

## Human Research Ethics Committee TU DELFT

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- At TU Delft, approval for Human Research is provided by Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC)
- Screening is mandatory for all research involving data obtained from Human Research Subjects
- HREC works together with Privacy Team and Data
   Management Services
- TU Delft has developed a series of tools to assist in planning, minimizing and managing possible risks arising from research activities





RESEARCH NEED	TOOLS		
	Research design	Research Ethics Approval	Research Execution
Minimise risk			
All research potentially carries some risk; your job as a researcher is to anticipate, mitigate and minimize any such risks for Human Research Subjects.	<ul> <li>Risk-planning tool: Managing Risk in Human Research</li> <li>Risk-planning outcomes</li> <li>Sources of Risk in Human Research</li> </ul>	Ethics checklist for human research     Course/module-related human research     Brief Guide: Completing the HREC checklist	Research Ethics Execution Schedule
Communicate risk			
Regardless of whether your research involves collecting personal data (as enshrined in Privacy Law) you must inform your participants of what is expected of them, and of any potential risks arising from their participation.	Informed Consent templates and guide     Informed Consent templates in Dutch	<ul> <li>Informed Consent templates and guide</li> <li>Informed Consent templates in Dutch</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Informed Consent templates and guide</li> <li>Informed Consent templates in Dutch</li> </ul>
Manage risk			
Whatever you agree with your participants needs to managed in practice. For example physical risks must be addressed within Health & Safety legislation, and Data Protection issues can be dealt with by developing and executing an effective Data Management Plan.	Data Management Plan	Data Management Plan	Data Management Plan     Research Ethics Execution Schedule
Ethics approval: amendments and revisions			
You can use these templates to amend an existing approval or revise an ongoing application.		<ul> <li>Project Amendment Form – to be used when amending an existing approved project</li> <li>Revisions Template – to be used when revision a submission which is under evaluation</li> </ul>	

You can also let us know if you or your colleagues have any specific ethics guidance or tools needs here.



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