



CRP Training and Education Core Updates

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Summary of activities

- Nov 2023- Jan 2024: baseline assessments, RCC one-on-one meetings
 - Data collected from 25 RCC (1 RCC didn't have a manager, 1 new RCC that wasn't set up)
- Continued new RCC manager mentoring



Acute trials support and challenges
Understanding the research teams
Do RCC Managers feel supported
e-Consent: prevalence of its use and barriers
Site communication
Current education needs

Acute trials support and challenges

9 RCC without 24/7 after hours coverage

- Not a dedicated 24/7 coordinator
- Not expected to come in over nights/weekend.
- No additional pay. Comp time is offered if the coordinator happens to stay after hours
- IDS Pharmacy is expensive after business hours
- Limited pharmacy hours
- Small team, no back-up coordinators

16 RCCs with 24/7 or limited after hours coverage (7am-11pm or similar)

- Few sites have an actual call schedule for coordinators
- Higher salaries to compensate for on call
- Acute stroke recruitment is done remotely (clinicians are boots on the ground)
- Hard work/life balance for the 24/7 coordinators, lots of turn over
- Research pharmacy is 24/7
- The coordinator is on call 24/7 by their choice. No back up coordinator coverage

Understanding the research teams

- Have mix of RNs, CCRPs, non-licensed or certified research assistants, International medical graduates, post bac interns, etc.
- Clear career path- 3 levels of coordinators: 1. Entry level (e.g. RA1), 2. Experienced coordinators(e.g. RA2), 3.Research nurse coordinators
- Some of the research coordinators do not have reliable clinical knowledge
- Most RCCs have CTSA's
- Optional training opportunities exist at most sites

Do RCC Managers feel supported?

Yes

- Engaged PIs who have great working relationships with Manager and team
- Supportive department that recognizes the hard work and prestige
- Weekly meetings with stroke attendings
- Ability to work in a hybrid model has been helpful for work life balance

No

- Feels lost, did not get much education when transitioning to manager role
- Concepts are a bit abstract
- Past year has been hard
- StrokeNet coordinator for a long time, regulatory duties are new and challenging
- Being understaffed

eConsent: usage and barriers

Positives:

- Most RCCs and satellites have some version of eConsent currently approved for use
- Most sites are comfortable with remote consent and eConsent in the acute setting
- A few sites have dedicated tablets and are trying to use mostly eConsent
- Only 4 RCCs are paper only

Negatives:

- Challenging to use, especially in person, for older patients
- Some institutions strongly prefer paper for in person interactions
- Lack of dedicated tablet for research purposes

e-Consent needs

- Clear top to bottom expectation coming from StrokeNet
- Possibly providing a tablet to use for consent with future trials
- Educational session to increase comfort

