



Regulatory Amendments

In September 2009, CIRM's Standards Working Group recommended changes to the regulations governing funded-research. A discussion of the changes and summary language may be found at the following links:

- http://www.cirm.ca.gov/files/SWG_Briefing_Report_3_Appendix.pdf
- http://www.cirm.ca.gov/files/meetings/pdf/2009/CIRM_MES_regulations_Revisions_9_30_09.pdf

Interstate and International Collaborations

The California Institute for Regenerative Medicine (CIRM), the state's stem cell agency, and the state of Maryland announced a collaborative agreement, see: http://www.cirm.ca.gov/PressRelease_092109

The California Institute for Regenerative Medicine (CIRM), the state's stem cell agency, and Germany announced a collaborative agreement, see: http://www.cirm.ca.gov/PressRelease_091709

Stem Cell Line Registration

CIRM received applications from UCSF for the registration of 12 hESC line derived with CIRM funding.

Stem Cell Science New Directions

CIRM sponsored a follow up seminar discussing issues related to the use of stem cells in predictive toxicology and environmental health. The workshop was designed to bring together experts from the fields of the environmental health sciences, stem cell biology and drug development to orient the participants to trends in each field and identify areas of research overlap.

New Videos on Clinical Research Success Stories

We have posted a new leukemia video highlighting clinical applications: http://www.cirm.ca.gov/Video_SpotlightLeukemia

In addition, we have compiled video from stem cell awareness day: <http://www.cirm.ca.gov/Videos>