



WHO WE ARE

The Electronic Patient-Reported Outcome (ePRO) Consortium was established by Critical Path Institute (C-Path) in 2011. Along with C-Path, the members of the ePRO Consortium are firms that provide electronic data collection technologies and services for capturing patient-reported outcome (PRO) and other clinical outcome assessment (COA) data in clinical trials.

OUR MISSION

The ePRO Consortium's mission is to advance the science of clinical trial endpoint assessment by collaboratively supporting and conducting research, designing and delivering educational opportunities, and developing and disseminating best practice recommendations for electronic collection of clinical outcome data.

HOW WE DO IT

The ePRO Consortium provides a pre-competitive environment in which leading industry experts can collaborate to develop specification documents and data standards, provide guidelines on methodological considerations related to eCOA applications, and generate measurement equivalence data.

MEMBER FIRMS



COVID-19: Risk Assessment and Mitigation Strategies

In collaboration with C-Path's PRO Consortium, the ePRO Consortium developed the presentation titled "[Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\): Risk Assessment and Mitigation Strategies for the Collection of PRO Data through Clinical Sites](#)." This presentation provides:

- ✓ Recommended risk assessment and mitigation strategies for consideration by trials sponsors and eCOA providers to facilitate the continued collection of PRO data in clinical trials

Recent Publications and White Paper

Critical Path Institute's ePRO Consortium. Best Practices for Participant Registration in Clinical Trials Using Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Technology for Data Collection. April 2021. Available from: c-path.org/ePROC/

Gertel A, Raymond S, Vallow S, Arnera V, Crescioni M, Chassany O, Bodart S, Eremenco S on behalf of the Electronic Patient-Reported Outcome Consortium. Demystifying submissions of eCOA documentation for ethics committee review: are we making submissions more difficult than necessary? Applied Clinical Trials 2020. Available from: <https://www.appliedclinicaltrials.com/view/demystifying-submissions-of-ecoa-documentation-for-ethics-review-are-we-making-submissions-more>

ePRO Consortium Membership

Membership is open to companies providing technology and/or services associated with the electronic collection of COAs. New members welcome!

eCOA: Getting Better Together Initiative Resources Now Available!

- **What:** An ongoing collaborative, pre-competitive initiative among C-Path, clinical trials sponsors from the PRO Consortium, eCOA providers and CROs from the ePRO Consortium, and FDA
- **Aims:**
 - Identify and address the root cause of issues with eCOA implementation in clinical trials
 - Elevate eCOA improvement efforts above the individual company level
 - Drive positive and lasting change across the clinical trial eCOA ecosystem
- **Resources Online:** [ePRO Consortium Website – eCOA Initiative Tab](#)
 - eCOA Lexicon:
 - An aligned eCOA Lexicon for use by stakeholders across the eCOA ecosystem
 - eCOA: Process/Workflow and Roles/Responsibilities
 - Defines an eCOA process and workflow that aligns expectations for successful eCOA strategy development and deployment and clarifies roles and responsibilities



ePRO Consortium Leadership

Acting Director Sonya Eremenco, MA – Critical Path Institute
 Industry Vice Director Paul O'Donohoe, MSc – Medidata Solutions

Previous Webinars - Recorded

February 17, 2021 – Hosted by DIA's Study Endpoints Community and Presented Jointly by the ePRO Consortium and PRO Consortium
 eCOA: Getting Better Together Initiative – An Update from C-Path's PRO Consortium and ePRO Consortium

October 29, 2020
 COVID-19: Risk Assessment and Mitigation Strategies for the Collection of PRO Data through Clinical Sites – Lessons Learned

Visit c-path.org/ePROC/ to access webinar recordings!

Upcoming Events!

DIA 2021 Global Annual Meeting
[eCOA 102: Beyond the Basics - Operational, Scientific, and Best Practices for eCOA and Wearable Devices in Clinical Trials](#)
 Date: June 23, 2021
 Time: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm ET

DIA Digital Technology in Clinical Trials Conference
 Dates: October 28-29, 2021
 The ePRO Consortium is co-sponsor of the 2021 DIA Digital Technology in Clinical Trials Conference