

University of Cincinnati Clinical Translational Research Curriculum

In conjunction with the [Center for Clinical & Translational Science & Training \(CCTST\)](#)

COURSE TITLE: **Collaboration & Team Science**

COURSE: **BE-7040; 23SS**

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CREDIT HOURS: **2 credits**

DAY & TIME: **Thursday, 9:00 AM – 10:50 AM, starting January 12, 2023 – April 20, 2023**

ZOOM MEETING: [Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Link: <https://ucincinnati.zoom.us/j/92709741334?pwd=YWtXMktvYm55MmtvQzRyaVE2cXkzZz09>

COURSE SCHEDULE:

Week	Date (Zoom Host)	Topic (Guest Speakers)	Objectives
Block 1: Team Science Overview - Basics			
1	1/12/23	Overview of the course and introduction of Team Science concepts	Introductions and overview of how the course will be conducted Definitions and concept map for team science. Models for team science competencies.
2	1/19/23	Team Readiness and Competencies	Assessment tools for measuring collaboration skills and “readiness” Exploring the concept of “team player” Team assignments and team breakout work (Pre-work: Readiness to Collaborate and/or competency assessment).
3	1/26/23	Creating Teams and Team Development	Strategies for creating different types of teams Workgroups versus teams (Tuckman’s model) Opting In and Opting Out (personal engagement)

Block 2: Functioning Teams (Introduction of Case Studies)			
4	2/2/23	Team Function and Dysfunction	Review “The Five Dysfunctions of a Team” by Lencioni; Psychological Safety and Trust (psychological safety/trust assessment) (Introduction to case studies – Name their dysfunction)
5	2/9/23	Communication and teams	Communication styles and team functioning (Colors) (introduction to case studies)
6	2/16/23	Understanding and managing conflict in teams	Good and bad conflict, Team features that impact conflict, Crucial conversation skills Diversity
Block 3: Team Dynamics			
7	2/23/23	Skills for collaboration: CliftonStrengths from Gallup	Nature vs Nurture: Personality traits and learned skills Interpersonal skills for collaboration Use and overuse of strengths
8	3/2/23	Team Diversity IDI workshop	<i>Bridging diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) with teams in the workplace with the Intercultural Development Inventory (IDI) – in conjunction with 2023 Staff Professional Development week</i> Diversity in Teams
9	3/9/23	Emotional Intelligence	How team member EI impacts team development and how to address EI issues at a team level
NO CLASS 3/16/23 – UC SPRING BREAK: Monday, March 13, 2023–Sunday, March 19, 2023			
Block 4: Team Science Special Topics			
10	3/23/23	Team Wellness	Team wellbeing
11	3/30/23	Team leadership and management	Roles and functions for managers and leaders Leadership styles Leading resilient teams (Leadership Style Assessment Tools)
12	4/6/23	Purposeful Networking: Finding and using connections	Extending the boundaries of the team (Social Network Analysis)
13	4/13/23	Team Presentations/ Discussion	
14	4/20/23	Change Management (workshop)	Change driven education versus education driven change