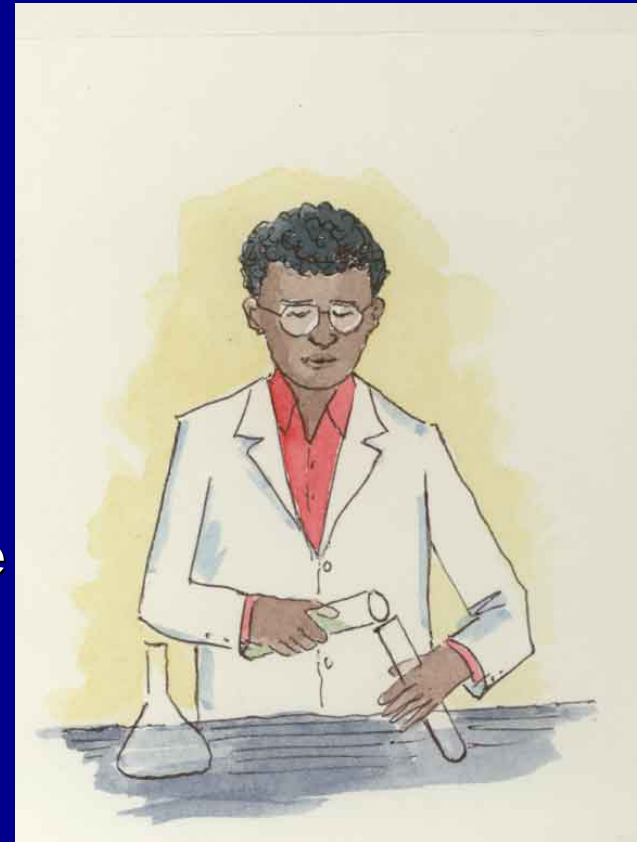


Clinical Research – My Perspective

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Outline

- Introduction
- Clinical research
- Tips
- Questions / Discussion



Introduction

- Clinician
- Project/Supervisor
- Transition period
- Progress
- New skills

- How to design a study
- Ethical considerations
- Recruitment
- Laboratory techniques
- Statistics
- Critically analyse data (own and others)
- Grant applications / Research funding

Clinical Research - Benefits

- Adds another dimension to career
- Improves future career opportunities
- Opens other doors
- Enables development of a niche of clinical interest
- Enhances capacity as a clinician
- Develop new/other skills
- Interact with non-medical professionals

Clinical Research

- Hard work
- Scholarships and funding
- No guarantee of a positive outcome
 - Choose study and supervisor carefully

Tips...

- Keep options open
- Attend meetings
- Establish track record
- Seek advice
- Find a good supervisor and project
- Grant/scholarship application success
- Genuine interest helps

