

IRB SOP: IRB Records				
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1 PURPOSE

- 1.1 This procedure establishes the process to maintain IRB records.
- 1.2 The process begins when records are received or created.
- 1.3 The process ends when records have been filed.

2 REVISIONS FROM PREVIOUS VERSION

2.1 None

3 POLICY

- 3.1 IRB records are to include:
 - 3.1.1 Electronic project files in the IRB shared Egnyte drive and in the CPHS IRB wufoo account.
 - 3.1.2 Minutes of IRB meetings.
 - 3.1.3 Copies of all relevant correspondence between the IRB and the investigators.
 - 3.1.4 Current and previous IRB member rosters.
 - 3.1.5 Current and previous IRB member files.
 - 3.1.6 Current and all previous policies and procedures.
- 3.2 Electronic protocol files are to include, as applicable:
 - 3.2.1 All submitted materials.
 - 3.2.2 Protocols.
 - 3.2.3 Investigator brochures.
 - 3.2.4 Scientific evaluations.
 - 3.2.5 Recruitment materials.
 - 3.2.6 Consent documents.
 - 3.2.7 DHHS-approved sample consent document and protocol, when they exist.
 - 3.2.8 Progress reports submitted by investigators.
 - 3.2.9 Reports of injuries to subjects.
 - 3.2.10 Records of continuing review activities.
 - 3.2.11 Data and safety monitoring board reports.
 - 3.2.12 Amendments.
 - 3.2.13 Reportable Events.
 - 3.2.14 Documentation of non-compliance.
 - 3.2.15 Relevant Correspondence between the IRB and investigator related to the protocol.
 - 3.2.16 Significant new findings and statements about them provided to subjects.
 - 3.2.17 For initial and continuing review of research by the expedited procedure:
 - 3.2.17.1 The specific permissible category.
 - 3.2.17.2 Description of action taken by the reviewer.
 - 3.2.17.3 Any findings required under the regulations.
 - 3.2.18 For exemption determinations the specific category of exemption.

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- 3.2.19 Unless documented in the IRB minutes determinations required by the regulations and protocol-specific findings supporting those determinations for:
 - 3.2.19.1 Waiver or alteration of the consent process.
 - 3.2.19.2 Waiver of documentation of consent.
 - 3.2.19.3 Waiver or alternation of HIPPA required authorization.
 - 3.2.19.4 Research involving children.
 - 3.2.19.5 Research involving adults unable to consent.
 - 3.2.19.6 Significant/non-significant device determinations.
- 3.2.20 For each protocol's initial and continuing review, the frequency for the next continuing review.
- 3.3 Policies and procedures include:
 - 3.3.1 Checklists.
 - 3.3.2 Forms.
 - 3.3.3 SOPs.
 - 3.3.4 Template letters.
 - 3.3.5 Template minutes.
 - 3.3.6 Worksheets.
- 3.4 IRB member files include a resume for each IRB member, confidentiality agreement and COI Documentation Form.

4 RESPONSIBILITIES

4.1 IRB Office staff members are responsible to carry out these procedures.

5 PROCEDURE

- 5.1 Minutes of IRB meetings: Save in the *IRB Meeting Documentation* file on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.
- 5.2 File correspondence related to a specific protocol in the protocol record located on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.
- 5.3 File correspondence NOT related to a specific protocol in a file related to that person or topic.
- 5.4 IRB member rosters: File in *IRB Membership Roster 20XX-20xx* file on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.
- 5.5 IRB membership records (e.g., curricula vita and resumes): File in *IRB Membership* files located on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.
- 5.6 Policies and procedures:
 - 5.6.1 File current policies and procedures in the *IRB SOP* file located on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.
 - 5.6.2 File outdated versions of policies, procedures, SOPs and forms in the appropriate *Archived* folder on the IRB Egnyte shared drive.

6 MATERIALS

6.1 None.

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7 REFERENCES

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