



**Position Announcement
Executive Director
Clinical Trials Transformation Initiative**

Organizational Overview

The Clinical Trials Transformation Initiative (CTTI) is a public-private partnership formed in 2007 by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and Duke University to modernize the way clinical trials are conducted. CTTI has over 60 member organizations with broad representation of sectors across the clinical research enterprise.

CTTI's mission is to identify practices that through broad adoption will increase the quality and efficiency of clinical trials by:

- (1) identifying incremental improvements in the way clinical trials are currently conducted, and
- (2) bringing together members and FDA leaders to envision and shape the way clinical trials will be conducted in the future.

CTTI is led by an Executive Committee which sets strategic direction and areas of priority, and is co-chaired by Robert Califf, MD, Vice Chancellor of Clinical Research at Duke and Director of the Duke Translational Medicine Institute, and Rachel Sherman, MD, MPH, Associate Director for Medical Policy, Center for Drug Research and Evaluation at the FDA.

Executive Director

The Executive Director, as an employee of Duke University, provides senior level oversight, management and coordination of CTTI operations and activities. This individual assists the Executive Committee in developing and refining strategies to accomplish CTTI's mission. The Executive Director implements the infrastructure necessary to successfully execute these strategies, leads CTTI staff, oversees the conduct of CTTI projects, and manages CTTI finances. A key component of this role involves orchestrating efforts to leverage the participation of member organizations and external stakeholders, fostering collaborations, and promoting the reach and awareness of CTTI.

Requirements

This position requires a Bachelor's degree in a life science, clinical, clinical research, technical or related field; and ten years of experience in progressively responsible senior management roles in the health care, medical products, or clinical research industries; regulatory agencies; health care-related foundations; patient advocacy organizations; professional societies; or academic institutions. Strongly prefer candidates with an advanced degree (MD, PhD, PharmD, MPH, MBA) and experience in multiple sectors.

For employment consideration, please submit current resume to www.hr.duke.edu/jobs/apply (requisition #400563216). We offer a competitive compensation program with an excellent array of benefits designed to meet the needs of employees and their families.

For additional information about CTTI, please refer to the website at www.trialstransformation.org.