

NCCCP: Clinical Trials Components and Goals by Year

#	Area	Clinical Trial Component	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
1	Community Input	Local advisory board to advise & assist pilot w/ varied membership, assist to increase awareness of importance of CTs	Convene board and include minority/community reps	Input from Advisory Board on CT expansion	Board continuing to provide input and feedback from community
2	Types of Trials	Types include treatment, prevention, cancer control & symptom amelioration	Conduct baseline CT assessment, i.e. types, #s, accruals to each type, etc	Expand to include another trial type	REPEAT baseline CT assmt & show increased activities & accruals
3	Trial Complexity	Trial complexity: multimodality, phase 2, translational trials, referral to phase I ctrs	Investigate expansion in CT types & complexity	Open phase 2 trial or multimodal trial	Demonstrate success in conducting more & complex trials via audit by external reviewers
4	CT Infrastructure	Infrastructure & staff dedicated to working on clinical trials, education for new staff	Increase MD participation and RN/CRA staff to support expansion	More MDs are registered NCI investigators & offering trials	Demonstrate increased staffing committed and infrastructure support to CTs
5	Protocol Activation Timeliness	Track protocol receipt to activation, develop a log to measure timelines	Collect protocol timeline data to analyze to improve timeliness of system	Implement methods to streamline protocol activation process	Demonstrate improvement in protocol timelines
6	Collaborations	Collaborations w/ Ca Ctrs, CCOPs, Groups, Academia, Industry	Initiate & expand collaborations to increase trials, esp early phase	Establish one new relationship to be able to refer pts to phase I trials	Increase of investigator(s)' clinical trials activity, i.e. join a Group committee
7	Outreach to the Underserved	Programs and outreach for minorities & underserved to participate in trials	Establish or expand underserved programs and CT outreach	Implement expanded outreach & increase minority accrual by 5%	Increase accrual of minorities/underserved by 15%
8	Accrual Tracking	Track patient accrual to trials and keep log of reasons why or why not pts go or don't go on trials	Implement data collection of reasons pts not on trials	Analyze reasons why pts aren't going on trials & develop solutions	Implement solutions from log analysis & assess outcomes
9	Communication	System of communication of clinical trial availability: internal and external	Assess methods to identify patients for trials and inform HCPs within & outside ctr	Implement systems to better identify eligible patients for trials & inform HCPs	Demonstrate communication systems improvements w/ increases to accrual log