

QUICK LINKS:

ResearchMatch.org



[ResearchMatch.org](https://www.researchmatch.org) is a web-based tool that was established as a unique collaborative effort with participating sites in the NIH Clinical and Translational Science Awards Consortium and is hosted by Vanderbilt University. ResearchMatch is free for any participating site and their researchers.

- It allows anyone residing in the United States to self-register as a potential research participant.
- It employs a 'matching' model - volunteers self-register and researchers search for volunteers for their studies.

ResearchMatch can be utilized by volunteers to be matched to a research study or studies and can be used by researchers to find potential participants.

For Researchers:

The ResearchMatch website is easy to navigate. Once registered as an approved researcher, you can run a feasibility study for your region to assist you with study development prior to submitting your study for recruitment on the website.

ResearchMatch does not require IRB approval for feasibility access. However, recruitment access on ResearchMatch requires evidence of having IRB approval.

For Volunteers:

It's convenient and easy to use and promotes volunteer choice; there is no obligation to participate in studies. The system is free, safe and secure. All volunteer information is kept confidential until the volunteer decides to release it.



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