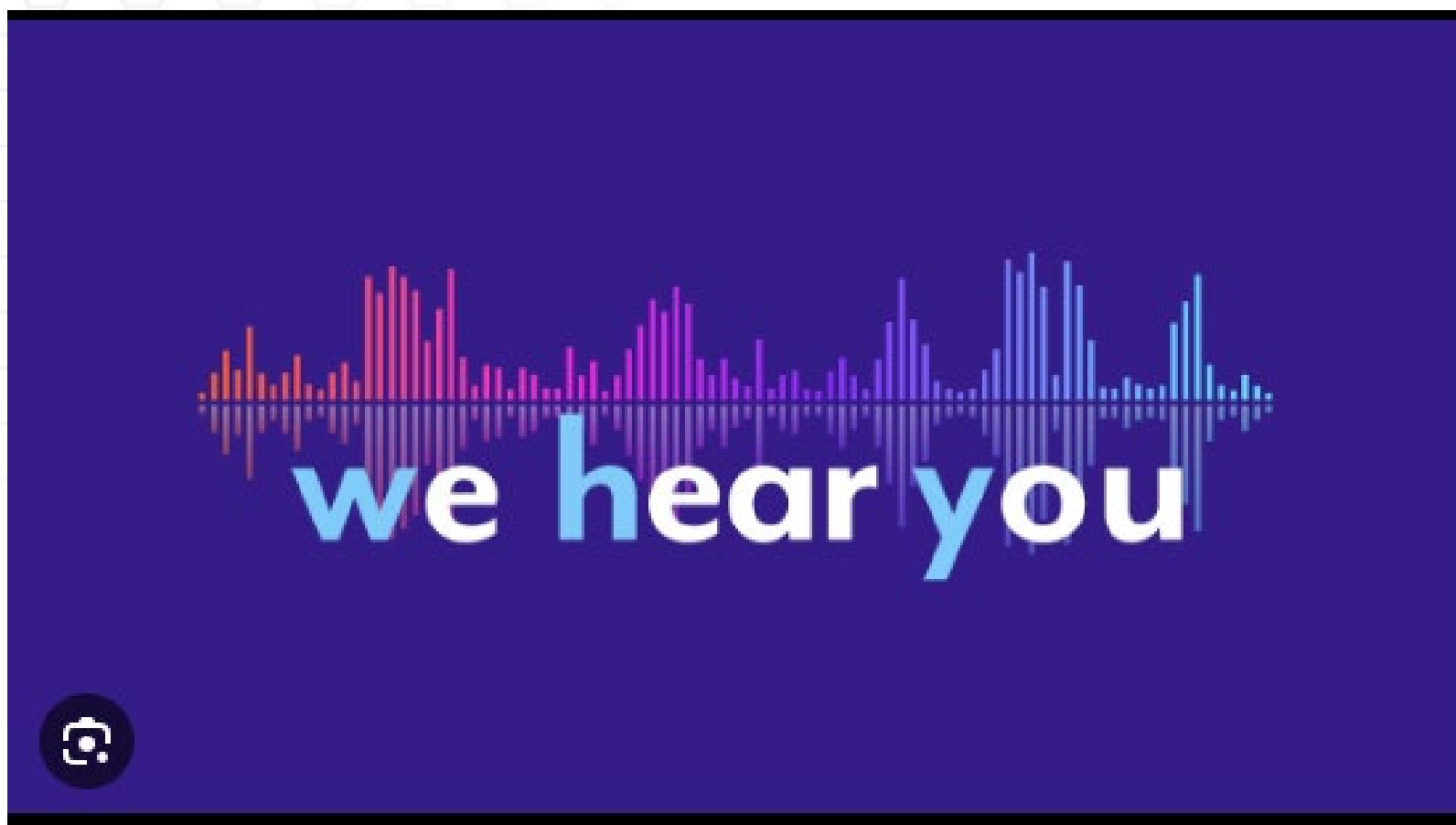
Site communication

Mostly direct communication: in person, email, phone, text

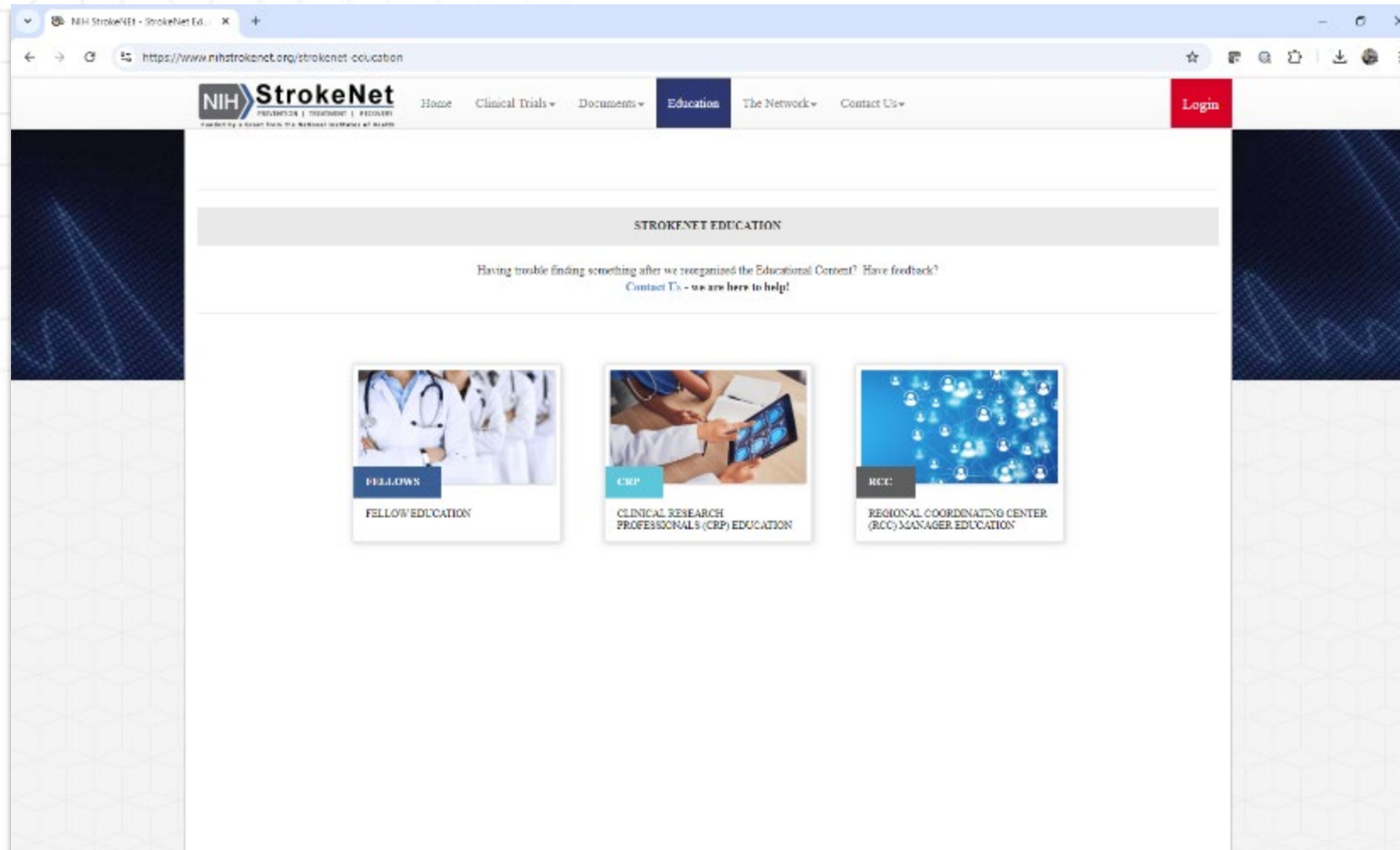


Current education needs

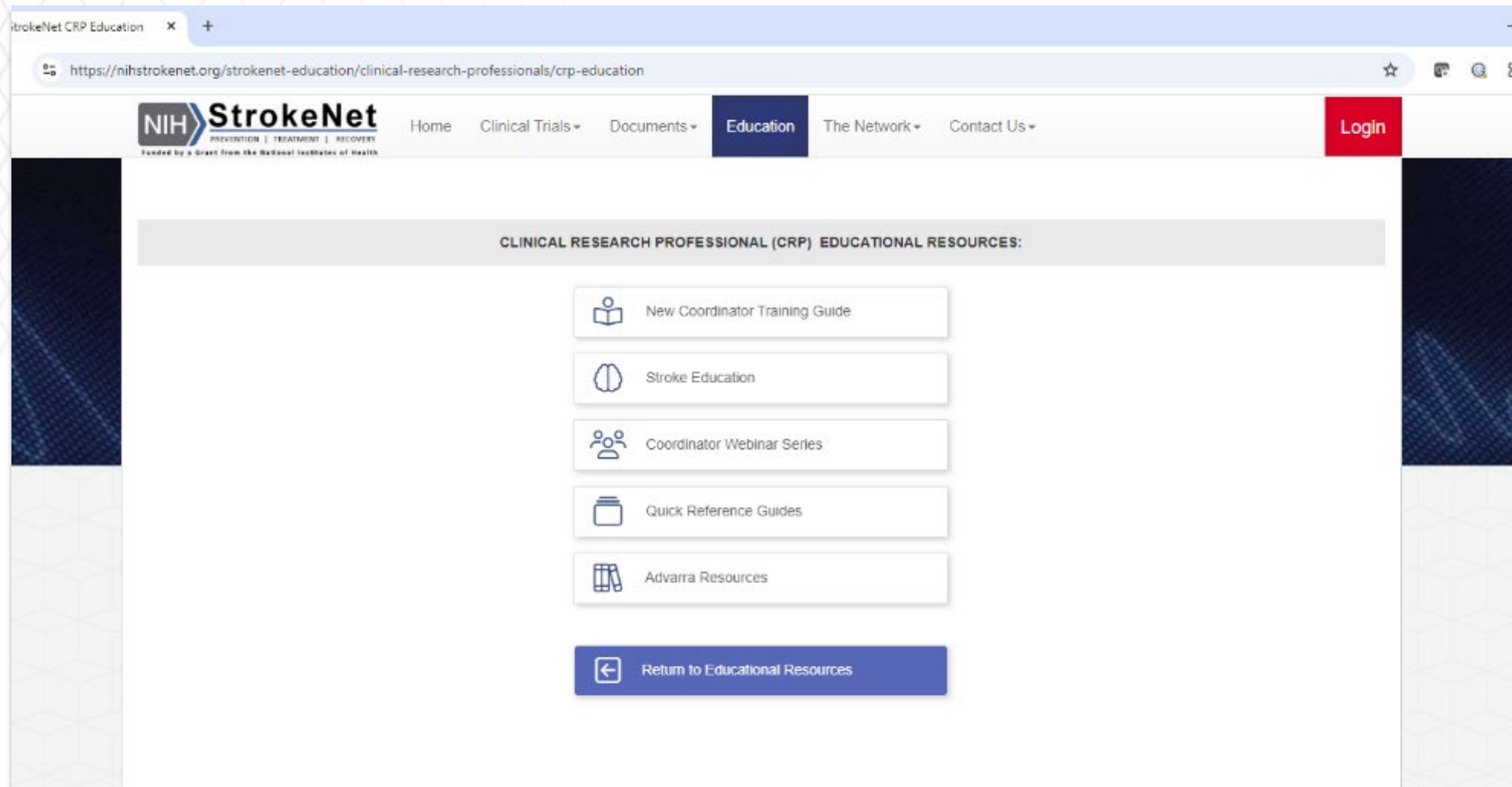
- Short, pragmatic how-to videos and slides on basics (source documentation, how to make a correction, AE/SAE reporting, checklists)
- Reorganization of the existing resources and WebDCU Toolbox
- Re-naming of webinars, abstracting the education to a separate slide deck, # system to make it searchable by keywords
- One on one mentorship is helpful, should be consistent for all new RCC managers
- Strengthening stroke knowledge, SOC vs research, imaging, etc.
- Lunch and Learns, in person boot camps for coordinators/ managers where cases are discussed on a peer-to-peer basis
- Clear definition of roles and responsibilities between study team members (PI/Sub-I/fellow/manager/coordinators/trial specific central PM)



