

Volunteer Position Available

Individual with Medical Expertise Research Ethics Board (REB)

About our REB

The Research Ethics Boards (REBs) are committees which review all research involving human participants according to the <u>Tri-Council Policy Statement on Ethics in Human Research</u>. The University of Guelph REBs consist of faculty representatives, graduate student representatives, individuals with legal, medical, and ethical expertise, as well as community members.

Qualifications

We are looking for members of the medical profession (physicians, nurses or nurse practitioners) who have no current direct ties with the University.

Regular board members and alternate board members as well as ad hoc advisors are needed. These roles differ in the level of commitment. Please note you will not be asked to provide formal medical opinions.

What is required?

- ✓ If you join as a regular or alternate board member, you must be free to attend meetings on the third Wednesday of each month from 8:30AM to 11:30AM
- ✓ If you join as an ad hoc member, you may be asked to comment on a research proposal either in person at a meeting, or to provide your viewpoint by email
- ✓ Meeting preparation time is estimated to be 2 to 3 hours.

Benefits

- ✓ This is a great opportunity for you to learn about the research studies that take place in our community, develop research ethics expertise, and contribute to protecting the rights, safety and welfare of research participants.
- √ You will discuss current research projects being undertaken by leading University researchers

How to apply:

If you are interested in this opportunity, please email the Manager, Research Ethics at <u>reb@uoguelph.ca</u> with your expression of interest and your curriculum vitae (CV).

Thank you for your interest.