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***A Political History of Patient Safety and Human Subject Ethics in
Randomized Controlled Trials***
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Program Goals:

1. Understand how historical context has significantly impacted the development of randomized controlled trials, their place within the field of evidence-based medicine, and how scientific quality and ethical quality have often aligned in this history.
2. Explore how social, political, and economic contexts have influenced the development of key ethical safeguards for research subjects in clinical trials.
3. Examine the dynamics between politics, regulation, and ethical science.
4. Consider how changing social norms have advanced considerations of participant diversity in clinical trials.
5. Obtain lessons from history that may inform how we think about approaching contemporary and future challenges that emerge in relation to clinical trial ethics.

Target Audience:

Emergency Medicine, Family Practice, General Practice, Internal Medicine, Neurology, Nutrition, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Multiple Specialties, Nurse Practitioner, Pharmacist, Physical Therapy, Psychology, Public Health, Physician Assistant, Social Work, Primary Care, Anesthesiology, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation

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