



Research Oversight: Human Subjects, Animals and Radiation

All research at Emory is regulated by research oversight committees, including the Institutional Review Board (IRB), which reviews all research involving human subjects, the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), and the Radiation Control Council (RCC) and other occupational health and safety committees.

Approval by the appropriate review committee(s), where necessary, is a condition for receiving Professional Development Support. It is each student's responsibility to confirm that his or her research has been properly approved by these committees. Please note that if you fail to submit your research protocol for appropriate review, you may be unable to use the data in future publications, including your dissertation.

Details about the requirements of these regulatory committees, as well as contact information and review procedures, can be found on their websites.

IRB: <http://www.irb.emory.edu/>. IRB staff members are available for informal consultations about your project. Even if you feel confident that your research does not require review, **we strongly encourage you to contact the IRB for an informal discussion.**

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RCC and other occupational health regulations: <http://www.ehso.emory.edu/>.

Review Certification

I certify that the research associated with this application for PDS funds requires review as follows:

IRB No Yes

IACUC No Yes

RCC No Yes

Other No Yes

For each "yes" checked, please attach a copy of the official approval letter. You may submit your application for review before you receive approval. However, **if your research requires review, you will not receive funds until you have forwarded copies of the appropriate review letters to the Laney Graduate School.**

Applicant Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature: _____

Faculty Review

We have reviewed the attached proposal and agree with foregoing certification.

Advisor Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature: _____

DGS Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature: _____