What is the Emergency Department Research Coordinator (EDRC) Program?

The EDRC Program places highly-trained research staff members in the Emergency Department to help effectively identify and enroll participants while rigorously adhering to study protocols and completing study procedures.

EDRC Services
- Patient screening
- Consent/permission to contact
- Completion of research protocols, including surveys and simple procedures.

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Our Mission
To support the conduct of high-impact clinical and translational research by providing investigators efficient and effective research services

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Access to a variety of patient populations

• Children and adolescents
• Adults, older adults, and visitors
• Patients with traumatic injuries or rare diseases