

What do you need to conduct research with Interior Health?

Operational Review

Complete online [Study Intake Form](https://is.gd/IHStudyIntake)
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If PI is not affiliated with IH, complete [IH Affiliated Investigator Application](#)

Complete study-specific **Operational Approval Form**
Link sent to you via email upon submission of Study Intake Form
Additional requirements may include: Information Sharing Agreement, Privacy Impact Assessment or Bio-banking Certification

Are you requesting **IH patient data?**

Complete **Data Request Form**
Link sent upon submission of Operational Approval

Is your study a **clinical trial?**

Clinical Trial Agreement required
Contact Manager Clinical Research

Are you engaging patients, First Nations, or community as **partners in research?**

For **consultation**, contact research@interiorhealth.ca

Operational Approval

Ethical Review

Check [Research Ethics BC](#) to see if your study requires harmonized review

NO

Apply for **IH REB review**. Contact researchethics@interiorhealth.ca to obtain an Application Form

Is your project **minimal risk?**

YES

Submit completed application package to:
researchethics@interiorhealth.ca

NO

Submit completed application with additional documents as required.
Check [REB Meeting dates](#) for submission deadlines

YES

Apply for **harmonized** ethical review via [Provincial Research Ethics Platform](#)

Research involves IH if:

- Participants are recruited through IH sites / programs
- Research activities involve IH patients, employees, or medical staff
- Personal information in IH custody is accessed for research purposes
- IH employees or medical staff are research team members
- Family Practice Residency, Pharmacy Residency, or Student Dietitian project is conducted in IH

Research Ethics Board Approval

Certificate of Institutional Approval to Conduct Research

(Issued after operational and ethical approvals are granted)

Questions about Research within IH?

research@interiorhealth.ca

Questions about Ethics Review?

researchethics@interiorhealth.ca