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1) **webIRB processes to support new UCLA policies 916 & 917**

- The Vice Chancellor for Research and Creative Activities sent out a [BruinPost on July 18, 2022](#) announcing two new policies. For details on those policies, see Policy 916 & Policy 917.

- To facilitate implementation of these policies for human subjects research, ORIS has developed two new functions in the webIRB system:

  - **These functions will be implemented in webIRB starting July 22, 2022**
    1. An automatic check for GCP training for research staff on projects that meet the NIH definition of a clinical trial. This training check will work just like the automatic check for human subjects (HS) training that was rolled out in July of 2021.
    
    - As a reminder, the IRB accepts GCP training or HS training to meet the HS training requirement.

  2. Providing a sequential review by the SRC, when applicable, before IRB review.

    a. Details on the SRC process and an FAQ can be found on [this ResearchGo page](#)

    b. For any questions about the SRC process, please contact Terra Hughes at uclasrc@mednet.ucla.edu

2) **Learn at Lunch – upcoming presentation**

   Topic: **New UCLA Policies 916 & 917: what researchers need to know**
   Presenters: Terra Hughes, CTSI & Jon Orlin, OHRPP
   Description: Changes to webIRB applications to support UCLA Policies 916 & 917 and an overview of the Scientific Review Committee (SRC) process. Please note that this presentation will be recorded.
   Date: **July 28, 2022**
   Time: **Noon-1pm**
   Location: Zoom (register here for this meeting)

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