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Connecting Research with Ethics



COMPLIANCE MONITORING (CM)

OBJECTIVES

To ensure:

- 1. the safety and well-being of research participants;
- 2. that research involving human subjects are being conducted, recorded, and reported in accordance with IRB-approved protocols; and
- 3. research standards are maintained across NTU.

AM I ELIGIBLE FOR CM?

- The CM programme applies to all 'Expedited' and 'Full Board' research projects approved by NTU-IRB and conducted at NTU, including HBRA studies.
- Studies are selected for CM based on risk level and to cover the various research disciplines in NTU.

Please refer to our **Compliance Monitoring guidelines page** for more information.

TIPS FOR STUDY TEAMS

- Always be prepared for CM.
- Ensure all team members possess the required **trainings** throughout the study.
- Incorporate the use of logs and trackers found in our Forms page.
- Ensure adherence to the IRB approved protocol and use only IRB approved materials.
- Ensure all consent forms are appropriately filled and a signed copy is given to the research participants.
- Ensure that all participants recruited have met the eligibility criteria and document the screening process.
- Ensure that personal data is properly handled and secured with proper access control and protection.



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