Review and Update of IRB SOPs and Forms

The MCW HRPP Office has conducted its triennial (every 3 years) review of all IRB SOPs and Forms.

Most IRB SOPs were updated and have been approved and posted. The updates were either editorial or changes to reflect accuracy in current processes.

In addition to updating existing SOPs, several new IRB SOPs and IRB Forms have been added:

New IRB SOPs:

- Departmental Review
- Informed Consent Documents for Human Subject Research
- Research Involving Department of Defense (DoD) funding and/or military participants
- Withdrawal of Informed Consent

New IRB Forms:

- IND Exemptions Forms
 - 2 new IND Exemption Forms have been developed to address the various types of research being conducted at MCW
 - IND Exemption Form for Products which contain an Isotope
 - IND Exemption Form for GRAS products

Finally, the following IRB SOPs have been retired.

- Evaluation of Outreach Activities
- Definition of Human Subject
- Definition of Research

If you have any questions about the updated IRB SOPs or IRB Forms, please contact the MCW HRPP Office (<u>irboffice@mcw.edu</u>).