

CARIBCHAT IRB CANON

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Abstract

CaribChat is Arm A of the CANONIC Community Learning Study. Caribbean cancer navigation. Eight countries. Governed ledger. No PII. Filed for US exempt determination through private IRB.

hadleylab.org Governed Research. Every claim cited.

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1. Study Arm

| Field | Value |
|--------------|---|
| Arm | A |
| Scope | TALKS/CARIBCHAT |
| Domain | caribchat.ai / carib.chat |
| Population | Caribbean cancer patients, caregivers, clinicians |
| Geography | Trinidad & Tobago, Jamaica, Barbados, Bahamas, Guyana, Saint Lucia, Dominica, Antigua & Barbuda, Suriname |
| Sessions | 55+ (as of 2026-03-18) |
| Active Since | 2026-03-02 |
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| Launch | CAOH 2026, July 17-19, Hilton Trinidad, Port of Spain |

2. Filing Status

| Filing | Status | Target |
|---------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| US Exempt Determination (private IRB) | Draft | 45 CFR 46.104(d)(4)(ii) |

3. IRB Package

| Document | Spec |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Protocol | PROTOCOL |
| Informed Consent Form | ICF |
| Exempt Determination | EXEMPT |
| Consent Waiver | WAIVER |
| Data Security Plan | SECURITY |
| Clinical Trial Listing | LISTING |

4. Constraints

- MUST: Operate under 45 CFR 46.104(d)(4)(ii) exempt determination
 - MUST: Record exactly three fields per ledger entry (date, question text, session identifier)
 - MUST: Anonymize at point of capture, not post-hoc
 - MUST: Maintain append-only immutability on all community learning evidence
 - MUST: Cover all eight Caribbean jurisdictions declared in study arm
 - MUST: Compile PDF artifacts from governed markdown (protocol.pdf from PROTOCOL.md)
 - MUST NOT: Collect IP addresses, device identifiers, or demographic information
 - MUST NOT: Contact study subjects or attempt re-identification
 - MUST NOT: Deploy without completed exempt determination filing
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