Information for Research Participants

Questions and Answers about Clinical Trials
http://www.fda.gov/oashi/clinicaltrials/clintrialdoc.html

Why Volunteer?
http://www.fda.gov/opacom/lowlit/cltr.html

Becoming a Research Volunteer: It's Your Decision
http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/outreach/documents/3panelfinal.pdf

Folleto: Ser Voluntario en Estudios Clinicos: Es Su Decisión
http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/espanol/OHRP3PanelSpanish.pdf

Questions to Ask
http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/outreach/questions.html

Deciding to Participate
http://www.cgirb.com/subjects/deciding.php

Who Protects Research Participants?
Please visit IRB webpage

Research Glossary
http://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/info/glossary

ClinicalTrials.gov is a registry of federally and privately supported clinical trials conducted in the United States and around the world.
http://clinicaltrials.gov/

Investigator Training
Carolinas HealthCare System (CHS) requires completion of CITI (Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative) modules to meet the training requirements for investigators and IRB members. The CITI program is a web-based training focusing on human subject protection. The University of Miami maintains the CITI web site, with content developed by a national consortium.
https://www.citiprogram.org/default.asp

Recommended Reading

Protecting America's Health Through Human Drugs - FDA Consumer Magazine
http://www.fda.gov/fdac/special/testtubetopatient/default.htm

Belmont Report - Ethical Principles & Guidelines for Research Involving Human Subjects
http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/humansubjects/guidance/belmont.htm