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Standard Operating Procedure	Manual: Clinical	Section: Research Manual Section 2: REB	Code No.: REB T001	Old Code No.:
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Purpose:

To describe the mandatory research training to be completed by anyone conducting or involved in human research (e.g. investigators, study coordinators, students, volunteers) at Southlake Regional health Centre (SRHC) in accordance with ethical and regulatory guidelines.

Scope:

All individuals conducting research activities that involve Southlake participants/charts/identifiable data, etc. are required to complete the training required depending upon the type of research that is subject to Research Ethics Board review and approval.

Responsibilities:

- All research personnel, REB members and REB Administrative Staff are responsible for ensuring that the requirements of this SOP are met.
- It is the Principal/Qualified Investigator's (or delegate's) responsibility to ensure that all study team members' required training is always kept up to date.

Definitions:

- [N2 Glossary of Terms](#)

Procedure:

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

Tri-Council Policy Statement (TCPS-2)	Good Clinical Practices (GCP)	Health Canada's Food and Drug Regulations (FDR) Part C, Division 5
Required for all individuals conducting research at SRHC	Required if the study involves human participants	Required if study involves drugs or devices requiring Health Canada Approval

- Copies of research training (e.g. Proof of Completion Certificates) should be submitted with the Initial REB Application.
- Proof of training is considered valid for a period of 3 years from the date on the certificate of completion.

References:

- [N2 References](#)

