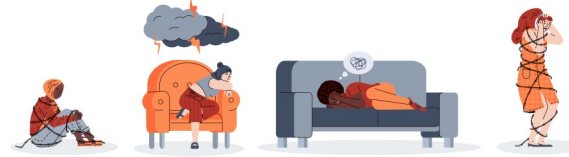




# IRB 360 NEWSLETTER

Connecting Research with Ethics

## Research involving Depression or Suicidal Ideation



Are you planning to conduct mental health research which may potentially reveal a person's depression or suicidal tendencies; either during eligibility screening or the actual study?

**“Thoughts that you would be better off dead, or thoughts of hurting yourself in some way”**

*from Patient Health Questionnaire-9 (PHQ-9)*



As responsible researchers, the study team should:

- \* Provide avenues for these persons to approach appropriate counselling services/mental help support e.g. *NTU's University Wellbeing Office (UWO)* for NTU staff & students, or community resources such as *Institute of Mental Health (IMH)* or *Samaritans of Singapore (SOS)*.
- \* Provide the relevant support **hotline number**. Include this information in the study protocol/ SOP, and also *Informed Consent Form*.



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