

## **MEMORANDUM**

**Re: Clinical Trials through CWHR: Moratorium Lifted  
(effective July 12, 2010)**

In February of 2010, the Center for Women's Health Research at UNC elected to suspend our involvement in new industry sponsored and initiated clinical trials pending definition of a coordinated, unified approach to dealing with studies of this nature.

We are pleased to announce that, with input from multiple sources and many of you, there now is a clearly defined process for pursuing industry sponsored and initiated clinical trials with the CWHR as the funds administrator. **Beginning July 12, 2010**, we will be happy to work with you on new clinical trials submissions.

The process takes into account the several layers of University mandated procedures and requirements for University involvement in industry sponsored and initiated trials and provides a step by step guide to what needs to be done, the timeframes to allow for each step, and potential resources to assist you.

**For detailed information on UNC Office of Sponsored Research (OSR) policies regarding PI and Department Administrators, click on the link below:**

**[OSR Policies for PI & Department Administrators](#)**

**For detailed information about the CWHR Clinical Trials Unit (CTU) process, click on the link below:**

**[CWHR Clinical Trials Information](#)**

**If you need further explanation, interpretation, discussion, or have questions, please contact:**

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We look forward to working with you!

Sincerely,

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