REDCap has a proven track record of supporting:

- Basic Research
- Clinical Research
- Community Research
- Global Health
- Research Operations

To learn more visit our website at [http://cctst.uc.edu/redcap](http://cctst.uc.edu/redcap)

**Why you should use REDCap instead of Excel and Access:**

- Data is backed up regularly and safely hosted at CCHMC
- Multiple users can edit records at the same time
- Data integrity rules built-in
- Supports surveys and longitudinal data collection
- Multi-site studies are built-in
- Easy to generate reports

**Other Resources**

- Read about the REDCap Project: [http://projectredcap.org/index.php](http://projectredcap.org/index.php)
- Training Classes: [http://cctst.uc.edu/events](http://cctst.uc.edu/events)
- Video Training Resources: [https://redcap.vanderbilt.edu/consortium/videos.php](https://redcap.vanderbilt.edu/consortium/videos.php)
Advantages of REDCap

**Availability** · Available at no direct cost for CCTST members.

**Secure and web-based** · Input data from anywhere in the world over secure web connection with authentication and data logging.

**Fast and flexible** · Conception to production-level database in less than one day.

**Multi-site access** · REDCap projects can be used by researchers from multiple sites and institutions.

**Export data to common data analysis packages** · Exports raw data and syntax files for SAS, Stata, R and SPSS.

**Fully customizable** · You are in total control of shaping your database.

**Advanced Features:** Mid-study modifications, auto-validation and branching logic.

**Mobile App Enabled:** Collect your REDCap data in an offline environment in the REDCap mobile app, and then sync your data back to your project on a REDCap server.

**Institutionally Supported:** REDCap is institutionally supported for IRB regulated studies.

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Key Features

**Secure** – Users are authenticated automatically upon login. A fully customizable user access application gives you total control over every user’s level of access to your project, features, and data. REDCap also maintains thorough audit trails and makes it easy for users to do the right thing.

**Easy to use** – No prior database experience is needed to begin using the software. Built-in online support resources encourage users to learn independently.

**Robust** – REDCap is supported by an active user community and regularly introduces new features. Features that include multi-site project capabilities, a shared library of validated data collection instruments REDCap can handle any size project and can store several thousand records and data fields.

**Commitment to quality** - Increase the reliability and consistency of data collection through data validation, a built-in scheduling module with project calendar, and advanced data entry form features (calculated fields, branching logic, stop actions).

**ENGAGING USERS** - REDCap also provides a powerful tool for creating and managing surveys in your web browser. Collect anonymous responses or track and identify responses from survey participants through email invitations.

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About REDCap Services

These services are provided through the CCTST to the Academic Health Center including UC, Cincinnati Children’s, UC Health, and Cincinnati VA Medical Center, as well as to the UC main campus and Greater Cincinnati community.

**How can I learn more about REDCap?**

1. Attend a training session!

   We offer both Introductory and Advanced courses regularly. Please go to the link below to view schedule and register for any of our courses.

   [http://cctst.uc.edu/events](http://cctst.uc.edu/events)

**How do I request a REDCap Project?**

1. Go to cctst.uc.edu, and click Join Now to become a member free of charge.

2. Log in with your Username and Password.

3. Click Request Assistance with your Research Project, read the guidelines and describe what you need.

4. Under Services Selected choose REDCap.

5. CCTST staff will review your request and respond within 3 business days.