

# Research Governance Checklist

## Purpose

The purpose of this checklist is to provide Researchers with the Site-Specific Approval (SSA) requirements of all Research Governance Submissions for the Mackay Hospital and Health Service (MHHS).

## Scope / Site Specifics

The checklist may be submitted in lieu of a cover letter and can be used to ensure all approval requirements have been considered and captured prior to submission with Research Governance.

## Guideline

(Detailed definitions for Site Specific approval requirements are available on the *Research Governance Checklist Guideline*).

- As not all documents are relevant to each study, researchers are encouraged to contact the Research Governance Officer [MKY-RGO@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:MKY-RGO@health.qld.gov.au) prior to submission to discuss their study requirements.
- All documents should be provided electronically via the Ethical Review Manager ([ERM](#)).
- All supporting documents (including the application form, and HREC letters) must be uploaded to ERM and should be appropriately named so that they can be easily identified.
- Once all Research Governance requirements have been met, the RGO will submit application to the Health Service Chief Executive with a recommendation to authorise the conduct of the study within the MHHS.

## Research Study Project Identifiers

**Principal Investigator (PI) Name:**

**PI or Site Coordinator Contact Number:**

**PI or Site Coordinator Email Address:**

**ERM Project ID Number:**

**Study Title:**

**Short Name (If applicable):**

**Is the principal investigator undertaking this study as a student?**

Yes / No

**Description of the Project in Plain Language:**

*(NOTE: Copy from the HREA Application Form)*



## Research Study Checklist – Site Specific Approval Document Requirements

	Document	Researcher Notes	Document uploaded in ERM		
			Yes	No	N/A
1	Checklist or RGO Cover Letter		<input type="checkbox"/>		
2	SSA Form (with all the required signatures)		<input type="checkbox"/>		
3	Budget on the MHHS Template (with all the required signatures)		<input type="checkbox"/>		
4	Protocol		<input type="checkbox"/>		
5	Site Specific PICF		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Research Agreements		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Indemnity Forms		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	HREA Application Form		<input type="checkbox"/>		
9	All HREC Documents, Approval Letter and HREC Communications		<input type="checkbox"/>		
10	Approval Correspondence		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Master PICF		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Data Collection		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13	Funding Information		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14	Investigator CVs		<input type="checkbox"/>		
15	Insurance Certificates		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16	Investigator Brochure		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17	PHA Application and Approval		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18	QCAT Application and Approval		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19	Pathology Queensland Approval and Quote		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20	Forensic and Scientific Services Approval		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21	Agreement, Collaboration or Other Engagement with a Foreign Entity		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22	Other Supporting Documents		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
23	CTN		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Document approval

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