

Principal Investigator's Reliance Assurance Statement

I understand the University of Kentucky's policies concerning research involving human subjects and by digitally signing my E-IRB Abbreviated Application (AA) for Reliance, I agree:

1. To comply with all of the Reviewing/Relying IRB's and the UK IRB/Human Research Protection Program's (HRPP) policies, decisions, conditions, and requirements.
2. To accept responsibility for the scientific and ethical conduct of the research study.
3. To obtain prior approval from the Reviewing IRB before amending or altering the research protocol or implementing changes in the approved consent/assent form.
4. To report to the Reviewing/Relying IRB and the UK IRB, in accord with IRB and Institutional policies, any adverse event(s) and/or unanticipated problem(s) involving risks to subjects. Each institution may have unique policies and procedures for reporting.
5. To complete, on request from the Reviewing IRB, the Continuation/Final Review Forms.
6. To notify the UK Office of Sponsored Projects Administration (OSPA) and the UK IRB of the development of any financial conflict of interest not already disclosed.
7. To verify that each individual listed as study personnel at UK for this application has completed the mandatory human research protections education (e.g. CITI).
8. To verify that each individual listed as study personnel at UK for this application possesses the necessary experience and qualifications for conducting the research activities in the role described for this research study.
9. To verify that I have appropriate facilities and resources for conducting the study.