INTRODUCTION TO

REDCap
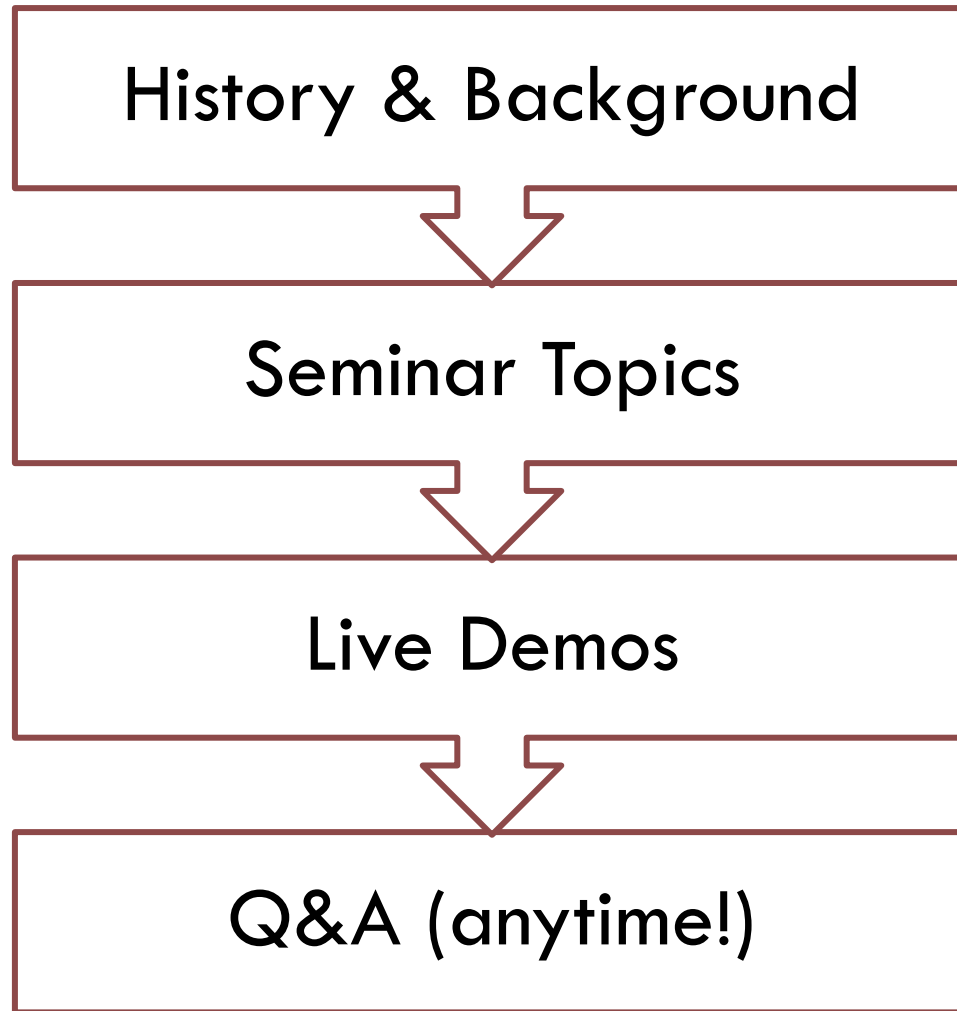Research Electronic Data Capture

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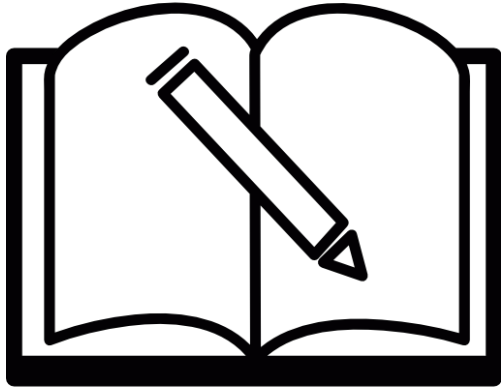
Presenter: Julissa Acevedo, REDCap Administrator

TODAY'S AGENDA

History & Background

Seminar Topics

Live Demos

Q&A (anytime!)

History & Background

WHO CREATED REDCAP & WHO USES IT?

THEN

2004: Developed at Vanderbilt Univ.

2006: Global consortium started

2010: University of Chicago joined

2011: Center for Research Informatics created

NOW

Worldwide:

+2400 institutions /115 countries

+430,000 projects

+559,000 users

UChicago:

+2600 projects

+2900 users

Map of REDCap Consortium Partners

WHO IS THE CRI?

