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What is Electronic Investigator Site File (eISF)?

eISF is a web-based platform that investigational sites can use as a replacement for the typical paper-based Investigator Site File (ISF) for a clinical trial.

Site participation in eISF is voluntary. However, because of the anticipated site benefits, we want to ensure that sites fully understand eISF in order to make an informed decision.

When a site utilizes eISF—they have full ownership of the contents—just as they do when managing essential study documentation via a paper binder.

Florence is the eISF vendor that we are working with.

We are offering the use of eISF for new Sponsor studies, at no cost to sites.

Potential benefits for research sites utilizing eISF

- Cost effective, minimizes site document storage costs
- Green solution: reduces use of paper
- Removes paper burden for managing essential documents (no need to print and scan)
- Easy to search and locate documents
- eSignatures for Study Investigators
- Remote monitoring of the site file
- 25-year electronic archiving

Key features of Florence eISF to aid research sites

Simple Site Account Set-up Process

Intuitive Navigation & Document Management

Streamlined Signatory Process

Audit Trail

Next Steps

If you are interested in utilizing Florence eISF to help manage your investigator site file, please notify your Sponsor CRA as soon as possible.

If you have already confirmed your interest in using Florence eISF for this study, it is good to consider who will be your eISF Account Administrator at your site. Once identified, please inform your CRA.

If you have further questions about Florence eISF, please visit Why Florence | MSD - Florence (florencehc.com).