
Learn more about current research opportunities

IU Liver Research:

<http://medicine.iupui.edu/iuliverresearch/>

Translational Research and Evolving Alcoholic Hepatitis Treatment (TREAT) Consortium:

<http://alcoholichepatitis.org/>

Other opportunities at Indiana University - Purdue University Indianapolis:

<https://www.indianactsi.org/partres/clinicaltrial>

We encourage you to ask your IU doctor about current research opportunities at your next visit!



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Liver Research at the IU School of Medicine

*Where Patients and Physicians
Work Hand-in-Hand to
Advance Treatments for Liver
Diseases*

Patient and Caregiver
Information Guide

The liver research group includes seven physicians and several clinical research nurses and coordinators. We have many faculty members with continual federal funding, and we publish more than 100 full-length papers each year in high-quality medical journals. Our faculty members serve as editors and members of many respected biomedical journals. We also have faculty members who serve on study sections and on the boards of many national and international research organizations.

Although many patients have a basic understanding of clinical research, certain concerns exist that keep patients from participating in clinical trials. These issues include lack of awareness, fear of side effects, assignment to placebo arm, confusion about insurance coverage, time commitment, and travel to the research center. Despite these worries, we have had great success with motivated patients who want access to new treatments and to help advance science. Additionally, most clinical trials reimburse for cost of travel and parking. Your IU doctor and our research staff are happy to help answer any questions or concerns you have about research participation.