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1. PURPOSE

1.1. This policy establishes the use of Broad Consent and its process.

2. REVISIONS FROM PREVIOUS VERSION

2.1. None

3. POLICY

- 3.1. At this time, the MU IRB will not mandate nor implement the institutional use of Broad Consent.
 - 3.1.1. Exemption categories 7 and 8, which rely on Broad Consent, will not be utilized at MU IRB.
 - 3.1.2. Projects seeking subject permission for the collection and storage of identifiable private information/biospecimens for future secondary use can do so through the following processes:
 - (1) Study-specific consent and IRB review
 - (2) IRB waiver of consent (as eligible) and IRB review
 - (3) Exemption #4
 - (4) De-identification to remove the research activity from Common Rule purview and not require IRB review or consent