Key questions defining research program:

1) Is there a difference in 30-day readmission rates for patients managed via OPAT/telemedicine model vs a traditional OPAT model?

2) Are IVDA patients discharged on PO antibiotics for complex infections more likely to develop a recurrence or require a 30-day readmission?

Key words describing research program:

1) OPAT
2) Telemedicine
3) IVDA

Titles for shovel-ready research projects:

1) Use of telemedicine in monitoring patients on OPAT

2) Outcomes for patients seen by a general ID consult service via telemedicine

3) Outcomes for IVDA patients discharged on PO antibiotics vs maintained in house for IV antibiotics

Data sources for shovel-ready research projects:

1) OPAT database