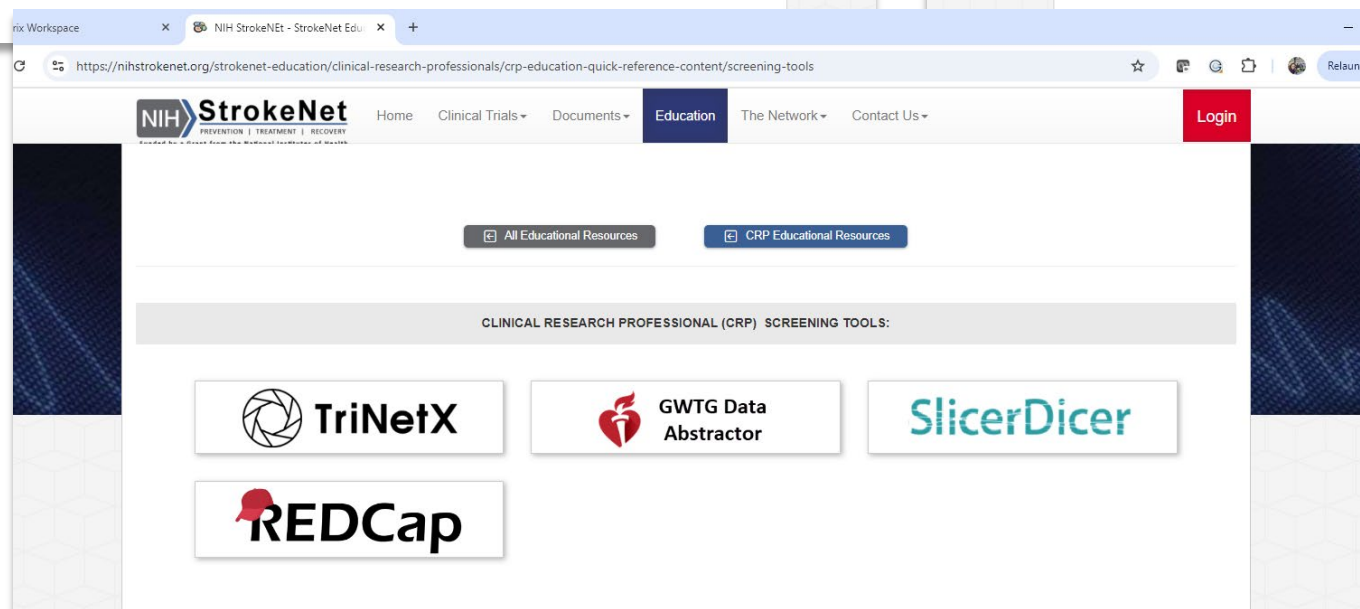
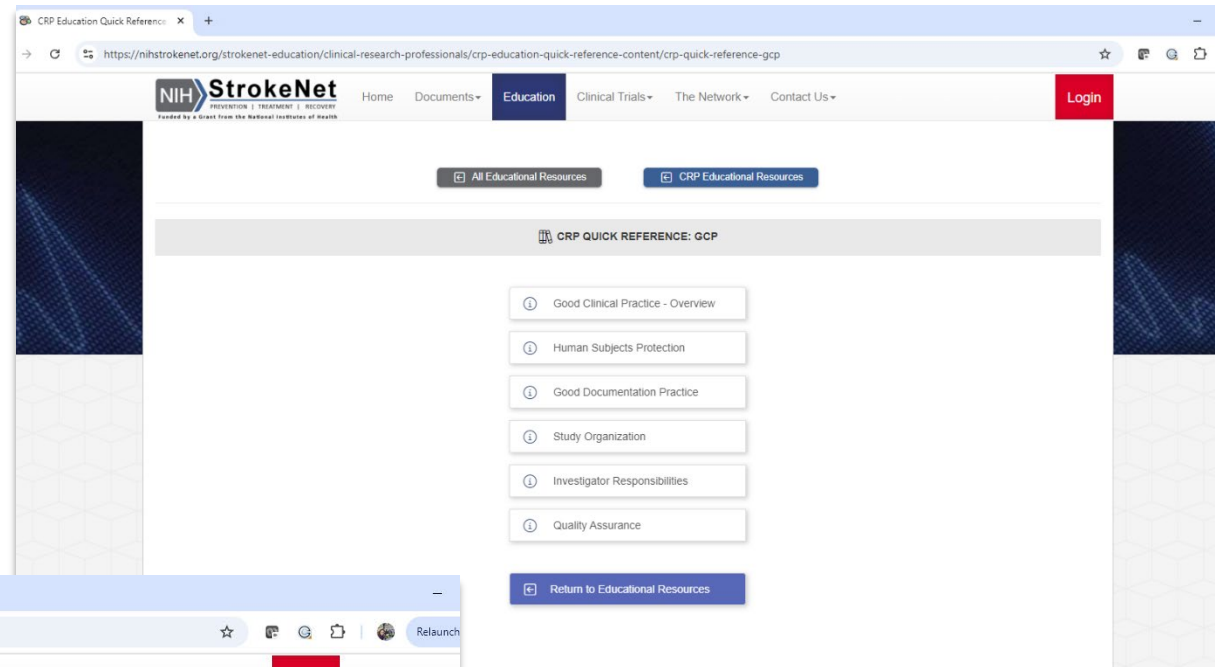
