



## AGENDA

### How to protect Healthy Volunteers from Exploitation in Biomedical Research?

Wednesday October 19th

10:00 - 10:10 am **The VoREthics Initiative - Learnings from the first plenary meeting**

**François Bompert** Access Committee Chair  
Drugs for Neglected Disease Initiative, Inserm Ethics Committee France

10:10 - 10:20 am **Introduction by the co-chairs and overview of the HealthyVOICES and CMORE projects**

**Jill A. Fisher**, Professor  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

**Rebecca L. Walker**, Professor  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

10:20 - 10:50 am **Exploitation in North American Healthy Volunteer Research: Ethical and Practical Considerations**

**Trudo Lemmens**, Professor, Scholl Chair in Health Law and Policy  
University of Toronto, Canada

**Seema Shah**, Founders' Board Professor of Medical Ethics and Associate Professor  
Northwestern University, USA

**Roberto Abadie**, Assistant Professor  
University of Nebraska, USA

10:50 - 11:20 am **Experiences of North American Healthy Volunteers: Phase I Drug Trials and Controlled Human Infection Studies**

11:20 - 11:50 am **Open discussion with the audience: identified risks of exploitation, field experiences, recommendations**

Moderated by  
**Jamie M. Norward**, RN  
Atrium Health CMC

11:50 - 12:00 pm **Concluding Remarks**

**Jill A. Fisher**, Professor  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

**Rebecca L. Walker**, Professor  
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**François Hirsch**, Inserm Honorary Research Director, VoREthics Coordinator  
Inserm Ethics Committee, France



#### VoREthics

Volunteers in Research and Ethics initiative



Towards Ethical Guidance to Protect Healthy Volunteers in Biomedical Research