The University of Arizona Clinical and Translational Sciences Research Center (CATS) is the perfect location for all of your clinical research and testing needs!

The mission of the CATS Research Center is to provide facilities, dedicated staff, and expertise to support clinical research. The Center occupies 3700 square feet and provides 8 private exam rooms as well as rooms for private intravenous infusions. It also provides a larger multi-subject study room with 7 infusion chairs. There are 8 exams rooms, 2 pediatric observation rooms, a reception/waiting area, 2 conference rooms, 2 sample processing/storage rooms and a room for taking vital signs and performing ECGs. A negative pressure room is available for performing sputum induction. Staffing consists of a Coordinator and a Registered Nurse. The facilities and equipment are routinely inspected and maintained. CATS staff are trained in human subject research through the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) program, they receive HIPAA and Good Clinical Practice Guidelines training. The Center’s lab has a Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendment (CLIA) waiver and has equipment which includes 2 minus 20° freezers, refrigerators, one minus 80°C freezer, 2 centrifuges (both are refrigerated centrifuge), automated blood pressure machines, an ECG machine and 2 defibrillators. The CATS Research Center is located just north of the University of Arizona on the west side of Campbell Ave. Our office is located neatly between the Banner University Medical Center - Tucson campus and the Arizona Cancer Center, which allows convenient use of hospital resources including clinical laboratories, radiology, and other clinical departments.

Services: There are a wide range of resources and services that we have available to accommodate the needs of your particular study or patient visit. All CATS services are available for a fee and as resources permit.

- Exam rooms
- Recruitment Assistance
- Infusion Rooms
- Ethics Library
- Phlebotomy
- Study Design
- Specimen processing and/or shipping
- Vital Signs Collection
- IV administration for infusion therapies
- Statistical consulting and/or analysis
- Chemotherapy
- Telemedicine video conferencing
- PK monitoring
- On site tablet PC availability
- EKGs
- Database design and creation
- Study Coordination
- Data storage services with optional remote access
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