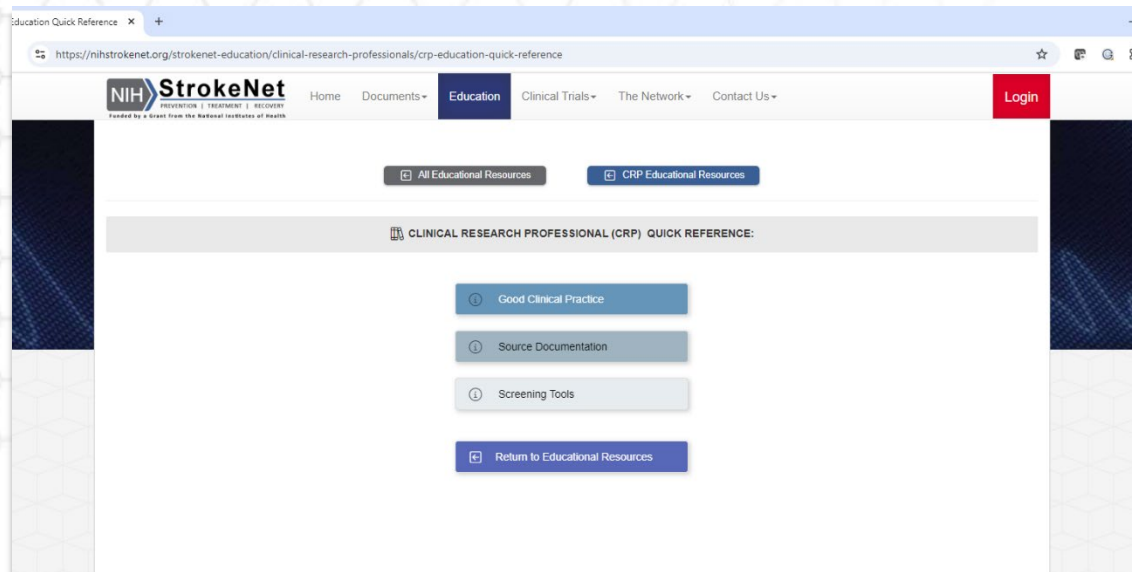
Updated website: <https://nihstrokenet.org/strokenet-education>



