

UNIVERSITY OF HYDERABAD
INSTITUTIONAL ETHICS COMMITTEE
1st meeting – March 2023
1st NOTIFICATION

This is to notify that the Institutional Ethics Committee (IEC) meeting of UoH is scheduled to be held in the **last week of March 2023** as per the permitted guidelines for its conduct in existence at that time. Kindly submit your proposals in the **enclosed prescribed application format** involving bio-medical/health & related research on human subjects, along with the following documents **by Wednesday 15th, March 2023 before midnight through an E-copy submission** to the following E-mail addresses:

1. IEC UoH Office - iecuohoffice@uohyd.ac.in
2. Member Convenor IEC - ieconvenor@uohyd.ac.in
3. Member Secretary IEC - iecmembersecretary@uohyd.ac.in

The following documents need to be submitted **together with the e-submission**: -

- Signed and dated **soft copy (preferably pdf)** of the proposal **in the application format enclosed.**
- (1) One Hard copy & (1) One soft copy of the proposal document not exceeding 3 pages duly signed by all participating investigator/collaborators **directly to Ms. Meharunnissa** – School of Medical Sciences Office.
- **Participant Information Sheet & Informed consent form** in lay – simple local language.
- **A brief CV of the Principal Investigator** if they are applying for the first time to IEC of UoH.
- **Proposals submitted by scholars/students should be duly signed and forwarded by the Guide/Supervisor.**
- **Clearly indicate whether you seek virtual data collection option in the form.**
- IEC approval of the other participating Institute, if any.
- Permission letters from collaborating/partnering centres.
- Proposals related to stem cell research/therapy should be sent to both IEC and IC-SCRT.
- **Applications for renewal/extension (as applicable) of the project should be sent along with the annual update of the proposal/progress report with prior IEC approval details in the separate format enclosed.**
- Major changes in protocol/methods will require a new application submission and cannot be considered for extension.
- Information on funding/sponsorship if applicable.
- Any other information (eg. transfer of biological samples, international collaborations, insurance, clinical trial approval, dossier, permission letters etc.)

The Principal Investigators or Co-Investigators are requested to be ready with a brief presentation (5-7 minutes) of the proposal **if subjected to full review** and/or respond to the queries if asked for. Request the Deans and Heads of Department to kindly disseminate the information to all faculty and students. **For any further query, please contact Ms. Meharunnissa at the Office of the School of Medical Sciences. Email at: iecuohoffice@uohyd.ac.in .**

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