

PROJECT NAME:

Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) Grant Development

PROJECT LEAD:

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TIMELINE:

November 2008 – October 2010

CONTENT AREA:

Education

FUNDER:

Department of Health and Human Services - National Institutes of Health (NIH)

CLIENT:

Kansas University Medical Center (KUMC)

AUDIENCE:

KUMC faculty and administration, external reviewers, and NIH.

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:

Technical assistance, development and writing the evaluation and implementation milestones sections for the grant proposal.

OVERVIEW:

Project: The Kansas University Medical Center (KUMC) is developing a grant proposal for the Department of Health and Human Services for the National Institutes of Health (NIH) Institutional Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) to transform clinical and translational research in order to improve and enhance the health of all people through the development of *Heartland Institute for Clinical and Translational Research* (HICTR). The proposed program will benefit not only the participating trainees, Scholars and investigators, but the community, the city of Greater Kansas City and the states of Kansas and Missouri.

RDI provides technical assistance to KUMC grant writing committee, on developing an evaluation process for the proposed HICTR project, consulted with Section Directors on identifying outcome indicators and establishing implementation milestones, developed logic models for all content sections, and wrote the *evaluation and tracking* and implementation and milestones sections of the original grant proposal.

After receiving feedback from NIH reviewers the KUMC grant writing committee restructured their second application. RDI continued to consult with Section Directors, integrate evaluation designs of revised and new sections and wrote the *evaluation and tracking* and implementation and milestones sections of two subsequent revised proposals.

LINKS:

<http://gcrc.kumc.edu/>