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Updated website: <https://dcu.musc.edu/campus/>

WebDCU™ CTMS Training

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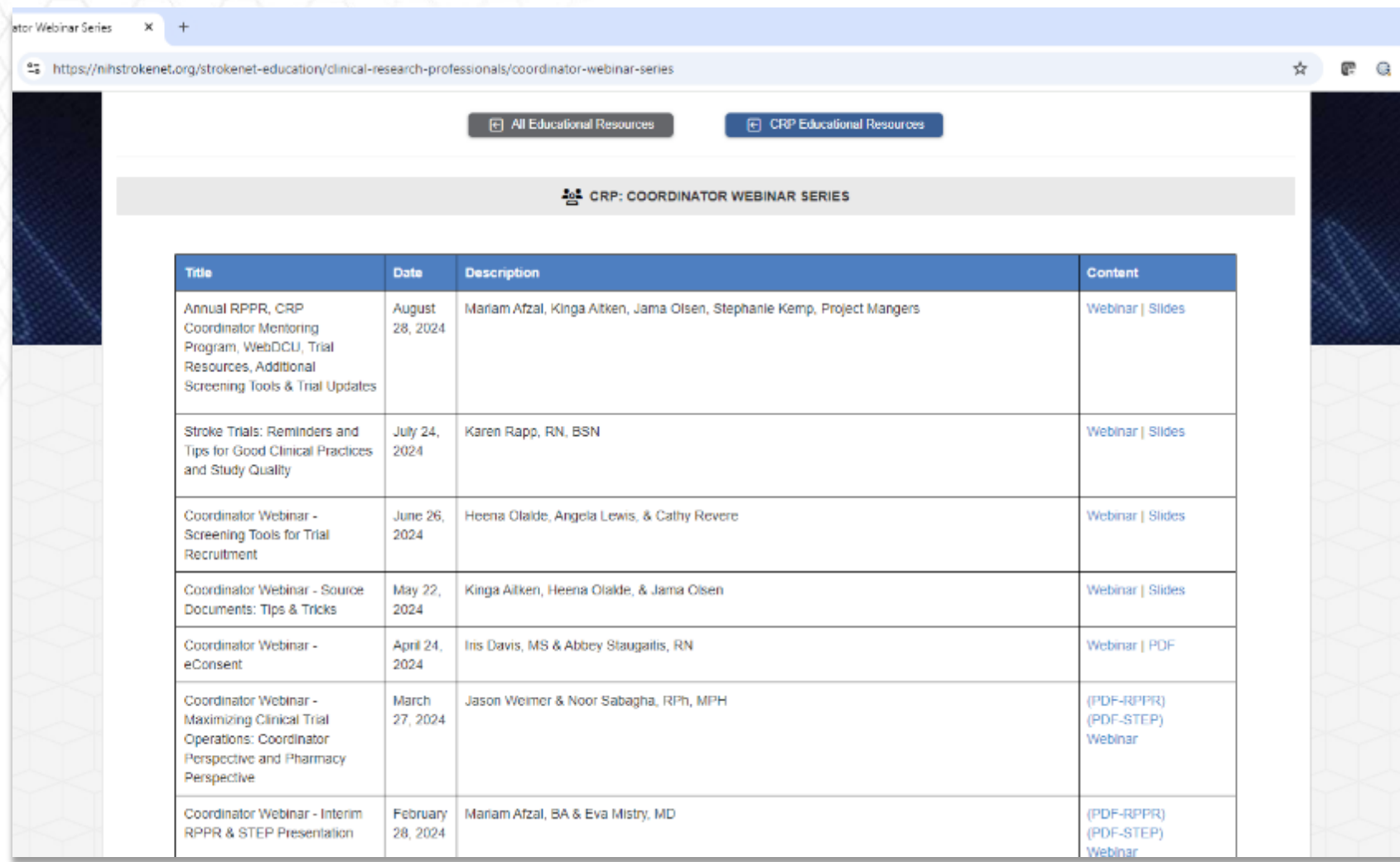
The image displays three browser windows showing the WebDCU™ interface for different systems: StrokeNet, CAPTIVA, and SATURN. Each window shows a user logged in as Kinga AITKEN with a 'Sign Out' button.

- StrokeNet Window:** The URL is <https://webdcu.musc.edu/nett/ListRecord.asp?theFormID=1015>. The page title is 'List: Project Documents'. It features the WebDCU and StrokeNet logos.
- CAPTIVA Window:** The URL is <https://webdcu.musc.edu/nett/ListRecord.asp?theFormID=1604>. The page title is 'List: Emergency Help'. It features the WebDCU and CAPTIVA logos and a 'Help' button.
- SATURN Window:** The URL is <https://webdcu.musc.edu/nett/ListRecord.asp?theFormID=1114>. The page title is 'List: Project Contact List'. It features the WebDCU and SATURN logos, a 'Help' button, and a table of contact information.

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#	Contact type	First name	Last name	Phone	Email	Notes
1	NDMC Site Monitoring Manager	Jessica	Griffin		simonsjl@musc.edu	For monitoring and consenting questions. During working hours US Eastern time.

