



# Institutional Review Board (IRB) Authorization Agreement

Institution Providing IRB Review (Institution A) \_\_\_\_\_

IRB Registration # \_\_\_\_\_ Federalwide Assurance (FWA) # \_\_\_\_\_

Institution Relying on Designated IRB (Institution B)

IRB Registration # \_\_\_\_\_ Federalwide Assurance (FWA) # \_\_\_\_\_

The Officials signing below agree that Institution B (A) may rely on the designated IRB of Institution A (B) for review and continuing oversight of its human subjects research described below:

This agreement applies to all research involving human subjects covered by Institution B’s FWA.

This agreement is limited to the following specific protocol:

Institution A’s IRB Protocol # \_\_\_\_\_ Principal Investigator \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Funding Source \_\_\_\_\_ Award Number \_\_\_\_\_

**The review performed by Institution A will meet the human subject protection requirements of Institution B’s OHRP-approved FWA. The IRB at Institution A will follow written procedures for reporting its findings and actions to appropriate officials at Institution B. Relevant minutes of IRB meetings will be made available to Institution B upon request. Institution B remains responsible for ensuring compliance with the IRB’s determinations and with the Terms of its OHRP-approved FWA. This document must be kept on file by both parties and provided to OHRP upon request.**

Signatory Official, Institution A:

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Institutional Title                      Print Name                      Signature                      Date

Signatory Official, Institution B:

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Institutional Title                      Print Name                      Signature                      Date

NOTE: The IRB of Institution A must be designated on the OHRP-approved FWA for Institution B.