

# Northern Health Research Digest

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## Dates to remember

- **21-25<sup>th</sup> October** Northern Health Research Week. Program [Here](#).
- **Tue 29<sup>th</sup> October** Symposium on Safety Monitoring and Reporting in Clinical Trials.
- **Wed 4<sup>th</sup> December** Applications close for the Avant Foundation Research Grants.
- **Fri 6<sup>th</sup> December** Last day for SSA, non-HREC and QA application submissions to RDGU.

## Featured items

### **Safety Monitoring and Reporting in Clinical Trials**

Tuesday 29 October, 10am – 4 pm

An opportunity to hear from sector experts on regulatory requirements for safety reporting in clinical trials. Aimed at clinical trials and clinical/research governance staff.

Location: Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACS)

[Register here](#) to attend the symposium hosted by the Coordinating Office for Clinical Trial Research.



### **60 years ago**

The first principle of ICH GCP outlines ethical guidelines for medical research involving human subjects, based on the [Declaration of Helsinki](#). **Have you ever read the Declaration?** Originally adopted by the World Medical Association in June 1964, in Helsinki, Finland. The Declaration has undergone seven revisions. A working group is now preparing for another update, set to be reviewed at the General Assembly in Helsinki in October 2024 — marking 60 years since its initial adoption!



### **SSA, Non-HREC, and QA Applications to RDGU**

**REMINDER**

The final day to submit your SSA, non-HREC, and QA applications to the Research and Development Governance Unit (RDGU) for the 2024 cycle is Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> December.

Please ensure that all applications are complete and submitted by this date to avoid any delays. Applications received after 6<sup>th</sup> Dec will be processed starting on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2025. To ensure a smooth review process, we encourage you to plan ahead and submit your applications early. If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out.



### **Research Grant Opportunity**

[Avant Foundation Research Grants](#). For the purpose of advancing quality, safety and sustainability in medicine through research. Projects should be well informed by literature and have the potential to transform the practice of medicine. Up to \$100,000 over one year.

Applications close midday 4 December 2024.

## NH Publication Highlights

Kent T, Loughran J, Halim B, Furlanos S, Hayes L, Kyi M. Examining capillary ketone testing in hospitalised patients: indications and outcomes. Intern Med J. 2024 Aug 28. doi: 10.1111/imj.16490. Epub ahead of print. PMID: [39194184](#).

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