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CTI Clinical Research Associates Are "Critical In The Success That We Have Had In Our Study"

Global clinical monitoring coverage for CTI, is built around the philosophy of providing therapeutic expertise to our sponsors. CTI Clinical Research Associates (CRAs) have significant experience working with complex studies and critically ill patients. Our staff has decades of experience in research and nursing outside of their CRA experience. **With an average retention rate of over 95%, our CRAs are able to see their studies through from start-up to close-out.**

"Always available to me, even on weekends and evenings. I have been a Research Coordinator for 23 years, and have rarely seen someone with this dedication."

In order to ensure the highest level of quality, CTI conducts an annual CRA survey. The 2016 survey was directed to nearly 300 research coordinators that currently work with or have worked with CTI CRAs in the past year. Feedback was solicited in the form of 8 questions, 6 of which asked the coordinators to rate the CRA from 1 to 5 (1 needs improvement and 5 being excellent) on the following:

- Protocol/Therapeutic Knowledge
- Ability to Collaborate
- Responsiveness
- Communication
- Professionalism
- Overall Performance

"One of the best monitor's I have worked with in my 20 yrs of clinical research. Seriously."

This year's survey had an excellent response rate (nearly 70%) and an overall rating score of 4.7 for the questions in the above categories.

"Always quick to answer questions and is very proactive with issues that come up. It is clear that they prioritize the quality of the study and the safety of the patients. It has been a pleasure working with them."

Despite significant growth in the department over the past seven years, CTI CRAs have consistently achieved an overall performance rating of excellent (4.7 on a 5 point scale), proving that study site personnel continually rank CTI CRAs among the best in the business and pertinent to the success of the studies they are conducting.

CTI Cares Spotlight

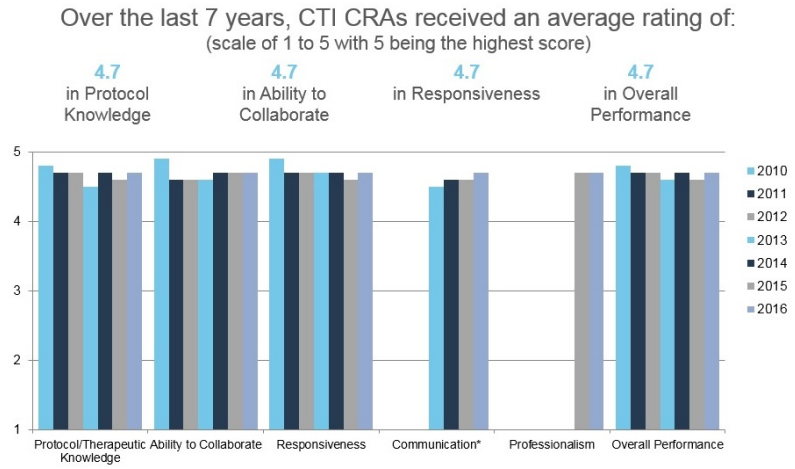
At CTI Clinical Trial and Consulting Services, we're committed to working on life-saving trials, such as those in many rare disease areas.

In the U.S., any disease affecting fewer than 200,000 people is considered rare, so to increase awareness for those with rare diseases around the world, we challenged every CTI employee to participate in our 200,000 Step Challenge.

Employees around the world tracked their steps from February 1 - February 29 (Rare Disease Day) in a virtual step challenge. In total, tens of million steps were taken.

Funds raised through the CTI Step Challenge were donated this past month to the International Niemann-Pick Disease Alliance and the Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance, both chosen because of the relationship to recent rare disease projects the company has worked on.

For more information about Rare Disease Day, visit http://www.rarediseaseday.org/



"Their involvement has been critical in the success that we have had in our study to this point in time."

The final 2 questions were open-ended and asked the Research Coordinators to respond with any areas of improvement needed or areas of excellence for their CTI CRAs. The feedback for improvements will be incorporated into future CRA training to achieve further consistency and quality within the group.

"I am a new coordinator and they have single-handedly trained me on this protocol. They are incredibly patient and knowledgeable. I got so lucky!"

CTI's clinical expertise translates into well-trained sites, excellent rapport with the site staff, an extraordinary level of site engagement resulting in well-executed studies, and high quality data.

We greatly appreciate the time spent by the Research Coordinators completing the survey and we look forward to working together again!

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New Additions & Promotions at CTI

Jennifer Burge joins as Regulatory Specialist I

Meredith Dees promoted to Assistant Manager, Clinical Systems Operations

Michaela Heekin promoted to Human Resources Coordinator

John Redden joins as Research Associate

Michael Romes promoted to Assistant Manager, Research Associates

Kate Van Gilder promoted to In-House Clinical Research Associate

Upcoming Meetings We Will Be Attending

BIO Europe Spring
Stockholm, Sweeden
April 4-6, 2016

DIA - 28th Annual Euro Meeting
Hamburg, Germany
April 6-8, 2016

Clinical Trials Central & Eastern Europe
Warsaw, Poland
April 19-20, 2016

World Orphan Drug Congress USA 2016
Washington, DC
April 20-22, 2016

Deutsche Biotechnologietage 2016
Leipzig, Germany
April 26-27, 2016

To schedule a meeting with us at one

Join our Team!! We're looking for individuals to fill these positions:

Associate Director, Health Outcomes Research (Cincinnati, OH; Philadelphia, PA; Raleigh, NC)

Billing Specialist (Cincinnati, OH)

Clinical Research Assistant (Cincinnati, OH)

Clinical Research Associate (US, Germany, France, Spain, Australia, Brazil, Korea, Taiwan, Japan, Argentina)

Clinical Research Coordinator (Cincinnati, OH)

Information Technology Support Specialist (Cincinnati, OH)

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Medical Director (Cincinnati, OH)

Receptionist (Cincinnati, OH)

Study Coordinator (Cincinnati, OH)

Study Manager (Cincinnati, OH; Raleigh, NC; Philadelphia, PA; San Francisco, CA; Ulm, Germany; Paris, France; Madrid, Spain)

Vice President, Clinical Monitoring (Cincinnati, OH)

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