

# The VERIFY STUDY

Validation of Early Prognostic Data for Recovery  
Outcome after Stroke for Future, Higher Yield Trials

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## Study TIPS

- Strongly prefer that FM & ARAT are performed by PT/OT.
- FM at Visit 2 & 6 must be performed by the same person.
- Neither TMS operator nor TMS assistant should do 90-Day FM or ARAT.
- Two people should be listed for TMS Operator, TMS Assistant, and the Behavioral Assessments in the DOA log.

**\*\*We recommend 4 team members on the VERIFY study at each site. Please refer to VERIFY Staff Roles PowerPoint slide for more details\*\***



“Thanks to all sites for your efforts getting the contract, MRI, and IRB documents in order. We will answer some critical questions in VERIFY and must get past these hurdles to get started.”

-Steve Cramer, MD,  
MMSc

## Action Items

### Protocol Signature Page v1.3

- All site PIs must complete & upload to WebDCU.

### Investigator Agreement v1.0

- PIs & Sub-Is must complete & upload to WebDCU.

### MRI Questions/Surveys

- Due on 11Feb2022. If have not already done so, please send completed surveys to Lisa Mundo at mundokl@ucmail.uc.edu.



## Study Updates

### Payment Schedule V2.0

- The site start-up payments have been increased by 50% to accommodate the standard StrokeNet 50% indirect rate. You can access this payment schedule via the same payment schedule link provided on the CTA (page 18).

### WebDCU

- WebDCU is currently being updated. Please hold off on submitting DOAs or regulatory documents until the updates have been completed. We will send an email to all sites once you can proceed uploading and completing documents in WebDCU again.

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- Virtual Training Launch is on 02.28.2022 from 2pm - 4:30pm ET.** At this meeting, important information will be shared and initial training will occur, so **ATTENDANCE IS CRITICAL.** Zoom Login details have been emailed to all sites.

**Email QUESTIONS to: [verifystudy@ucmail.uc.edu](mailto:verifystudy@ucmail.uc.edu)**

# VERIFY Site Status

	CTA Submitted	CTA Completed	CIRB Submitted	CIRB Completed
University of Wisconsin University Hospital				
UVA Medical Center				
Baystate Medical Center				
Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC)				
Montefiore Medical Center				
University of Cincinnati Medical Center				
The University of Utah				
Lahey Hospital & Medical Center				
San Francisco General Hospital				
UCSF Medical Center				
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center				
UF Health Shands Hospital				
University of Alabama Hospital				
UT Houston (Memorial Hermann Texas Medical Center)				
NYU Langone Medical Center - Tisch Hospital				
Pennsylvania Hospital				
University of Maryland Medical Center				
Emory University				
MedStar Washington Hospital Center				
Duke University Hospital				
Harborview Medical Center				
Houston Methodist Hospital				
Massachusetts General Hospital				
Penn State Hershey Medical Center				
OSU Wexner Medical Center				
Ronald Reagan UCLA Medical Center				
University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics				
University of Michigan University Hospital				
UPMC Presbyterian Hospital				