

Will WU serve as the IRB for your Non-WU collaborator?

Do they have IRB approval through their own IRB?

yes

WU IRB oversight is not necessary for your non-WU collaborator.

Do not add them in myIRB.

no

Are they:

- recruiting
- consenting
- interacting and/or intervening with participants, or
- the Recipient or Prime Awardee of a US federal grant?

OR

Will they have access to identifiable data or specimens?

yes

Are they conducting research in another country?

yes

Is the research exempt according to [45 CFR 46.104\(d\)](#)?

yes

Is the research eligible for one or more of the non-exempt expedited review categories listed on the [Office for Human Research Protections \(OHRP\) website](#)?

yes

Is the research funded by the US federal government?

no

Please refer to the "[Oversight of International Research Collaborators](#)" guidance document.

Please reach out to your HRPO Partner with any questions.

yes

We do not cover non-WU collaborators conducting non-exempt research that is funded by the US federal government. The collaborators will need to obtain their own IRB approval.

Do not add them in myIRB.

no

IRB oversight is not necessary for your non-WU collaborator.

However, if the non-WU collaborator belongs to an institution with an IRB, they should check with their own IRB for additional requirements.

Do not add them in myIRB.

Non-WU collaborators should obtain IRB approval through their institution.

The WU IRB may take on oversight of the collaborator if they are not affiliated with an institution that has an IRB. This is decided on a case by case basis. As a first step, the collaborator must request a Limited Access ID.

More information is available about the LA Process in our [myIRB FAQs](#).

We do not cover non-WU collaborators conducting non-exempt research that is not eligible for one or more of the non-exempt expedited review categories listed on the Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP) website. The collaborators will need to obtain their own IRB approval.

Do not add them in myIRB.