<b>Organization:</b>	Idaho Veterans Research and Education Foundation
<b>Position Title:</b>	Clinical Research Assistant/Coordinator

#### **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

#### **Summary:**

The Clinical Research Coordinator will work as a key team member on the Functional improvement in OSA and COPD with a Telehealth LifeStyle and Exercise Intervention (FOCuSEd) Study sponsored by the Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI). This position is a pulmonary study based at the Boise VA Medical Center and will require an individual who understands the principles of scientific investigation and clinical trials and is capable of in-depth understanding of the study protocol. The candidate must possess strong scientific, organizational, and interpersonal skills. The position is full-time, Monday through Friday. Annual salary range of \$60,000 - \$75,000 will be based according to the applicant's research experience and includes benefits and a matching retirement option.

#### **Responsibilities may include:**

- Leading recruitment, screening, enrollment, consent, and follow-up of clinical trial participants according to study protocol, including:
  - reviewing medical charts
  - conducting study visits
  - o completing questionnaires and surveys with study subjects
  - conducting tests such as pulmonary function testing and six-minute walk
  - o capturing direct measurements including biometric measurement from study subjects
  - timely and accurate data entry
  - o communication with study participants and medical professionals.
  - tracking study activities
  - o conducting and transcribing qualitative interviews
  - monitoring site activities, including data quality and adverse events, providing feedback as necessary.
  - o maintain paper- and electronic data capture forms and study files.
  - maintain compliance with applicable IRB, human subjects, all training and data security guidelines and regulations.
- Assist in the preparation and distribution of applications, reports, meeting agendas and notes.

### **Required Knowledge and Experience:**

- BA/BS in scientific or health related field
- 2+ year experience in human subjects research
- Outstanding organizational and communication skills
- Keen attention to detail
- Ability to work in a collaborative team environment.
- Research compliance regulations
- Microsoft applications including Outlook, Word, Excel, and Access

### Prefer Knowledge and Experience with:

- Electronic medical record systems
- Electronic data capture systems, e.g. REDCap, Qualtrics
- Clinical health care

## Learn more about:

- PCORI: <u>Functional improvement in Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Chronic Obstructive</u> <u>Pulmonary Disease with a Telehealth LifeStyle and Exercise Intervention (FOCuSEd) | PCORI</u>
- Federal Student Loan Forgiveness program: <u>https://studentaid.gov/articles/student-loan-forgiveness/</u>

# To Apply:

- Submit resume and cover letter to Margaret.aldape@va.gov.
- Applicants who submit a cover letter highlighting experience and interest will receive preference
- If you have any questions about this application, please email Margaret.aldape@va.gov.

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