Today’s Topics

• Award Processing Update
Award Processing - Background

Award Intake Team

- Turnaround time for Expedited Awards *improved by 65% - 80%*
Awards Processing – Current and Future

What are the factors that affect award processing?

- **Volume**
  - ~1,700 actions processed July – September 2012
    - 1,178 awards with funds
    - 500 other award transactions (administrative changes, terms and conditions, NCEs, etc.)

- **Missing Internal Documents**
  - Awards processed 6 days faster when all internal documents are present at time of submissions
  - $5 - $12M outstanding awards

- **New Process for PHS FCOI**
  - Before UCLA can accept an, all investigators need to have disclosed in eDGE, even if they have previously completed a 740.
  - Different disclosure requirements and more complex review/analysis by RPC.
## Awards Processing – PHS FCOI Regulations

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<td>- Investigators file 740 with proposal.</td>
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<td>- If positive, 740 routed to RPC for review.</td>
<td>- eDGE disclosure thresholds and definitions changed.</td>
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<td>- CIRC and sponsor review concurrent</td>
<td>- RPC analysis more complex.</td>
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<td>- When award made, RPC notifies PHS that FCOI review is complete.</td>
<td>- RPC conducts relatedness review to determine if CIRC review is needed.</td>
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- If a non-competing/continuation award is received—make sure all Investigators have disclosed in eDGE, forward p. 3 of EPASS to OCGA as soon as possible.
- If a JIT request is received/pending – make sure OCGA receives it, make sure all Investigators have disclosed in eDGE, forward p. 3 of EPASS to OCGA as soon as possible.
- New award coming in – make sure all Investigators have disclosed in eDGE, forward p. 3 of EPASS to OCGA as soon as possible.
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- Review Triggers
  - a Just-in-Time Request is received,
  - a new award is received,
  - a continuation award is received,
  - a pending progress report is due.
Sponsors That Require Compliance with PHS Regulations - Federal

- Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)
- Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry
- Centers for Disease Control (CDC)
- Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
- Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
- Indian Health Services (IHS)
- National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- Office of Global Affairs
- Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health, including
  - Office of Minority Health Resources Center (OMH)
- Office of Population Affairs (OPA)
- Office of Research Integrity (ORI)
- Office of Research on Women’s Health (OWH)
- Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, including
  - Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority (BARDA)
  - Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)
Sponsors That Require Compliance with PHS Regulations - Other

- Alliance for Lupus Research
- American Cancer Society
- American Heart Association
- Arthritis Foundation
- CurePSP Foundation for PSP | CBD and Related Brain Diseases
- Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation
- Susan G. Komen for the Cure

If unsure; contact rpchelp@research.ucla.edu.
Make sure all Investigators have disclosed in eDGE.

Forward p. 3 of EPASS to OCGA