at least two key risk areas in healthcare research could be developed into auditing and monitoring tools
- How to optimize healthcare research tools provided to apply to their individual organizations

11:00–11:15 AM

Break

11:15 AM–12:30 PM

Grants Management — *Lisa Murtha*

- Discuss the basic requirements for grants management
- Determine how to identify compliance risks related to grants management
- Discuss the significant risk areas related to grants management
- Understand effective management practices for managing externally funded research programs

12:30–1:30 PM

Lunch *(provided)*

1:30–2:45 PM

Data and Safety Monitoring Issues — *Sarah Couture*

- Discuss the fundamentals of data and safety monitoring
- Understand a risk-based approach to the level of monitoring required for a study
- Describe the role of research compliance in data and safety monitoring

2:45–3:00 PM

Break

3:00–4:30 PM

Research Compliance Hot Topics & Watch List — *Lisa Murtha*

- Important research compliance issues and trends not otherwise covered in the Academy
- Overview of the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and UK Bribery Act as they impact international research and technology
- Applicable new laws, regulations, and enforcement trends related to the conduct of research

THURSDAY

7:30–8:00 AM

Continental Breakfast *(provided)*

8:00–9:30 AM

Conducting an Internal Research Investigation — *Dwight Claustre*

- Being prepared is a key to conducting a good investigation
- Where to look, what to look for, and how to find it
- Interviews (and guidelines for conducting them)

9:30–9:45 AM

Break

9:45–11:15 AM

Privacy and Security Issues in Research — *Joan Podleski*

- Overview of the basics of privacy and security in research
- Discussion of HIPAA privacy and security in research
- Discussion of FDA and other regulations that impact privacy and security in research

11:15 AM

Academy Ends *(boxed lunch provided)*

12:45 PM

CHRC Exam Check-In Time

1:00–4:00 PM

Exam Time — Certified in Healthcare Research Compliance (CHRC)[®] *(optional)*

The CHRC exam is optional. You must apply and pay for the exam separately from the Academy.

To apply online, visit: hcca-info.org/apply-exam.

PLEASE NOTE: If you are not present at the specified "Exam Check-in Time" as listed above, and as determined by the exam proctor, you will not be allowed to sit for the exam. Actual exam duration is 120 minutes, per the Candidate Handbook. The time range, listed at left, includes mandatory exam procedures and proctor instructions.

(Agenda subject to change.)

SECTION 1 Attendee Information

☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms ☐ Dr ☐ Other _____

First Name _____ MI _____ Last Name _____

Credentials (CHC, CCEP, etc.) _____ Job Title _____

Organization (name of employer) _____

Street Address _____ City/Town _____

State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____ Country _____

Work Phone _____ Email (required) _____

SECTION 2 Registration

Healthcare Research Compliance Academies

<input type="checkbox"/>	March 11–14, 2024 • Nashville, TN
<input type="checkbox"/>	September 9–12, 2024 • Las Vegas, NV

Registration FAQs: Visit hcca-info.org/faqs-academy for answers to frequently asked questions (FAQs) about your registration.

Dietary Needs Request

☐ Gluten Free ☐ Kosher Certified ☐ Lactose Intolerant ☐ No Red Meat/Pork ☐ Nut Allergy
☐ Shellfish/Seafood Allergy ☐ Vegan ☐ Vegetarian ☐ Other _____

On-site Attendee Mobile Phone (for emergency on-site use only) _____

Emergency Contact (name & phone) _____

Options

<input type="checkbox"/>	Member	\$2,750
<input type="checkbox"/>	Non-Member	\$3,250
<input type="checkbox"/>	Registration + First-Time Membership*	\$2,975

*Save by joining today (first-time members only). Dues renew at \$325.

Group Discount

<input type="checkbox"/>	Group Discount for 3–9**	(\$200)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Group Discount for 10 or More**	(\$400)

**Subtract the discount amount from your registration price.

TOTAL (BEFORE ANY APPLICABLE TAXES) \$ _____

Group Discount: Registration for group discounts should be submitted online in one transaction. If your registrations include a Registration + First-Time Membership, please contact Member Services for assistance. Note that discounts will not be applied retroactively if more registrants are added at a later date, but new registrants will receive the group discount. If submitting via email or mail, registration forms (one for each participant) must be sent together to ensure the discount is applied.

