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**WP5 – CODE**

**D5.6 Set of tools for RDCT including training materials for stakeholders (e.g., principal investigators, patients, regulatory representatives and inspectors, etc.)**

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## Introduction

In order to support future implementation of Decentralised Clinical Trials (DCTs) in Europe, the Trials@Home consortium designed online training and education materials to introduce the concept of DCTs to different stakeholder groups. This report summarizes the set of tools created by Trials@Home.

An overview of the training materials is available on the website: <https://trialsathome.com/training-sessions-and-kits/>

As described in D5.3 and D5.4, several questionnaires were developed for different stakeholders to probe these groups for their training needs related to DCTs. Based on that information, Work Package CODE created various tools such as internal webinars, external webinars, videos, infographics, and layman translations of scientific papers/posters that were shared outwardly.

## Internal training

The Trials@Home consortium organised several internal webinars on various topics related to the project or RADIAL. These are not publicly available.

## External training

WP CODE created a general awareness campaign on DCTs.

These videos and infographics address the following topics:

- What is Trials@Home?
- What is IMI?
- What are clinical trials and which different types exist?
- What are decentralised clinical trials?
- What is a clinical study protocol?
- Clinical trial phases

Aside from these high-level videos, the consortium researchers developed several videos in which they summarize their research:

- Facilitators and barriers for DCTs from a regulatory perspective (<https://youtu.be/tRvfXxjZYFY>)
- Mock ethics review with European ethics committees for a decentralised clinical trial approach (<https://youtu.be/tl4I9w7wWA8>)
- Patient preferences for decentralised clinical trial approaches (<https://youtu.be/AISfnKTn27w>)
- Which and if decentralised and on-site conduct of trial activities were reported in CT protocols with a trial start date in 2019 or 2020 (<https://youtu.be/7yA0NxOt5I4>)
- Decentralised, patient-centric, site-less, virtual, and digital clinical trials? From confusion to consensus ([https://youtu.be/e4\\_82rqclU](https://youtu.be/e4_82rqclU))
- Opportunities and challenges of DCTs from an HTA perspective (<https://youtu.be/5uMPshhdTFA>)
- Different stakeholder views on conducting DCTs, including lessons learned, the advantages and disadvantages (<https://youtu.be/CYO8Tc-nAG4>)
- Specific tools and technologies that can be used to support conduct of decentralised clinical trials (<https://youtu.be/5pvc7UBHVeg>)

## Course materials

The consortium developed educational materials that together form a course about DCTs. These materials are still being finalised and will be made available on the project website as well as through other course providers.

## Educational materials supporting scientific articles and posters

To support the understanding and dissemination of the Trials@Home scientific articles, several laymen versions of articles and a poster were created to make them more accessible and educate patients and the general public on the topic of DCTs. (<https://trialsathome.com/training-sessions-and-kits/>)

## RADIAL-specific training materials

As part of Trials@Home, a proof-of-concept trial was conducted that is called RADIAL. For this clinical trial, WP

CODE helped to develop several training materials for trial participants and trial sites. This includes a patients flow and a site flow describing the various steps of RADIAL. Most of these materials are not publicly available, as they are deemed study-specific and of limited value outside of the context of RADIAL.

The instruction video on eConsent is made available publicly: [eConsent video](#)

## **Final Recommendations**

A legacy website will be created (coming soon, Sept/Oct 2025) with the project's final recommendations and learnings that were generated throughout the project. These final recommendations will be presented at the project's closing event on 31 October 2025 in Utrecht. (<https://trialsathome.com/closing-event-trialsathome-a-home-run/>).