
IRB

- Studies migrated from KC into WRAP are not automatically complete. You must update all your studies in WRAP by the end of the calendar year, or they will close. Start now and avoid the end-of-the-year rush.
 - Guidance is available in the [WRAP IRB Help Center](#):
 - [SCREENSHOTS: Updating Migrated Studies-Video Companion](#)
 - [VIDEO: Updating Migrated Studies](#)
- Continuing Reviews:
 - For studies that require **continuing review**, you will receive automated reminders prompting you to submit. **You must submit a Continuing Review SmartForm at least 60 days prior to the expiration date to allow adequate time for review.** The IRB cannot ensure continuity of approval if the Continuing Review SmartForm is submitted less than 60 days to expiration. There may be times where 60 days is still insufficient for review if you are making significant changes at continuing review or if clarifications requests are not addressed promptly/adequately.
- How to Check Training:
 - Study teams can verify that investigators and study staff have up-to-date and linked human subjects training by reviewing the **Training** tab within the IRB submission. This tab provides a centralized record of IRB training completions and helps ensure compliance and can reduce the need for clarification requests.
 - Please see "Investigator Manual - Research Requirements - What training do my staff and I need to conduct Human Research?" for additional information about training requirements (<https://human.research.wvu.edu/toolkit-library/investigator-manual>)

Grants and Agreements

- Effective June 30, 2026, the university will [retire 1RS awards](#) to better align research operations with University's mission and infrastructure.
- NIH has [rescinded flexibility](#) on Uniform Guidance for NIH Proposals
- Updates to Data Management and Sharing Plans
 - NSF has a DMS form within [research.gov](#) that must be completed by the PI
 - NIH has a [new template](#) for data management and sharing
 - New Contact for DMS consultations at WVU: Yiheng Wu



RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION PORTAL (WRAP)

- Research Security Training is currently required by 4 sponsors; however, all sponsors will eventually require it. Review the [Research Security Training](#) guidelines to ensure compliance.

WRAP Training

- [Self-paced training materials](#) are available for all modules
- Have a group that prefers live training? Email ResearchOperationsTraining@mail.wvu.edu to schedule.

[Get Help](#)
