Overview of Changes

This document provides a description of changes to the eResearch system that may impact PIs and study team members. These changes are effective March 4, 2006.

Changes to all online forms (e.g. new study application, amendment)

I. A Clear button has been added that provides the ability to clear selected radio buttons.

II. The Apply button has been replaced by the OK and Add Another button.

III. A “Save changes before exiting?” dialog box now appears if changes have not been saved and Exit is selected.

IV. The Back button has been removed from the application. The application back button duplicated the functionality of the browser back button and has been removed to avoid confusion.

V. The calendar function in date fields has been updated.

Changes to the new study application

VI. Added Facilitated Review application type to question 1.12. This option is ONLY for studies that have already been approved by the NIH NCI Central IRB.

VII. The text box for entering the Non-Technical Study Abstract in section 4.1 has been doubled in size to allow 30 lines of text to display.

VIII. Questions 10.1 and 10.2 have been modified to facilitate selection of the correct informed consent option. A new section, 10-5, has been added to allow for studies requesting exemption. The routing logic has been modified to accommodate these changes.

IX. There is now a system requirement for GCRC studies using external sponsors to upload a sponsor budget document. Failure to upload a sponsor budget document will generate an error message.

X. The ability to upload miscellaneous documents has been added back to Section 44. This was previously removed from production because of errors with uploaded documents. The text on this page has also been modified.

For additional information please refer to the Release Notes for Release 1.4 on the eResearch website.