



Medicines Australia and Medical Technology Association of Australia Commercial Research Agreement - Standard Form Checklist

The Standard CTRA for Sponsor and Contract Research Organisation (CRO) Clinical Trial Research Agreements can be downloaded from the Medicines Australia website: <http://medicinesaustralia.com.au/issues-information/clinicaltrials/clinical-trials-research-agreements/>

The Medical Technology Association of Australia (MTAA) Commercially Sponsored Clinical Investigation Research Agreements can be downloaded at: <http://www.mtaa.org.au/policy-initiatives/clinical-investigations>

Also refer to the "Clinical Research Agreement Guidelines" at <http://www.rah.sa.gov.au/> under the "Research" tab.

Front Page	
Is the name of the Institution " Central Adelaide Local Health Network Incorporated (ABN 96 269 526 412) "? Also refer to the document "Parties and Signatories to a CALHN Research Agreement" for further details on contracting parties at http://www.rah.sa.gov.au under the "Research" tab	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Are the Institution contact details correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Has the full legal name of the Sponsor/Local Sponsor been listed, and their ABN and contact details provided? Are these details correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Are the Study Name details/Clinical Investigation Plan name and number correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Is the date of Agreement entered as "when the last Party signs" or "when both parties have signed" this agreement?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Body Of The Agreement (page 2 to Signature page)	
Please confirm that no changes have been made to the Body of the Agreement. Please inform the Sponsor/Local sponsor that this is not permitted. All proposed changes to the agreement are to be detailed separately in Schedule 7.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedules	
Schedule 1: Key Information	
Schedule 1: Is the Study Name correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Is the Study Site Correct? It should be where the study is being conducted e.g. "Royal Adelaide Hospital" or "The Queen Elizabeth Hospital"	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Target Number of Subjects/Participants: Are the numbers the same as stated in the ethics and SSA applications?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Recruitment Period: Are the dates correct?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Are the Principal Investigator details accurate and complete?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Are the HREC details correct? The HREC must be a NHMRC approved ethics committee e.g. "Royal Adelaide Hospital Human Research Ethics Committee"?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Equipment: If no equipment insert "NIL" Is all of the medical equipment provided by the Sponsor TGA-approved?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>



If TGA-approved, is the equipment being sourced from the local Australian Sponsor as defined on the Australian Register of Therapeutic Goods (ARTG)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Will the equipment provided be tested and approved by Biomedical Engineering prior to use?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Software: If no software insert "NIL"	
Is the software provided by the Sponsor approved by ICT?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Investigational Product (where applicable) details included?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 1: Organisation. For CRO studies: are the name, address, phone/fax number details of the Organisation the Local Sponsor is representing in Australia provided?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Payments	
Schedule 2: Are the amounts, terms and conditions of payment adequate for the purposes of the trial? Refer to "Clinical Trial Budget Guidelines and Assistance" at http://www.rah.sa.gov.au under the "Research" tab. For further queries please contact the Research Finance Office Health.CALHNResearchFinance@sa.gov.au	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Are the amounts specified exclusive of GST?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Is the currency in Australian dollars? All amounts must be listed in Australian dollars.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Will you receive a Start-Up fee if you haven't signed a Pre-Clinical Trial/Investigation Agreement?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Have you included HREC and Governance Fees?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Have you included other department costs e.g. Pharmacy, Radiology, non standard of care pathology – SA Pathology?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Are you able to comply with any requirements to complete CRFs within a specified period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Are you able to meet any deadlines by which you are required to enrol the required number of study subjects/participants?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Are you satisfied with the definition of a "screen failure", the capped number of screen failures and compensation for screen failures?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Will you be reimbursed for the work associated with the preparation of any future amendment applications, SAE reporting, annual progress reports, archiving etc?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Have all study subject/participant visit payments been included?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Will Study Subjects be reimbursed for travel, meal and accommodation costs?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Have any "bonus" payments been offered which could be considered as an inducement to enrol additional participants?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Have the invoicing and payment details been completed?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Are there any terms which you are unsure about?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Has the budget been approved and signed by the Business Operations Manager of your clinical directorate?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 2: Has the budget/Invoicing form been signed by the Sponsor?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
Schedule 3: Form Of Indemnity For Clinical Trials For Sponsor/CRO CTRAs	



