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## CPRC/TRUC Merger

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Cancer Protocol Review Committee <ccprc@umn.edu>

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Dear Investigators and Study Staff,

In an effort to increase efficiency we are merging the Trial Resource Utilization Committee (TRUC) into the Cancer Protocol Review Committee (CPRC).

Highlights of the change:

- You will not need TRUC approval prior to submitting to CPRC. It is now one unified process.
- There will now only be one application sent to CPRC - the TRUC application is no longer needed.
  - The new applications are attached: one for population science studies, and one for all other studies. A population science specific application was created to capture population science specific information and eliminate unnecessary questions that are not applicable to these studies.
- Once you submit your application to CPRC, it will still undergo a feasibility and resource review as part of the CPRC process.
- The TRUC website and email address will be deactivated. Please continue to utilize [z.umn.edu/cprc](http://z.umn.edu/cprc) for committee information and email [ccprc@umn.edu](mailto:ccprc@umn.edu) for all communications to the committee.
- Please note there is still a CPRC Expedited Initial Application for all Retrospective Chart Review, Retrospective Sample Review, Prospective Data Registry, and Prospective Specimen Repository studies.

We hope this new process lessens PI burden and reduces your startup timelines. Please contact [ccprc@umn.edu](mailto:ccprc@umn.edu) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mark Kirstein, PhD | CPRC Co-Chair  
Bruce Peterson, MD | CPRC Co-Chair  
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