

OHRPP Updates

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NIH Policy on Single IRBs

- ❖ ~~Policy coming this month~~
released in June '16
- ❖ Effective for ~~Jan May~~ *Sept 25*
- ❖ Domestic sites of multi-center
- ❖ Applications to identify cIRB
 - Coordination plans & personnel
 - Certain direct costs allowable
- ❖ ~~IRB rely~~ *SmartIRB* framework in development

NIH Policy on Single IRBs

- ❖ **What to Do If UCLA Will Be Lead**
 - **Contact**
irbreliance@research.ucla.edu
 - **Provide preliminary info re project and sites involved**

- ❖ **What to Do if UCLA Will Rely**
 - **Instructions regardless of funding source**
 - **Regardless of which IRB will review**

If UCLA Will Rely

❖ Contact OHRPP

- irbreliance@research.ucla.edu
- which IRB?

❖ OHRPP will:

- Check if an agreement is in place
 - ❑ Initiate negotiations if new agreement needed
- Request relevant project info

If UCLA Will Rely

❖ PI will:

- **Complete local context form**
 - ❑ OHRPP will assist
- **Make local revisions to consent**
 - ❑ Checklist available on OHRPP website
 - ❑ OHRPP will review
- **Initiate registration in webIRB**
 - ❑ Truncated application
 - ❑ For tracking, follow-up and downstream services
 - ❑ Do not submit yet (unless Radiation)

If UCLA Will Rely

❖ webIRB Registration

- Complete sections 1.1, 1.1a, 1.1b, 1.2 and 1.3
- In Section 2.1, Item 4.0 select “UCLA to Rely on Another IRB”
- This will present a truncated set of pages
 - ❑ These will help PI/study team identify needed ancillary reviews (e.g. Radiation)
 - ❑ Don’t forget training!

If UCLA Will Rely

- ❖ **After Reviewing IRB Approves, submit webIRB registration**
 - Complete Sections 4.1 and 4.2
 - Attach IRB-approved documents
- ❖ **OHRPP will issue “External Review Accepted” notice**
 - Expiration date will track IRB’s
 - Don’t forget other approvals
 - Post-approval communications governed by agreement

Thank you!

❖ For questions:

- **Reliance**
 - ❑ irbreliance@research.ucla.edu
- **North & South General IRBs**
 - ❑ x57122
 - ❑ gcirb@research.ucla.edu
- **Medical IRBs**
 - ❑ x55344
 - ❑ mirb@research.ucla.edu