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10. Ethical Review of University Research

Overview

Provides a framework that includes mechanisms and standards for ethical review of research projects undertaken in the University.

Scope

Applies to all employees and students of the UAEU and to all research carried out at the University facilities.

Objective

The University is committed to the maintenance of the highest ethical standards in the preparation, implementation and dissemination of research. This Policy gives effect to that commitment.

Policy

1. The University regards maintenance of high ethical standards in research as a central and critical responsibility, and will take greatest care to ensure that the ethics and integrity of research are beyond question, as the individual has a responsibility not only to him/herself but also to society. The Policy will be interpreted in a manner that is consistent with the University commitment to the highest standards of professional conduct.
2. Members of the academic community have the responsibility to act in accordance with the UAE law, in addition to cultural norms as well as UAEU codes of practice, Policies, and standards of professionalism.
3. The University will establish a Research Ethics Review Board (RERB) that is responsible for conducting ethical review of research proposals requiring such a review. The RERB will also investigate allegations of misconduct, referred to it by the DVCRGS.