

Research Center of the Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal

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Clinical research on cannabis for non-therapeutic purposes

The clinical research laboratory directed by Dr. Didier Jutras-Aswad at the Research Center of the University of Montreal Hospital Center is offering an internship position in the field of drug addiction and psychiatric comorbidities.

Job Description

The intern will be involved in clinical trials evaluating the physiological and psychological effects associated with the consumption of non-therapeutic cannabis according to the different forms, methods of use and constituents, on the general population and in at-risk populations. Under the supervision of the data manager, the intern will acquire expertise and master the different activities involved in the data management of clinical trials: knowledge of the different regulatory aspects of projects, deepening knowledge of different software used in database development, database development on EDC systems, preparation of datasets, descriptive analysis, quality control, data security policy, data collection procedures.

The intern will be part of an established research team of international reputation frequently solicited by policy makers and other knowledge users. The multidisciplinary team includes the data management team, project managers, medical writers, research officers and patient partners who will support the intern in their performance. For more information on the laboratory outreach, please visit the website (<https://labo-jutras-aswad.ca/>) and follow the news on Twitter (@DJutras_Aswad).

Responsibilities

- ✓ Implement forms and instructions on EDC platforms (such as RedCap, Qualtrics or similar) following established survey structure for multiple studies and CRFs approved by REB.
- ✓ Make changes as needed to the EDC databases for the primary data collection instruments, including programming skip patterns, logic and edit checks.
- ✓ Create and maintain data dictionaries for datasets (on REDCAP and shared Teams platform).
- ✓ Trouble-shoot database issues with EDC Administrator (for example, CITADEL for REDCAP) until resolution is obtained.
- ✓ Assist in the management of user access/withdrawal to different projects in collaboration with CITADEL.

- ✓ Develop eCRF until finalization along with research team members, this includes eCRF guidelines according to design of the eCRF and manual development for study protocols.
- ✓ Assist in the development of a Data Management Plan (DMP), when applicable, that outlines CRF flow, data queries, manual checks, and data listings needed to facilitate data cleaning.
- ✓ Be involve in research meetings to discuss and/or update on study design, survey preparation and database development.
- ✓ Assist in the development of standard operating procedures for data management.
- ✓ Develop standard analytical summary data files, produce descriptive reports, including tables and graphs and review statistical outputs for consistency and quality assessment under the supervision of the Data manager.
- ✓ Other duties as assigned.

Qualifications

- ✓ An excellent level of French and English.
- ✓ A level of education, training and experience equivalent to a bachelor's degree in a relevant discipline (i.e. Mathematics, Computer Science, Bioinformatics and/or Engineering).
- ✓ An experience in health science is preferable.
- ✓ Knowledge of clinical trial process and data management process.
- ✓ Experience in bioinformatics software development working with both large and complex datasets.
- ✓ Experience in data and statistical analysis is a plus.
- ✓ Excellent communication skills; ability to work in a team environment with medical personnel, clinical monitors, statisticians, programmers, and medical writers.
- ✓ Ability to function in a fast-paced software development environment and be able to balance tight schedules with high levels of quality.
- ✓ Critical thinking, decision making and attention to detail.
- ✓ Strong organization skills.
- ✓ Ability to work independently.

Statut et avantages

- ✓ Status: Part time (flexible)
- ✓ Job start date: As soon as possible
- ✓ Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience
- ✓ Duration: 1 year (with possibility of extension)

To apply

Interested candidates should e-mail their curriculum vitae and their academic transcripts to Pamela Lachance-Touchette, Manager for the Addiction Psychiatry Research Unit at pamela.lachance-touchette.chum@ssss.gouv.qc.ca.

Only successful candidates will be contacted for an interview.

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