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# Introduction to Clinical Research including Critical Appraisal

Online | Tues 09 - Wed 10 March 2021

## Why attend this online course?

- To find out how the research process works
- To see how you can get involved in research
- To understand how you can support research as a clinician

Research is part of the 'core business' of the NHS, and all trainee physicians are expected to have an understanding of the process of research, so that you can support research activity.

## Course Directors

Dr Susan Shenkin (Edinburgh)

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## Audience

This course is aimed at early-years medical trainees (CMT2 and ST3), but is suitable for anyone who wants to gain a basic understanding of research methods and practice for clinicians.

## What does the course cover?

### Day 1

Research process and study types • Critical appraisal of research • Designing a study and protocol • Getting your project funded • Academic career pathways – 'How we got into research' – Q & A with early career clinical researchers

### Day 2

Gaining approvals for your research • What makes a good ethics application? • Managing your project and your data • Analysing your data • Writing up and publishing your results • Writing an abstract

## Format

The course consists of a mix of lectures, interactive group work with breakout rooms and informal discussion.

**Registration fee: £109**

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