

# Clinical Trials

## FACT SHEET



**C**linical trials are part of clinical research and at the heart of all medical advances. Clinical trials look at new ways to prevent, detect, or treat disease.

Treatments might be new drugs or new combinations of drugs, new surgical procedures or devices, or new ways to use existing treatments.

The goal of clinical trials is to determine if a new test or treatment works and is safe. Clinical trials can also look at other aspects of care, such as improving the quality of life for people with chronic illnesses.

People participate in clinical trials for a variety of reasons. Healthy volunteers say they participate to help others and to contribute to moving science forward. Participants with an illness or disease also participate to help others, but also to possibly receive the newest treatment and to

have the additional care and attention from the clinical trial staff.

Clinical trials offer hope for many people and an opportunity to help researchers find better treatments for others in the future.

### The Basics

<http://www.nih.gov/health/clinicaltrials/basics.htm>

1. [What are clinical trials and why do people participate?](#)
2. [What is clinical research?](#)
3. [Who participates in clinical trials?](#)
4. [What do I need to know if I am thinking about participating?](#)
5. [What questions should I ask if offered a clinical trial?](#)
6. [How am I protected?](#)
7. [What happens after a clinical trial is completed?](#)
8. [How does the outcome of clinical research make a difference?](#)

# Clinical Trials in Orange County

Company	Phone	Email	Website	Recruiting
Advanced Research Center Inc. Anaheim, CA	714-999-6688	<a href="mailto:Charles.h.sine@arctrials.com">Charles.h.sine@arctrials.com</a>	<a href="http://www.arctrials.com">www.arctrials.com</a>	Yes
ATP Clinical Research Costa Mesa, CA	714-277-4472	<a href="mailto:info@atpcr.com">info@atpcr.com</a>	<a href="http://atpcr.com">atpcr.com</a>	Yes
Alliance Research Centers Laguna Hills, CA	949-680-3490	<a href="mailto:info@researchalliance.com">info@researchalliance.com</a>	<a href="http://researchalliance.com">researchalliance.com</a>	Yes
CITrials Santa Ana, CA	866-478-8391	<a href="mailto:marketing@citrials.com">marketing@citrials.com</a>	<a href="http://citrials.com">citrials.com</a>	Yes
Collaborative Neuroscience Network Long Beach & Garden Grove, CA	855-425-1515	<a href="mailto:info@cnstrial.com">info@cnstrial.com</a>	<a href="http://cnstrial.com">cnstrial.com</a>	Yes
Irvine Clinical Research Irvine, CA	800-856-8121	<a href="mailto:alz@irvineclinical.com">alz@irvineclinical.com</a>	<a href="http://irvineclinical.com">irvineclinical.com</a>	Yes
NervePro Medical Group Irvine, CA	949-753-1570	<a href="mailto:research@nervepro.com">research@nervepro.com</a>	<a href="http://nervepro.com">nervepro.com</a>	Yes
Neurology Center of North Orange County Fullerton, CA	714-879-7200 ext. 106	<a href="mailto:smossa@neurologyoc.com">smossa@neurologyoc.com</a>	<a href="http://neurologyoc.com">neurologyoc.com</a>	Yes
NRC Research Institute Orange, CA	714-289-1100	<a href="mailto:dvanblitter@NRCResearch.com">dvanblitter@NRCResearch.com</a>	<a href="http://nrcresearch.com">nrcresearch.com</a>	Yes
Pharmacology Research Institute Newport Beach & Los Alamitos, CA	888-774-4673	<a href="mailto:losalamitos@priresearch.com">losalamitos@priresearch.com</a> <a href="mailto:newport@priresearch.com">newport@priresearch.com</a>	<a href="http://priresearch.com">priresearch.com</a>	Yes
Senior Clinical Trials Inc. Laguna Hills, CA	949-588-0909			Yes
Syrentis Clinical Research Santa Ana, CA	714-542-3008	<a href="mailto:ocresearchstudies@gmail.com">ocresearchstudies@gmail.com</a>	<a href="http://syrentis.com">syrentis.com</a>	Yes
UCI MIND - Institute for Memory Impairments and Neurological Disorders Irvine, CA	949-824-3250 or 949-824-5733	<a href="mailto:byanez@uci.edu">byanez@uci.edu</a>	<a href="http://mind.uci.edu">mind.uci.edu</a>	Yes
University of CA Irvine, NRP Irvine, CA	714-456-7994	<a href="mailto:NRP@uci.edu">NRP@uci.edu</a>	<a href="http://psychiatry.uci.edu/research.asp">psychiatry.uci.edu/ research.asp</a>	Yes
WCCT Global Cypress, CA and Costa Mesa, CA	714-668-1500 ext. 2255	<a href="mailto:Yessica.Sanchez@wcct.com">Yessica.Sanchez@wcct.com</a>	<a href="http://wcct.com">wcct.com</a>	Yes

## Other resources for finding clinical trials:

- Clinical Trials [www.clinicaltrials.gov](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov)
- CenterWatch [www.centerwatch.com](http://www.centerwatch.com)

Learn more at NIH [www.nih.gov/health-information/nih-clinical-research-trials-you](http://www.nih.gov/health-information/nih-clinical-research-trials-you)