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Good morning -

You questions cannot be specifically answered as it depends on the clinical trial, the investigational product and the sponsor requirements. Please see a few FDA guidance documents that might be helpful to you.

http://www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/Guidances/ucm070305.pdf

http://www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/.../Guidances/UCM070337.pdf

http://www.fda.gov/downloads/Drugs/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/UCM269919.pdf Please also see footnote 10 on page 4. It references auditing of clinical trials.

<u>Compliance Policy Guides > CPG Sec. 130.300 FDA Access to Results of Quality Assurance Program Audits and Inspections</u>

Kind regards,

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From:

Sent: Friday, June 26, 2015 5:27 AM

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Dear Sir,

Greetings!

I am in process evolving our clinical quality control and assurance program and require guidance on following questions:

- 1. Whom shall QA and QC function report? Is it head of clinical R&D or head of institute?
- 2. What percentage of clinical study data should be audited for Quality assurance?
- 3. Can one open the old clinical study reports and subject to intense quality assurance program?, if yes, how to treat the discrepancies, if any in the CSR.

Best regards,