Panthera
Accelerating Clinical Breakthrough

Job Description

Job Title: Research Physician

Reports to: Medical Director; Site Manager

Job Summary

As a Research Physician you will contribute to the commercial success of Panthera through the studies in which we take part. You will Co-investigate were you will have the responsibilities of ensuring ICH/GCP and local regulation are met. Depending on your experience and expertise you will also be Principal Investigator (PI) or Sub investigator accepting responsibility for research studies. As you work on multiple studies you will take leadership and guide colleagues through the studies. You will also be active in recruitment for the studies at sites and build contacts with other health care professionals as and when needed.

Key Responsibilities

- As Co-Investigator you will need to ensure all training is met for each member of the research site, not only for the specific study but making sure all SOP/COPs are adhered to and ICH/GCP and any local regulations are met.
- Ensuring all clinical trials are conducted according to Protocol, recruiting patients who are eligible for the study.
- Adhere to the study delegation logs as to specific tasks to be performed by you.
- Whenever Serious Adverse Events/Adverse Events occur, these are reported on within the time scale outlined.
- Look after the wellbeing of the trial participant and make referrals for the patient to third parties or patients own GP as appropriate.
- All study documentation should be legible, concise and accurate. This should be signed off and any queries dealt with within the agreed timeframes.
- Work within the guidelines of the company SOP/COPs.
- Participation in the out of hours/on call rota which is set out for all Panthera Research Physicians is mandatory.
- Working at other Panthera sites or working different hours or days will be required on occasion.
- Competency assessments should be performed every 3 months. A training portfolio should always be kept up to date. Any training should be signed of in a timely manner.
- Always be inspection ready, ensuring that revalidation along with any other training is kept up to date along with your training portfolio.
- Always be courteous and friendly to clients/patients.
- Proactively identify patients where possible for new studies when they visit our sites

Principal investigator duties

- Has overall responsibility of the study at site

- Performs PI oversight on a regular basis at least once a week
- Oversees staff training for the study and makes sure they are delegated on logs
- Ensures the quality of all study documentation
- Holds regular meetings with the CRA and acts on any feedback given regarding site performance
- Participates in any internal or external audits and regulatory inspections
- Regularly holds site/clinical meetings with site staff to keep everyone aware of any updates or changes to the study
- If there is a need for a PI handover, will ensure this is done in accordance with Panthera SOP's.

Skills and Experience

- GMC registered
- License to practice medicine
- Ideally experienced in Clinical Research/clinical medicine
- Demonstrate leadership skills
- Competent in knowledge of ICH/GCP
- Understands in detail clinical trial legislation
- Fully aware of Panthera Standard operating procedures (SOP)
- Expert in clinical trial procedures