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Welcome to New Postdoc Cynthia Lafond!
Please join us in welcoming Cynthia Lafond, PhD, RN, CCRN, new postdoc on the Pain and Associated Symptoms T32. Cyndi just completed her PhD at UIC and is interested in pain management in critically ill children. Welcome!

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Congratulations!
Congratulations to Kirsten Hanrahan, DNP, ARNP, Research Scientist in the UIHC Department of Nursing Research and Evidence Based Practice. Kirsten's EBP Guideline “Hyaluronidase for Treatment of Intravenous Extravasations” will be published in the National Guideline Clearinghouse of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). This is a testament to the careful work that Kirsten and her team did in preparing this guideline. Way to go, Kirsten! To read Kirsten’s published article on this project: http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/jspn.12035/abstract

More Congratulations!
Congratulations to Andrea Wallace, who was invited by the NIH to participate in the 2013 NIH Working Meeting on the Science of Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health. Andrea is one of only 10 outside experts invited to work with key NIH staff in this workgroup in Rockville, MD in October, 2013 to develop a position paper on needs for capacity development for D&I research. This is an outstanding recognition of Andrea’s expertise!
ONRS QUICK LINKS

Developing a Proposal:
- UI Grant Bulletin
  https://research.uiowa.edu/grantbulletin/all
- From NIH
  http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/
- ONRS Research Admin.
  https://icon.uiowa.edu/

Conducting Research:
- UI Researcher Handbook
  http://researcherhandbook.research.uiowa.edu/
- CON Operations Manual
  http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/operation/research

Disseminating Research:
- CON Selected Works
  http://ir.uiowa.edu/nursing/sw_gallery.html
- ONRS Poster templates
  http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/research/onrs/scholarship-dissemination#poster

Scholarly Interest Groups:
http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/research/journal-clubs

Don’t Close that IRB Project! Nancy Goldsmith

When should I close my project with the IRB? When in doubt, leave your project open. It is much more difficult to initiate a new project and it is impossible to resurrect a project that has been closed prematurely. Projects should NOT be closed unless ALL of the following are true:

- Protocol-indicated research activities including interaction with subjects and collection of data or specimens are completed;
- Collection of data about subjects (even when no subject contact is necessary) is complete;
- “Cleaning” of data is complete;
- Analysis of identified or linked data for research purposes or during the publication process is complete; AND
- Any other research use of the data which involves access to identified or linked (coded) data or specimens collected during the conduct of research is complete.

As long as you are doing anything with your data, you must leave your IRB project open. In other words, you must have an active IRB application even if you are analyzing your data or writing manuscripts. If you have questions, feel free to contact me at nancy-goldsmith@uiowa.edu. To read more responses to FAQs about IRB, please visit the ONRS website: http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/research/human-subjects-and-irb

Please plan to attend our first Research Forum and Lunch of 2013-2014 on Tuesday, September 10, 2013 in 133 CNB. Peter Kaboli (Internal Med, VA) will present on “Hospital Readmissions: Measure of Hospital Quality?” Lisa Segre (CON) will present her research on Listening Visits and depression.

CON Publications (received since the July 8, 2013 ONRS Update)

Names of CON students are underlined.


