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The CWRU Conflict of Interests Committee (COIC) works closely with the clinical/hospital affiliates to streamline and harmonize outside financial interest disclosure and review.

If you have a primary faculty appointment at University Hospitals, MetroHealth, or the Cleveland Clinic, please work with your respective primary institution to comply with the outside financial interest disclosure process of that institution.

NOTE: If your primary appointment is with Louis Stokes Cleveland Veterans Affairs Medical Center, you are required to complete the annual CWRU Outside Financial Interest Disclosure Form.

Contact Information for Affiliate Hospitals

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS (UH)
Beginning in 2012, CWRU Faculty with primary UH appointments are not required to fill out the annual CWRU Outside Financial Interests Disclosure Form. Rather, CWRU will accept a disclosure form completed using UH’s on-line disclosure tool, called COI-Smart, to fulfill the CWRU disclosure requirement. CWRU and UH share the information disclosed in COI-Smart for CWRU Faculty with primary appointments at UH; the disclosures are reviewed under both CWRU and UH’s Conflict of Interest policies. This is done in an effort to eliminate multiple reporting requirements between the two affiliated institutions.

For more information about completing your UHCMC COI-Smart disclosure, please send an email to OutsideInterests@uhhospitals.org

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THE METROHEALTH SYSTEM (MHS)
MHS requires Medical Staff and Employees to submit an annual MHS Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form. For further information regarding research and conflict of interest at MHS, contact:

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LOUIS STOKES CLEVELAND VETERANS AFFAIRS MEDICAL CENTER (LSCVAMC)
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LSCVAMC requires that all investigators, collaborators and research personnel fill out an LSCVAMC Conflict of Interest Statement upon initial project submission and annual review. For further information regarding LSCVAMC COI policies and procedures, please contact:

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THE CLEVELAND CLINIC  
The Cleveland Clinic requires annual conflict of interest disclosure by Professional Staff (Faculty) and other employees via Cleveland Clinic’s Conflict of Interest Online Reporting System. For further information regarding the Cleveland Clinic disclosure policies and procedures please contact:

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