

## Annex A: Useful external and School resources

### **Anonymisation: managing data protection risk**

See Research Data Toolkit, under Data Management, below

### **Belmont Report**

[https://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/sites/default/files/the-belmont-report-508c\\_FINAL.pdf](https://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/sites/default/files/the-belmont-report-508c_FINAL.pdf)

### **Code of Research Conduct, LSE** (incorporating research misconduct policy and procedures)

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/services/Policies-and-procedures/Assets/Documents/codResCon.pdf>

### **Data management and data protection (LSE resources)**

Research Data management webpage:

<https://www.lse.ac.uk/library/research-support/research-data-management-and-open-data>

Research Data Toolkit:

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/services/Policies-and-procedures/Assets/Documents/internal/staffAndStudents/resDatManToo-B460.pdf>

### **Disclosure and Barring Service**

Criminal record checking which may be required if working with children or vulnerable groups.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/dbs-checking-service-guidance--2>

### **ESRC Framework for Research Ethics**

The ESRC requires that the research it supports is designed and conducted in such a way that it meets certain ethical principles; that it is subject to proper professional and institutional oversight in terms of research governance.

<http://www.esrc.ac.uk/files/funding/guidance-for-applicants/esrc-framework-for-research-ethics-2015/>

See also ESRC Postgraduate Training Guidelines:

<https://www.ukri.org/publications/esrc-postgraduate-training-and-development-guidelines/>

### **Ethical Screening of Grants and Donations** (LSE procedures)

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/services/Policies-and-procedures/Assets/Documents/proEthScr.pdf>

### **Ethics Code, LSE**

The LSE Ethics Code is a set of six core principles, including Responsibility and Accountability, Integrity, and declaring conflicts of interest.

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/services/Policies-and-procedures/Assets/Documents/ethCod.pdf>

### **Ethics review submission system (LSE): Instructions** and guidance for users

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/divisions/research-and-innovation/research/research-ethics/Research-Ethics-Submission-System>

### **European Science Foundation European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity**

The code addresses the proper conduct and principled practice of systematic research in the natural and social sciences and the humanities in Europe.

<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/docs/2021->

[2027/horizon/guidance/european-code-of-conduct-for-research-integrity\\_horizon\\_en.pdf](https://www.lse.ac.uk/2027/horizon/guidance/european-code-of-conduct-for-research-integrity_horizon_en.pdf)

### **Informed consent (LSE guidance)**

Including two sample Information Sheet and Consent form templates

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/services/Policies-and-procedures/Assets/Documents/infCon.pdf>

### **International Compilation of Human Research Standards listing**

Published by the US Department of Health and Human Services, provides a listing of laws, regulations, and guidelines on human subjects protections in 130 countries and from many international organizations:

<https://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/international/compilation-human-research-standards/index.html>

### **Mental Capacity Act (2005)**

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2005/9/contents>

### **Nuffield Council on Bioethics: The ethics of research involving animals**

<http://nuffieldbioethics.org/project/animal-research/>

### **Payments and benefits to research participants (LSE guidance)**

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/divisions/research-and-innovation/research/Assets/Documents/PDF/ethics-incentives-reimbursement-etc-v5.pdf>

### **Research Privacy Notice (LSE), for Participants, Partners and Collaborators**

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/divisions/Secretarys-Division/Assets/Documents/Information-Records-Management/Privacy-Notice-for-Research-v1.1.pdf>

### **Social media and internet data in research: ethics and consent (LSE guidance)**

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/staff/divisions/research-and-innovation/research/Assets/Documents/PDF/ethics-Using-internet-and-Social-media-data-v8.pdf>

### **UKRI Policy and Guidelines on the Governance of Good Research Conduct**

The policy aims to help researchers and research organisations to manage their research, and provides guidance of the reporting and investigation of unacceptable research misconduct. <https://www.ukri.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/UKRI-050321-PolicyGuidelinesGovernanceOfGoodResearchConduct.pdf>

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### **UKRIO Code of Practice for Research: Promoting good practice and preventing misconduct**

<http://www.ukrio.org/what-we-do/code-of-practice-for-research/>

### **UK policy framework for health and social care research**

The policy framework applies to health and social care research involving patients, service users or their relatives or carers. This includes research involving them indirectly, for example using information that the NHS or social care services have collected about them.

<https://www.hra.nhs.uk/documents/1068/uk-policy-framework-health-social-care-research.pdf>