How to register

Please register your interest by COB Friday 26th October 2012 as places are limited. A fee of $100 will be payable at registration to offset administrative costs. Travel expenses to the workshop will be the responsibility of the participant.

Those interested in attending should complete the registration form, or contact: The NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre
02 9562 5000 / trials@ctc.usyd.edu.au
Registrations close Friday, 26th October 2012

Course aim and objectives
This one day workshop will help clinical and scientific investigators refine their concept into a proposal for a clinical trial and/or translational research study. It will provide information, advice and guidance on how to develop a concept outline from an initial idea or clinical/scientific question by specifying a suitable aim, objectives, population, interventions, study design, outcome measures, sample size, analysis plan and funding strategy, as well as further tips and hints on developing your proposal into a funding application, letter of intent (LOI) or a full study protocol.

Who should attend
This workshop is designed for investigators (including e.g. clinicians & basic scientists) who have an idea for a clinical trial or translational research or are suitably qualified individuals pursuing clinical research. Investigators from any therapeutic area or discipline are welcome to attend.

Required Preparation
Participants are required to submit a brief outline of their proposed study on their registration by Friday, 26th October 2012. A concept template will then be provided to attendees for preparation prior to the workshop.

Workshop Program
Faculty from the NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre (CTC) will be running the workshop to facilitate the development of proposals. The program format will consist of a combination of presentations, exercises and interactive group discussions. Participants will work on their proposed concepts throughout the day and present them for discussion and feedback.

Topics will include:
- Developing a health intervention
- Background and rationale
- Aims, objectives, hypotheses
- Study design
- Population, setting, interventions
- Developing and analysing a new biomarker
- Statistical considerations
- Study procedures

This workshop will also be run in March, July & November 2013, dates TBC
Registrations close **Friday 26th Oct, 2012.**

- All travel, accommodation and parking costs are at the attendees’ expense.
- Morning Tea, Lunch & Afternoon Tea will be provided, please outline any dietary requirements on your registration.
- Parking: Attendees are encouraged to park at one of the parking stations at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital (fees apply) and walk to the Medical Foundation Building on Parramatta Road.
- Upon arrival, please go to Level 6 Reception, ph 02 9562 5000

**Registration ATTENDEE DETAILS**

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**Descriptive Title for your proposed trial, including disease & intervention (max 30 words):**

**PAYMENT DETAILS**

This registration form is a valid tax invoice. ABN: 15 211 513 464

- Please find enclosed a cheque made payable in $AU to ‘The University of Sydney, NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre’
- Or, please charge $100 to my:
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Please email, fax or post your registration to:

**Email:** trials@ctc.usyd.edu.au
**Fax:** 02 9562 5094
**Post:** NHMRC CTC Development Workshops
NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre
Locked Bag 77, CAMPERDOWN NSW 2050

A proposal template will be sent to your nominated email address prior to the workshop.