Who are we:
The CHRISTUS Institute for Innovation & Advanced Clinical Care (CIIACC) leads the mission to support and grow research and advanced clinical care across CHRISTUS Health. Our vision is to continue to improve the quality of care provided to our patients in the communities of their residence, by connecting them with advanced clinical care options. These advanced clinical care options are offered in the form of clinical trials that are conducted in a financially responsible and ethical manner. Across 24 healthcare facilities at CHRISTUS Health, our ~200 engaged physician investigators have enrolled 10,000+ patients in 350+ active clinical trials and research studies. Our domestic footprint spans across the states of Louisiana, New Mexico and Texas and internationally across Chile, Colombia and Mexico. We offer clinical trials in both adult and pediatric specialties.

The CIIACC consists of three (3) offices:

- Office of Investigator Support
- Office of Sponsored Programs & Research Finance
- Office of Human Subjects Research Protection Program

What we offer:

- Office of Investigator Support
  - Feasibility review, research planning, development, and implementation
- Office of Sponsored Programs & Research Finance
  - Budget and contract development and negotiations, invoicing/billing, charge review, financial reporting, accounts receivable management
- Office of Human Subjects Research Protection Programs
  - Full, exempt and expedited reviews of protocols and informed consents, human subject protection training, Adverse Events/IND safety reports, Compliance oversight

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