IRB 360 NEWSLETTER

Connecting Research with Ethics

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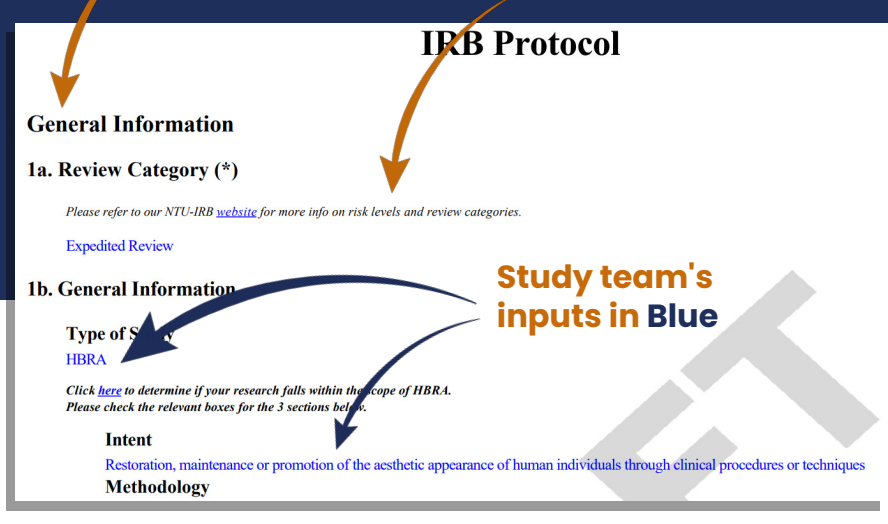
ETHICS REVIEW MANAGEMENT PORTAL
IMPROVEMENTS

We are pleased to announce the following **ERMP updates** designed to improve your user experience

01
Better Readability

IRB protocol **printouts** have been formatted for better readability, which helps our IRB reviewers.



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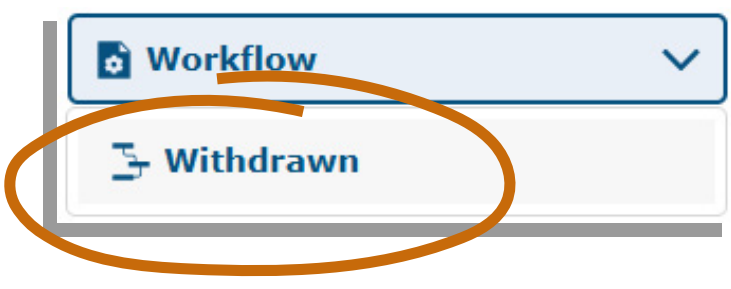
Self-withdraw



Study teams may now **self-withdraw** workflows that were created by mistake, or no longer needed, without requiring IRB assistance.

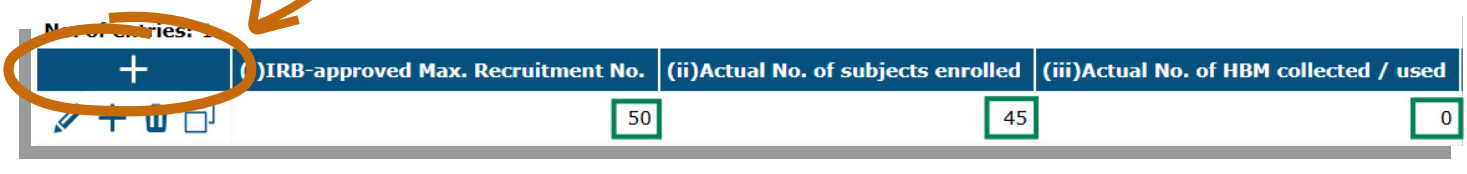
03
Less Delay

The system now only allows the **PI** to submit IRB applications, which is in line with IRB policy. This prevents delays when applications are accidentally submitted by Co-PIs or Student-PIs and have to be sent back.

Personnel submitting IRB applications	
Allowed	**Not Allowed**
Principle Investigator (PI)	Co-PI Student-PI Key Personnel External Personnel

04
User-friendly

The **Continuing Review** report has been made more user-friendly with the addition of tables and auto-expanded questions.



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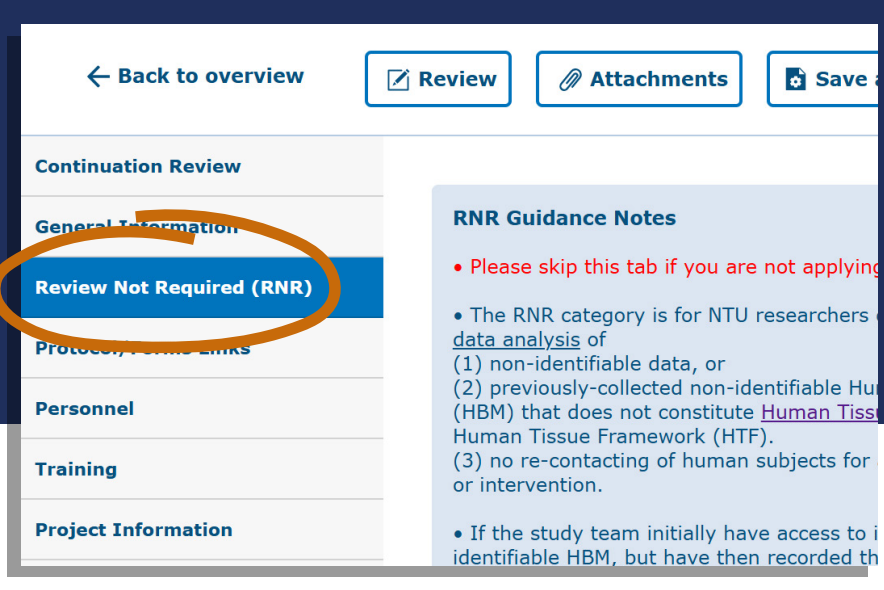
Streamlined Process

The **Review Not Required (RNR) tab** is now available for studies conducting secondary analysis using anonymised data. Refer to our **RNR Guidelines.**



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