Who staffs the Research Ethics Consultation Service?

The service is staffed by faculty affiliated with the UC Davis Bioethics Program. It may also draw upon clinical and other investigators with significant research ethics expertise.

Education

We offer required courses in research ethics to students in various training programs. Lectures, discussions and seminars are also available upon request. We also sponsor special educational events on ethics and translational science.

Other Resources:

http://phrp.nihtraining.com/codes/08_codes.php
http://www.northeastern.edu/research/hsrp/

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Supporting the ethical conduct of research through promotion of education and deliberation about its ethical complexities

Explore complex ethical questions at all stages of research
Offer research ethics education
Sponsor symposia to examine ethical and policy issues in translation science
Promote scholarship that fosters trust in research
Conduct research on specific research ethics questions

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What are the kinds of issues that the service can support?

Examples of the kind of questions that the consultation service might assist with include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Am I confident that the anticipated benefits of my research will outweigh its risks?
- How do I know if the consent process that I plan to use for my research is the most appropriate one, given special characteristics of my research population?
- Should I do anything about the fact that my research is controversial in the eyes of many in the public?
- How should authorship be assigned on manuscripts?