



PCOR Assessment-Physicians

Introduction

Thank you for taking the time to complete this 5 minute survey. The Society of General Internal Medicine (SGIM) has been funded by the Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) to engage SGIM member clinicians and clinician-educators in how best to participate in Patient Centered Outcomes Research (PCOR). The purpose of this assessment is to understand your experience and knowledge about PCOR and to identify the facilitators and barriers for you and your patients in participating in PCOR and patient-centered comparative clinical effectiveness research opportunities.

At the end of the survey, please let us know if you want to be included in a drawing for a \$250 prize. Thank you.

1. What is your gender?

- Male
- Female
- Other (please specify)

2. What is your age?

- 18-29
- 30-49
- 50-64
- 65 or older
- Other (please specify)

3. What is your race?

- White
- Hispanic or Latino
- Black or African American
- Native American or Alaskan Native
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Other (please specify)

4. Please select the best description of your current position.

- Clinician
- Clinician-educator
- Administrator
- Clinician-investigator
- Other (please specify)

5. What percentage of your time do you devote to the following activities:

Clinical

Education

Administration

Research

6. Have you participated in research?

- Yes as an investigator.
- Yes, to help recruit patients.
- No.
- Other (please specify)

7. Have you participated in Patient-Centered Outcomes Research or Clinical Effectiveness Research?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

8. If no, then what do you need to know before you would want to participate in Patient-Centered Outcomes research? Please rank in order of importance (eg, #1 for most important)

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Time required
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Patient involvement or commitment required
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Final purpose of study
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Compensation or other benefits
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Authorship or other career development opportunities related to the research
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Other

9. Are there comments you want to make regarding the previous question?

10. How can clinicians facilitate PCOR to ensure it is clinically relevant?

- Participation in determining the research questions.
- Consideration of what research findings impact might have on their patient's health.
- Engagement on the research team.
- Other (please specify)

11. How can patients facilitate PCOR to ensure it is relevant to them?

- Participation in determining the research questions
- Consideration of what research findings impact might have on their (or their family's) health
- Engagement on the research team.
- Other (please specify)

12. Rank the following consideration in order of importance for their impact on clinician engagement in research. (#1 as most important).

☰	<input type="text"/>	Compensation
☰	<input type="text"/>	Flexibility of timing to participate
☰	<input type="text"/>	Personal/professional interest in topic/issue being studied
☰	<input type="text"/>	Support structures available at my practice (eg. staff time)
☰	<input type="text"/>	Authorship or other career development opportunities related to the research
☰	<input type="text"/>	Other

13. Are there comments you want to make regarding the previous question?

14. Rank the following barriers in order of importance of prohibiting clinician engagement in research (#1 as most significant barrier, #4 is least significant barrier).

☰	<input type="text"/>	Time commitment/lack of staff support to participate
☰	<input type="text"/>	Lack of trust in researchers or of the ultimate goal of the research
☰	<input type="text"/>	Lack of interest in topic
☰	<input type="text"/>	Too difficult for patients to participate
☰	<input type="text"/>	Lack of opportunities for authorship or other career development related to the research
☰	<input type="text"/>	Other

15. Are there comments you want to make regarding the previous question?

16. What might make it easier for your patient to be part of a research study?

- compensation
- consideration of special needs
- transportation/having research conducted in their vicinity
- participation in defining the research questions
- child care and other social supports
- language and cultural consideration
- Other (please specify)

17. What are the main barriers in participating in research for your patients?

- They may not feel it benefits them or their families.
- Physical challenges (travel, time involved)
- Patients' lack of trust of the researchers or research goals
- Other (please specify)

18. Please rank the following statements regarding your willingness to participate in PCOR (#1 is most likely to participate, #5 is least likely).

⋮	<input type="text"/>	I would be likely to participate in research which is industry-funded.
⋮	<input type="text"/>	I would be likely to participate in research which is government funded.
⋮	<input type="text"/>	I would be likely to participate in research that is inclusive of multiple co-morbid conditions.
⋮	<input type="text"/>	I would be likely to participate in research that includes patients in the design process.
⋮	<input type="text"/>	I would be likely to participate in research that is recommended by a colleague or local health care system.

19. Are there comments you want to make regarding the previous question?

20. How could SGIM support our members' engagement in PCOR?

- Provide ongoing information on PCOR opportunities on website and at Annual Meetings.
- Conversation on GIM or in a blog on PCORI and PCOR.
- Using Social Media to advertise PCOR.
- Other (please specify)

21. THANK YOU for your participation. Please include your email address if you wish to be included in a drawing to receive \$250.

22. May we contact you to follow up on this survey?

- YES
- NO