UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX – LOW RISK & HIGHER RISK ETHICAL REVIEW PATHWAYS

END ⟵ Answered **'no'** to all

Does the Project require any form of ethical review?

5-Question Checklist (self-assessed)

⟶ Answered **'yes'** to any

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IS THE PROJECT LOW RISK?

(Complete **PART A (Checklist)** of the Ethical Review Application Form)

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YES
UG / PGT STUDENTS

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School Review

Low Risk Projects
UG / PGT Student

Complete **PART B** of Ethical Review Application form for expedited review, and submit with completed **PART A** to School review process.

- Usually signed by Supervisor and School Research Ethics Officer (SREO). However, in some Schools (with agreement of their C-REC) the SREO may moderate, rather than signing off all projects.

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YES
STAFF / PGR STUDENTS

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C-REC Expedited Review

Low Risk Projects
Staff / PGR Student

Complete **PART B** of Ethical Review Application Form, and submit with completed **PART A** to C-REC for expedited review.

- Reviewed by at least one member of C-REC

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NO
UG/ PGT STUDENTS
STAFF / PGR STUDENTS

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C-REC Full Review

All Higher Risk Projects
UG / PGT Student
and
Staff / PGR Student

Complete **PART C** of Ethical Review Application Form, and submit with completed **PART A** to C-REC for full review.

- Reviewed by full C-REC (or quorum)