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Robin McWherter, CMRT

Chief, Research Operations and Facilities

Robin McWherter is co-founder and Chief Research Operations and Facilities and co-developer of TargaCell Corporation's non-invasive stem cell delivery technology for heart repair.

She has over 20 years of preclinical and clinical research experience and is a serial entrepreneur, founding and managing several independent clinical nuclear pharmacies and two successful restaurants. She has played critical roles as a nuclear pharmacy specialist in both preclinical and clinical trials at the Harrington Cancer Center and Texas Tech University Medical Center at Amarillo. Robin was the nuclear pharmacy specialist for our academic Phase 1/2 immunotherapy clinical trials, which included in vivo trafficking of radiolabeled, adoptively transferred, cytotoxic lymphocytes in breast and ovarian cancer patients. She was responsible for culturing and radiolabeling the cells, product safety assessment, and coordinating all infusion administrations and imaging studies for the trial.

Currently, Robin is the Director of Animal Science at the Jesse Brown VA Medical Center in Chicago, an AAALAC accredited facility with numerous commendations for excellence and oversees all regulatory oversight of animal research, health, and welfare and is the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee Administrator. In addition, she transformed this facility into a barrier (specific pathogen-free) facility highly desirable for conducting preclinical research studies and promoting the health and welfare of animal subjects.

She is a Certified Medical Radiology Technologist and Radiation Safety Officer and has extensive training at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center at San Antonio. Additionally, she was an Instructor at Amarillo College in their Nuclear Medicine Technologist training program.