ISP 650

Educational Research Involving Human Subjects

PURPOSE

States procedures for ethical educational research when using human subjects.

SUMMARY

Educational research is defined as data collection and analysis that is assembled with the intent of peer review by groups or individuals outside of Clackamas Community College. Clackamas Community College understands the importance of educational research and the impact research findings have on curriculum and the human condition. Additionally, Clackamas Community College understands more broadly the history of scientific research using human subjects and recognizes the importance of ensuring ethical behavior when conducting educational research using human subjects.

STANDARD

- 1. Faculty who agree to participate in activities that involve the use of Clackamas Community College students as human subjects in educational research must ensure that the research activities will use ethical practices for human subjects.
 - a. Faculty asked to partner with institutions other than Clackamas Community College must ensure that the partner institution has approval to conduct the research study through their Institutional Review Board (IRB) or an equivalent office at their institution.
 - b. Faculty planning to conduct activities that would be considered educational research must work with the division dean and Office of Institutional Research to ensure any and all data collection involving human subjects is done in an ethical fashion that follows the principles and guidelines found in The Belmont Report.

REVIEW HISTORY

ISP Committee	Adopted	[Date]
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