

# Tips on how to prepare for a successful IRB process

Institutional Review Board



**Tip #1:** *Think about principles of ethical research as you're designing the study*

**Tip #2:** *Talk to the IRB staff before you submit your application*

**Tip #3:** *Ensure your application is clear and complete before submitting it*

**Tip #4:** *Submit your application online*

**Tip #5:** *Allow sufficient time for the process of review and approval*



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