



RESEARCH INVOLVING HUMAN PARTICIPANTS

Category Identification – ARI 11.4

GENERAL STATEMENT

Research conducted at Lakeland must adhere to generally accepted ethical principles.

Lakeland College has an agreement with Red Deer College. The Red Deer College Research Ethics Board (REB) acts as the REB for Lakeland College. The REB and its associated committees govern the ethical conduct of research on human participants at Lakeland College.

All research projects involving human participants conducted under the aegis of Lakeland College, including students carrying out research as part of class activities fall within the jurisdiction of the REB.

Projects conducted by researchers from outside the Lakeland College community who access College resources (including space, equipment, personnel, or students) also fall within the jurisdiction of the REB.

The RDC REB shall apply the principles set out in the most recent edition of *Tri-Council Policy Statement: Ethical Conduct for Research Involving Humans*.

GUIDELINES

1. As far as relevant the Red Deer College policy *Ethical Conduct for Research Involving Human Participants* (TCPS-2) will apply to research conducted under the aegis of Lakeland College.
2. Anyone proposing research under the aegis of Lakeland College shall consult the Applied research office before submitting a protocol to the Red Deer College REB
3. Some categories of work that might be considered are exempt from REB approval under the TCPS-2. Details can be found in the TCPS-2. If there is any doubt the Applied Research Office should be consulted and it may be necessary to consult the REB at Red Deer College.

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