

Responsible Conduct of Research training on the Health Sciences Division Campus.

In order to comply with the University’s commitment the Office of Research Services has implemented the following requirements for our faculty and post-doctoral fellows here at the Health Sciences Division Campus. The following two requirements must be met:

1. In order to satisfy the RCR training requirement, faculty and post-doctoral fellows involved in **federal funded research** need to complete the online RCR CITI Program **within a two year period**. **This applies only to faculty and postdoctoral fellows that have not done already the RCR module for IRB approval!** Individuals will need to go to the CITI Program website (www.citiprogram.org) and complete the modules under “**Biomedical Investigators Responsible Conduct of Research**”.
2. Federal regulations require that RCR training also include face-to-face interaction, Therefore we will start a RCR seminar series on September this year with the help of the Neiswanger Institute for Bioethics & Health Policy that will encompass six seminars annually of which **faculty and postdoctoral fellows involved in research sponsored by federal funds** will be required to attend at a minimum two a year or four seminars in a two year period.

RCR Compliance requirements in table format:

RCR requirement for faculty and postdoctoral fellows performing research sponsored by federal funds.

Faculty and postdocs performing non-human subject research (<u>no IRB approved protocol</u>).	All faculty and postdocs conducting federally funded research (<u>including those with IRB approved protocols</u>).
Must do CITI program: Biomedical Investigators Responsible Conduct of Research module every two calendar year.	Must attend at least two out six RCR seminars each calendar year.