HCCA Membership: By selecting Registration + First-Time Membership, you agree to the full membership terms and conditions, including the use of your information, viewable at hcca-info.org/membership-terms-and-conditions. Visit hcca-info.org/privacy to see the full use of your information or to opt out.

Opt Out: Select if you would like to opt out of the following:

☐ Online Member Directory: HCCA's member directory lists first and last name, organization, title, address, and phone number.

SECTION 3 Payment

Register online with credit card payment at hcca-info.org/research-academies

Mail a check to HCCA, 6462 City West Parkway, Eden Prairie, MN 55344 USA (contact HCCA for applicable tax and total)

☐ Invoice me Purchase Order Number (attach PO) _____

☐ Wire transfer requested

To register with a check, wire transfer, or purchase order, or to pay with a credit card over the phone, please contact HCCA for an invoice with applicable taxes. Due to PCI compliance, do not provide credit card information via email.

Registration is not complete until full payment is received. Tax may apply. Access to the event will not be allowed until all fees have been paid. A \$250 fee will be charged for any registration changed within 14 days of the start of an Academy. HCCA reserves the right to cancel your registration if we do not receive payment by the start date of the event. Payments received with incorrect amounts will be returned.

Email helpteam@hcca-info.org or call HCCA at 952.988.0141 or 888.580.8373.

SECTION 4 Acknowledgements

By submitting this registration, you agree to the full event Terms and Conditions, viewable at hcca-info.org/event-terms-and-conditions, including the use of your information that may be shared with conference exhibitors, attendees, speakers, affiliates, and partners for promotional and/or networking purposes. Visit hcca-info.org/privacy to see the full use of your information or to opt out.

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Hotel and Academy Locations

Healthcare Research Compliance Academies and optional CHRC exams are held at the locations listed below. The costs of hotel accommodations are not included in your conference registration fee. The hotel room rate listed for each Academy is good until the cut-off date indicated or until the room block is full, whichever comes first. Reservations received after the cut-off date or after the room block is full will be accepted based on space and rate availability. Please note that parking and Internet service charges are set by the hotel and may be subject to change.

PLEASE NOTE: Neither HCCA nor any hotel it is affiliated with will ever contact you to make a hotel reservation. If you receive a call soliciting reservations on behalf of HCCA or the event, it may be fraudulent. We recommend you make reservations directly with the hotel using the phone number or web link in this brochure. If you have concerns or questions, please contact HCCA at 952.988.0141 or 888.580.8373.

March 11–14, 2024 • Nashville, TN

The Joseph
401 Korean Veterans Boulevard, Nashville, TN 37203

A reduced rate of \$289 per night (for single/double occupancy), plus applicable taxes (currently 16.25%: 9.25% State Tax + 7% Occupancy Tax; subject to change) and a \$2.50 per night City Fee, has been arranged. To make a reservation, book online (bit.ly/031124nashville) or call 866.912.1022 and request the HCCA Academy group rate. The cutoff date to receive this discounted rate is February 12, 2024 or when the group block is full, whichever comes first. Confirmation of rooms after the cutoff date will only be accepted based on availability and at the hotel's prevailing rates. Discounted group rate may be applicable three (3) days pre/post arrival and departure dates (subject to availability).

September 9–12, 2024 • Las Vegas, NV

Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino
3950 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, NV 89119

Reduced rates ranging from \$128 to \$268 per night (for single/double occupancy), plus applicable taxes (currently 13.38%; subject to change) and a reduced daily resort fee of \$37, have been arranged. To make a reservation, book online (bit.ly/090924lasvegas) or call 877.632.7800 and ask for the HCCA group rate. All reservations must be guaranteed by a first night's room deposit or a valid credit card. Any room cancellations 72 hours prior to the arrival date (or no-shows) will result in a penalty of one night's room plus tax. The cutoff date to receive this discounted rate is August 12, 2024 or when the group block is full, whichever comes first. Confirmation of rooms after the cutoff date will only be accepted based on availability and at the hotel's prevailing rates. Discounted group rate may be applicable three (3) days pre/post arrival and departure dates (subject to availability).

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