<p>Schedule 3:</p> <p>Has an unsigned Medicines Australia Form of Indemnity Agreement been attached?</p> <p>Wording should include:</p> <p>“The Sponsor agrees to execute and deliver to the Institution, as necessary, an indemnity in the form of the Medicines Australia Standard Form of Indemnity for Clinical Trials without amendment.”</p> <p>If to be signed as a separated document include the words “Executed as a separate agreement”</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 3: Form Of Indemnity For Clinical Investigations For Sponsor MTA Clinical Investigations</p>	
<p>Schedule 3:</p> <p>Has an unsigned MTA Form of Indemnity Agreement been attached?</p> <p>Wording should include:</p> <p>The Sponsor agrees to execute and deliver to the Institution, as necessary, an indemnity substantially in the form of the Medical Technology Association of Australia Standard Form of Indemnity for Clinical Trials.</p> <p>If to be signed as a separated document include the words “Executed as a separate agreement”</p> <p>See “Form of Indemnity Agreement for Clinical Trials” found at http://www.rah.sa.gov.au under the “Research” tab.</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 4: Insurance Arrangements For Sponsor / CRO CTRAs and MTA Agreements</p>	
<p>Schedule 4: Has a current insurance certificate been attached? Please check the expiry date.</p> <p>Delete the following wording: “Certificate of Insurance For a Study to be conducted in Victoria, the following details are mandatory;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance provider • Insured Entity • Additional Insured • Clinical Investigation Plan/ CTN number • Limits of Liability in AUD/ Per occurrence amount and Annual Aggregate • Excess/ deductible/ Self insured risk <p>Victorian Managed Insurance Authority Guidelines can be found at the VMIA website in the “Clinical Trials” section under “Public Healthcare”: http://www.vmia.vic.gov.au/</p> <p>For a Study to be conducted in any other State in Australia, the relevant insurance requirements within those States will be adhered to and documented in this Schedule”</p> <p>See “Insurance Cover Guidelines and Checklist” http://www.rah.sa.gov.au under the “Research” tab.</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 5: Guidelines For Compensation For Injury Resulting From Participation In A Company-Sponsored Clinical Trial. For Sponsor / CRO CTRAs</p>	
<p>Schedule 5: Has the following reference to the Medicines Australia Clinical Trials Compensation Guidelines been included?</p> <p>“The Sponsor / Local Sponsor will comply with the 16 January 2004 versions of the Medicines Australia Guidelines for Compensation for Injury Resulting from Participation in a Company Sponsored Clinical Trial, which are set out at the following website:</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>



<p>http://medicinesaustralia.com.au/issues-information/clinical-trials/indemity-and-compensation-guidelines/</p> <p>Note: The full document does not need to be inserted, however the correct reference must be cited.</p>	
<p>Schedule 5: Guidelines For Compensation For Injury Resulting From Participation In A Company-Sponsored Clinical Investigation. For MTAA Agreements</p>	
<p>Schedule 5: Has the following reference to the Medicines Australia Clinical Trials Compensation Guidelines been included?</p> <p>“The Sponsor will comply with the 8 April 2010 version of the Medical Technology Association of Australia (MTAA) Guidelines for Compensation for Injury Resulting from Participation in a Company Sponsored Clinical Investigation, which are set out at the following website: http://www.mtaa.org.au/policy-initiatives/clinical-investigations</p> <p>Note: The full document does not need to be inserted, however the correct reference must be cited.</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 6: Study Protocol Identification For Sponsor / CRO CTRAs</p>	
<p>Schedule 6: Are the details complete and correct?</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 6: Clinical Investigation Plan Identification For MTAA Agreements</p>	
<p>Schedule 6: Are all of the details correct?</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Schedule 7: Special Conditions For Sponsor / CRO CTRAs and MTAA Agreements</p>	
<p>Schedule 7: Has only the SA Health approved wording been included?</p> <p>The CALHN Research Office has approved a number of Schedule 7 provisions submitted by individual commercial sponsors.</p> <p>If there are additional “Special conditions” requested they may need to be reviewed and approved by the Southern and Eastern Border States (SEBS) committee which meets monthly to consider CTRA amendments.</p> <p>Please refer to the document “SEBS Schedule 7 and 4 Special Conditions to a Clinical Research Agreement” at http://www.rah.sa.gov.au under the “Research” tab.</p>	<p>Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/></p>