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- Write a complete research protocol
- Discussed at dept level [peer review]
- Approved at PTJ research office [peer review]
- Signed by Dean/ Pengarah of PTJ ['Boss'review]

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Type of review...

- Deliberated review
- Expedited review

What types of research get a deliberated review?

- Research which involves clinical trial of new drug/ treatment/ procedure.
- Study which involves randomized control trial and intervention study.
- Research which involves questionnaires or survey to vulnerable groups.
- Genetic Studies

What types of research get an expedited review?

- Research which involves making observations without any direct interference with the subject(s) (non-intrusive or non-invasive), such as research involving the use of personal medical records.
- Research which involves questionnaires or survey; not to vulnerable groups.

Glossary:

Vulnerable groups : Vulnerable persons are those who are relatively (or absolutely) incapable of protecting their own interests.

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The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the website <http://ernd.usm.my/>. The address bar is highlighted with a blue oval, and an orange arrow points from a blue circle containing the number '1' to this bar. Below the browser window, an orange box contains the URL <http://ernd.usm.my/>. The website itself has a red and orange header with the text 'Brains to Business to Humanity'. Below the header is a navigation bar with links: Home, Incentive Grant, Short Term Grant, and i-RoRa (Project's Staff). The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left, there is a 'LOGIN' section with fields for ID and PWD, a 'GO' button, and links for 'Forgot Password', 'Check Profile', and 'Register'. Below this is a 'General' section with links for 'RESEARCH GRANTS', 'DOWNLOAD', 'USER MANUAL', and 'ABOUT US'. On the right, there is an 'ANNOUNCEMENTS' section featuring a banner for 'BUKU RUJUKAN KEWANGAN' (Financial Reference Book) with images of books titled 'TATACARA PENGURUSAN ASSET ALIH' and 'Pengurusan Kewangan Penyelidikan'. A blue circle containing the number '2' has an orange arrow pointing to the 'RESEARCH GRANTS' link in the left sidebar.

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The screenshot shows the JEPeM website's 'Downloads' section. The top navigation bar includes links for 'About R&I', 'RCMO', 'CRI', 'Innovations & Commercialisation Office', 'Achievement', 'Research Funds', 'Publication', 'Downloads', 'Directory', and 'Gallery'. The 'Downloads' section has a sub-menu with tabs for 'Internal Grants', 'External Grants', 'Conference', 'Contract Appointment', 'HEPG', 'Exhibition', 'Ethics', 'Other(s)', and 'All'. The 'Ethics' tab is highlighted with a blue circle and a blue number '3' with an arrow pointing to it. Below the tabs, the 'Ethical Approval' section is expanded, showing a list of documents under the 'Human Ethics' category. Each document has a 'download' or 'preview' link.

Downloads

Internal Grants External Grants Conference Contract Appointment HEPG Exhibition **Ethics** Other(s) All

»»» **Ethical Approval**

Human Ethics

- ▶ Application Form (For Staff) [download]
- ▶ Application Form (For Postgraduate Student) [download]
- ▶ Application Form (For Undergraduate Student) [download]
- ▶ Application for extension of Ethical Approval for Research Project [download]
- ▶ Checklist form for clinical trial research [download]
- ▶ Patient Information & Consent Form [download]
- ▶ USM Human Research Ethics Committee Members for the June 2011 until May 2013 [preview]
- ▶ Proposed human research ethics committee meeting schedule for the year 2013 [preview]

FLOW CHART OF USM HUMAN RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE APPROVAL [JEPeM USM/ USM HREC]

