Searching for Biomarkers in NCIt - Include v4.5
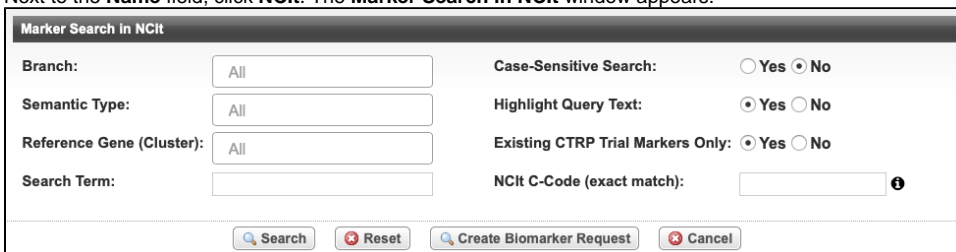
ⓘ To add biomarkers to NCIt, see Adding Biomarkers to the NCIt Database.

How to Search for Markers in NCIt

1. Search for the trial of interest. For instructions, refer to Searching for Trials in PA.
2. In the search results, click the NCI Trial Identifier link for that trial. The Trial Identification page appears.
3. On the **Trial Identification** page, check out the trial. For instructions, refer to Checking In and Checking Out Trials. (This checkout step is optional for Super Abstractors.)
4. On the **Scientific Data** menu, click **Markers**. The Markers page appears.
5. Click **Add**. The Add Marker page appears.
6. Next to the **Name** field, click **NCIt**. The **Marker Search in NCIt** window appears.

Marker Search in NCIt		
Branch: All	**Case-Sensitive Search:** ◯ Yes ⦿ No	
Semantic Type: All	**Highlight Query Text:** ⦿ Yes ◯ No	
Reference Gene (Cluster): All	**Existing CTRP Trial Markers Only:** ⦿ Yes ◯ No	
Search Term:	**NCIt C-Code (exact match):** ⓘ	
🔍 Search ⊗ Reset 🔍 Create Biomarker Request ⊗ Cancel		

7. Enter all or part of the search/filter criteria in the fields provided.
8. To restrict your search by case, next to **Case-Sensitive Search**, select **Yes** (the default is case-insensitive).
9. To highlight the term you searched for in the list of results, next to **Highlight Query Text**, select **Yes**.
10. To limit the search to only existing Markers in CTRP, next to **Existing CTRP Trial Markers Only**, select **Yes**.
11. Select **Search**.
12. In the search results grid, click **Select** on the row that contains the appropriate marker.
    You are returned to the **Add Marker** page. The **Marker Name** field is populated with information from the marker you selected.

ⓘ If you do not find the marker you are looking for in the NCIt database, you must create a placeholder. For instructions, see Requesting New Permissible Biomarker Values or Adding Markers from HUGO to the caDSR Database.