

Annual Report for the Institutional Review Board FY24

This report describes the activities of the Institutional Review Board (IRB) beginning June 1, 2023 and ending May 31, 2024 (FY24).

As shown in Table 1, 70 new protocols were submitted to the IRB in FY24. Of these 70 protocols, 24 were classified as expedited (34.29%) and 40 were classified as exempt (57.14%). Two protocols were classified as Not Human Subjects Research (2.86%), and 4 protocols (5.71%) were submitted but later withdrawn.

Table 1. IRB Protocol Classification in FY24

Classification	Summer 2023	Fall 2023	Spring 2024	Total
Full Board	0	0	0	0
Expedited	8	4	12	24
Exempt	3	20	17	40
Not Human Subjects Research	0	0	2	2
Withdrawn	1	0	3	4
Total	12	24	34	70

As shown in Table 2, IRB protocols were submitted by 16 departments, programs, and/or offices in FY24

As shown in Table 3, of the 70 protocols received in FY24, 43 involved student investigators.

Table 3. IRB Protocols Involving Student Investigators in FY24

Department / Program / Office	Summer 2023	Fall 2023	Spring 2024	Total
Biology	1	0	0	1
Dance	2	1	0	3
Economics	0	1	0	1
Environmental Studies and Sciences	0	1	0	1
Gender Studies (<i>1 withdrawn</i>)	0	0	5	5
Health and Human Physiological Sciences (<i>1 withdrawn</i>)	1	1	4	6