Coordinator Webinars



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https://nihstrokenet.org/strokenet-education/clinical-research-professionals/coordinator-webinar-series

All Educational Resources CRP Educational Resources

CRP: COORDINATOR WEBINAR SERIES

Title	Date	Description	Content
Annual RPPR, CRP Coordinator Mentoring Program, WebDCU, Trial Resources, Additional Screening Tools & Trial Updates	August 28, 2024	Mariam Afzal, Kinga Aitken, Jama Olsen, Stephanie Kemp, Project Mangers	Webinar Slides
Stroke Trials: Reminders and Tips for Good Clinical Practices and Study Quality	July 24, 2024	Karen Rapp, RN, BSN	Webinar Slides
Coordinator Webinar - Screening Tools for Trial Recruitment	June 26, 2024	Heena Olalde, Angela Lewis, & Cathy Revere	Webinar Slides
Coordinator Webinar - Source Documents: Tips & Tricks	May 22, 2024	Kinga Aitken, Heena Olalde, & Jama Olsen	Webinar Slides
Coordinator Webinar - eConsent	April 24, 2024	Iris Davis, MS & Abbey Staugaitis, RN	Webinar PDF
Coordinator Webinar - Maximizing Clinical Trial Operations: Coordinator Perspective and Pharmacy Perspective	March 27, 2024	Jason Weimer & Noor Sabagha, RPh, MPH	(PDF-RPPR) (PDF-STEP) Webinar
Coordinator Webinar - Interim RPPR & STEP Presentation	February 28, 2024	Mariam Afzal, BA & Eva Mistry, MD	(PDF-RPPR) (PDF-STEP) Webinar

Future webinars

- October 2024 - Career advancement: Abby Staugaitis, Dave Haney and Mariam Afzal
- Integration of clinical care & research: PI and coordinator perspective
- Grant management 101, everything an RCC manager must know (Mariam Afzal)
- WebDCU navigation
- Roles and responsibilities for PI, Sub-I, RCC Manager, Trial Coordinators
- Collaboration with DEI Core

NEW CRP Mentoring Program

- Open to any CRC participating in at least 1 SN trial
- Small group, interactive learning sessions w/ mentor
 - Max 5 mentees/ mentor
- Certificate of completion offered
 - can be used towards professional clinical research certification/re-certification
- Mentors: subject matter experts vetted by the CRP Core
- Go live: January 1, 2025

Topics

Topics from 4 sections:

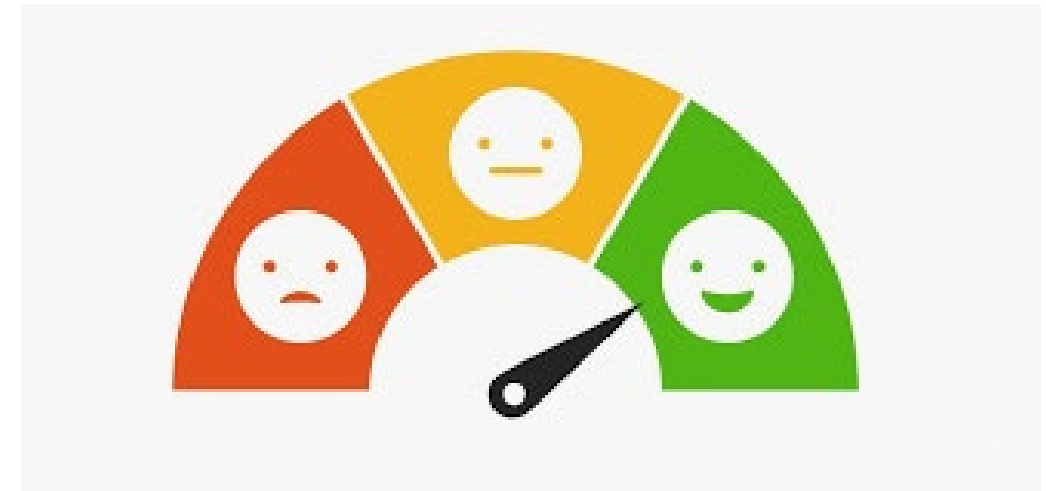
- StrokeNet policy
- Consenting (e.g. role play, eConsent, tech back method)
- Regulatory and Data Management (GCP, documentation best practices, start-ups, cIRB reliance Cincinnati vs Advarra, Monitoring)
- Communication and professionalism
(e.g. how to communicate with clinicians/pts/families)

Additional Education Topics?

What other educational topics would you like to see the StrokeNet CRP core address in the coming months?

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Questions?

