1. PURPOSE
   1. This policy describes the calculation of the <End Approval Date>.
2. POLICY
   1. The following research has no <End Approval Date>:
      1. Exempt research
      2. Research that does not require continuing review per “WORKSHEET: Criteria for Approval (HRP-400).”
   2. For all other research:
      1. The Action Date is:
         1. The date the convened IRB or <Designated Reviewer> made determination to approve the research.; or
         2. The date the IRB confirmed that the responsive materials met the requirements of a convened IRB or <Designated Reviewer> determination to conditionally approve the research.
      2. The Approval Interval is the period of approval granted by the convened IRB or <Designated Reviewer>. (e.g., 1 year, 6 months, 3 months)
      3. For initial review, the <End Approval Date> is the Action Date plus the approval interval minus one day.
         1. For example, if the research was approved for one year with an Action Date of April 15, 2020, the <End Approval Date> is April 14, 2021.
      4. For continuing review:
         1. When the Action Date is less than or equal to 30 days before the current <End Approval Date>, the new <End Approval Date> is the previous <End Approval Date> plus the current approval interval.
         2. When the Action Date is greater than 30 days before the current <End Approval Date>, the new <End Approval Date> is the Action Date plus the approval interval minus one day.
      5. For modifications, the <End Approval Date> is unchanged.
3. REFERENCES
   1. 21 CFR §56.109
   2. 45 CFR §46.109