Services

= high performance computing and data storage

= bioinformatics data analysis services

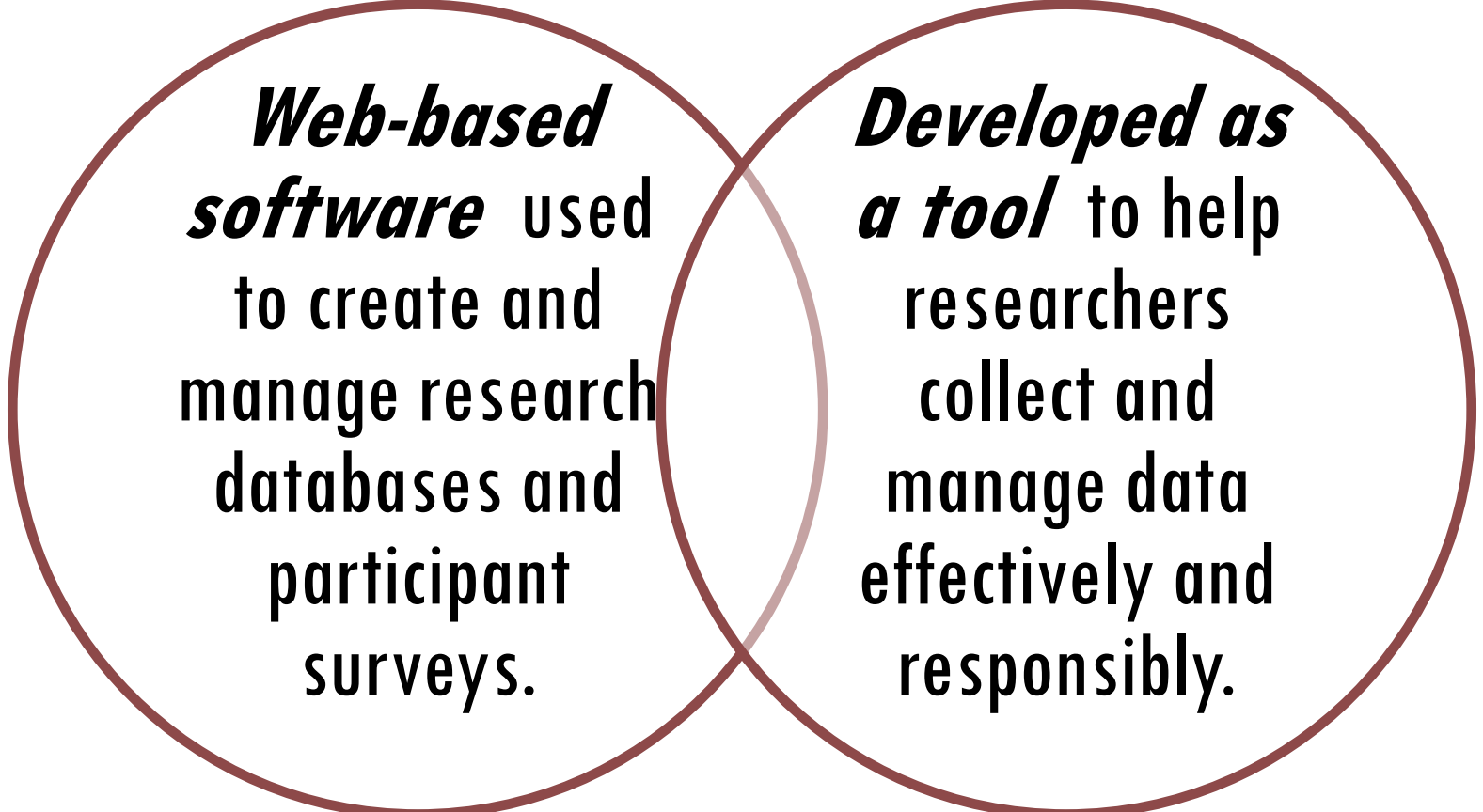= clinical research data acquisition

= research data management tools

Location

The Shoreland

5454 South Shore Drive, Suite 1D

Chicago, IL 60615

Website

cri.uchicago.edu

Web-based software used to create and manage research databases and participant surveys.

Developed as a tool to help researchers collect and manage data effectively and responsibly.

WHAT ARE THE ADVANTAGES?

Accessible
- web-based access (on and off campus)
- access for multi-site collaborations

Customizable
- fast and flexible to design
- modifications at anytime

Accurate
- ensures consistent and accurate data entry
- data quality checks to look for errors

Secure
- user authentication against BSDAD or UCHAD
- nightly backups, weekly vulnerability scans

Free
- includes training, design guidance, troubleshooting

‣ SEMINARS TOPICS

Project Setup

- Creating a project
- Adding and editing fields
- Optional modules and customizations
- Testing your project
- Moving to production

Using Surveys

- Enabling surveys
- Settings & customizations
- Public link vs private links

Applications & Tools

- Record status dashboard
- Project change log
- Exports and reports
- Data dictionary
- File repository

FUTURE SEMINARS

JANUARY 4th

- Making the Most of REDCap: Beyond Basic Skills

JUNE 8th

- Making the Most of REDCap: All About Surveys

REGISTER

- https://cri.uchicago.edu/seminar-series/

Project Setup

REDCAP ACCESS

REDCap™

Log In

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external accounts →

password help →

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help@bsd.uchicago.edu

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