

## IRB Human Subjects Training Guide

**Rowan University utilizes Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) to provide training for topics related to research**

CITI Website <https://www.citiprogram.org>

**CITI Instructions (See page 2 for existing user instructions and newly hired faculty and staff with an existing CITI account):**

Step 1: Go to Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) webpage, select New Users Register Here

Step 2: Create profile – Type in Rowan University as the Participating Institution; input your Banner ID as employee ID

Step 3: Select Curriculum / Course based on the trainee’s field of study (preferred) and/or based on the specific aims and goals of the research protocol. See below for explanation of Human Subjects Research courses/curriculum.

**Question 1: Human Subjects Research**

**Choose the appropriate Human Subject Research Training**

**Biomedical researchers should choose this course.**

**If your research protocol is not related to biomedical initiatives, then all others should choose this course.**

**This course is designed to supplement an instructor’s/professor’s classroom exercise and does not satisfy IRB Training requirements when submitting an IRB application**

**If your research includes data or lab specimens of human subjects, AND the researcher will not have any direct contact with human subjects, then this training can be used**

Question 1

### Human Subjects Research

Please choose one learner group below based on your role and the type of human subjects activities you will conduct. You will be enrolled in the Basic Course for that group.

Choose one answer

- Biomedical Research Investigators: Choose this group to satisfy CITI training requirements for investigators and staff involved primarily in Biomedical research with human subjects.
- Social & Behavioral Research Investigators: Choose this group to satisfy CITI training requirements for investigators and staff involved primarily in Social and Behavioral research with human subjects.
- IRB Members: This Basic Course is appropriate for IRB or Ethics Committee members.
- Students conducting no more than minimal risk research
- Research with data or laboratory specimens- ONLY: No direct contact with human subjects.