What Level of IRB Review Do You Need? The following questions are ordered in order to successfully determine what type of IRB proposal you should submit based on your answers.

Read EACH question in the order it appears and follow the YES and NO arrows to determine if you need to go to the next question, or if your answer determines your type of proposal.

*Please note, this chart is meant to help you determine what is the minimum level of review necessary for your study. The IRB may determine that your study needs to be reviewed at a higher level. If this is the case, reasons for such a decision will be provided to you.

QUESTION 1 Does your study involve minors, pregnant women, prisoners, fetuses, or another group whose ability to consent may be compromised? **QUESTION 2** Does your study involve more than minimal risk? Yes--No Convened **QUESTION 3** Does your study collect information Yes--No about participants that can be Convened potentially harmful to those participants, and can those **QUESTION 4** Yes--Does your study involve deceiving No Convened participants without first informing those participants that they may be misled or deceived? Go To **QUESTION 4 QUESTION 5** Does your study involve Yes--No more than one session (not Expedited counting classroom **QUESTION 6** If your study involves regular educational practices, will you be a Yes-participant in any activities other than No Expedited observation and data collection? **QUESTION 7** Does your study involve moderate exercise, collection of biospecimens, and/or biological data from non-Yes--No invasive instrumentation? Expedited Yes--Go To Go To No **QUESTION 8 Expedited QUESTION 7**

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