

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

- 1. When are the Advance Certificate Program(s) in clinical research offered and what is their duration?**  
Advance Certificate Program(s) in clinical research are offered throughout the year. Duration of each Advance Certificate Program is 6 months.
- 2. Who would provide us the study material and when would we receive it?**  
Catalyst Clinical Services Pvt. Ltd. would provide the customized study material holistically covering the program curriculum you have opted for. The study material would be dispatched within two weeks of receiving the Application Form completed in all respect. The study material(s) should reach with in 15 days of date of dispatch, failing which participants are advised to contact the program director.
- 3. What is the evaluation process? Is there any written examination at the end of program?**  
The evaluation process consists of award of credits at two levels i.e. Assignment and Project Work. Participants are required to secure minimum qualifying credits at individual level and overall 60 credits (and above) for the successful completion of a respective Advance Certificate Program in clinical research. There is no written examination at the end of program.
- 4. What are the credentials of Catalyst Clinical Services Pvt. Ltd.?**  
Catalyst Clinical Services Pvt. Ltd. is a contract research organization that has made pioneering initiatives with regards to clinical research training and development activities. Till date more the 4000 participants (individual and corporate) from 156 cities across 7 countries have already benefited from various clinical research-training programs offered by the company.
- 5. Are Advance Certificate Program(s) in clinical research recognized/accredited by any university?**  
Advance Certificate Program(s) are skill development program and does not require recognition/accreditation from any university. The Program content have been developed by a team of clinical research professionals having more than 20 years of cumulative experience in the conduct of global clinical trials. The Program Director has personally conducted and supervised over 80 clinical trials (Global registration, Phase II CTNRs, IITs etc.) across a wide range of therapeutic areas including oncology, endocrinology, CNS, critical care, andrology etc. along with several International publications.
- 6. Can I pay the program fee in the installments?**  
The entire program fee is payable at the time of enrolment in order to secure a confirmed registration.
- 7. Who would assign the topic for project work and where would it be conducted?**  
The topic for the project work will be assigned by the Program Director and it would be required to be completed along with the assignments. Completion of project work will not involve travel to any organization.
- 8. Would you provide any placement after completion of Advance Certificate Program(s) in clinical research?**  
We would be providing placement guidance to the participants as and when required. Potential employers in this field include pharmaceutical companies, biotechnology companies, contract research organizations, site management organizations, research and academic institutions etc. In addition, participants can join our CR Network at <http://catalystclinical.ning.com> to view the latest job openings.