# Process for applying to Ethics in Northern Health Region (NRHA)

1. Review the Northern Health Region Research Policy
2. Complete Appendix A and Appendix C and return them to:

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1. An assessment will be completed by the NRHA based on the project
2. After the research is reviewed by Dr. Azzam, Rauni Berezitzky will submit it to the NRHA Ethics committee for approval (they meet monthly)
3. Assuming it is approved by the Ethics Committee, it will then be taken for approval to the Executive Leadership Council (ELC)
4. Once approved with ELC, an approval letter will be sent to the researcher and the researcher may commence the research

Please keep in mind because of the timing of the meetings and availability of staff members, this can be a lengthy process that may take several months to complete.