

CSTE Workshop Session - IRB Panel

- What does the IRB do in your organization?
- How does your organization define “research” and how does it define “public health practice”?
- Does your IRB do determination of “non-research”?
- In your expertise, what are the IRB review triggers?

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Functions of the IRB

- Determines if projects are “human subjects research”
- Determines if Department is “engaged” in human subjects research
- Department IRB with potential for functioning as IRB for other state departments

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Defining “Research” and “Public Health Practice”

- 45 CFR 46.102(l)
- Colorado Revised Statutes
- Funding for public health purpose

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Determining Projects “Non-Research”?

- Program determination
- IRB determination

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IRB Review Triggers

- Another IRB determined the project “human subjects research”
- Involvement of vulnerable populations
- Funding requirement

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THANKS!

More questions?

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