



Collaborative Centers Checklist

Hospitals/Health systems that are interested in participating as a Collaborative Center should email the Chest Wall Injury Society to indicate their intent to submit an application as early as possible in the preparation process. Once all criteria are met, contact the Chest Wall Injury Society via information@cwisociety.org to finalize the submission process and receive confirmation.

The term of approval is for two years – and then (if applicable) a center would have the opportunity to engage in subsequent re-application cycle(s).

Patient Care and Access	
One required	At least one specialist with interest in chest wall injury <input type="checkbox"/>
	Site champion must be an active CWIS member <input type="checkbox"/>
	Site champion must have clinical availability to evaluate and manage patients <input type="checkbox"/>
Rigorous Research	
One required	Contribute patients to Chest Injury International Database (CIID) or a local patient repository of surgical and non-surgical patients that will retrospectively contribute data to CIID at least annually <input type="checkbox"/>
	Act as a contributing center for a CWIS-approved study <input type="checkbox"/>
	Minimum of 2 peer-reviewed journal articles per application cycle with a chest wall focus <input type="checkbox"/>
	Presentation at a CWIS educational activity at least annually <input type="checkbox"/>
Education and Networking	
One required	Participation in the CWIS Mentorship program (as either a mentor or a trainee) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Participation in a CWIS based course (when available) as either an instructor, curriculum developer, or participant <input type="checkbox"/>
	Participation in a Ribinar, Ribcast, Case Review Series, or Journal Club Series as a presenter, discussant, or moderator <input type="checkbox"/>
	Participation in a publication project (Practice guidelines, patient education materials, video series) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Participation on a CWIS committee, task force, or workgroup <input type="checkbox"/>
High-Quality, Team-based, Evidence-based Care	
Req	Have a minimum of ONE non-surgeon member of CWIS <input type="checkbox"/>
One required	Adherence to society demonstrated recommendations/best practices/guidelines <input type="checkbox"/>
	Sharing of site-specific practices and protocols with other institutions (community/multi-disciplinary outreach presentations) <input type="checkbox"/>
	Use of Slack social media to contribute to the greater shared knowledge of the society <input type="checkbox"/>

To advance the care of the patient with chest wall injury through rigorous research, promotion of patient access, navigation and advocacy, coordination of education and networking, and practice of high quality, evidence-based, cost-effective care.