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Average of 6 hours

Research ethics specify the basic norms and values of the research community. They are based on the general ethics of science; just as general ethics are based on the morality of society at large. Research involving human subjects or participants introduces unique and complex ethical, legal, social and political issues. Research ethics is specifically focused on the examination of ethical issues that are raised when people are involved as participants in research.

The course has 6 modules including a "Test your knowledge" at the end of each module:

- Introduction
- Module 1: The South African Context
- Module 2: Regulatory Guidelines and Framework
- Module 3: Research Ethics Committees (REC)
- Module 4: Guiding Principles for Ethical Research
- Module 5: Vulnerability and Incapacity
- Module 6: Research Considerations



Learners will gain a comprehensive understanding of:

- The critical nature of ethics in research
- Regulatory guidelines and legislative framework for ethics
- Ethical principles
- Vulnerability and Incapacity
- The role of Good Clinical Practice (GCP) in research
- Research considerations based on methods or contexts
- The role of research ethics committees



At the end of this course, learners will be expected to complete a final assessment:

- There are 50 multiple choice questions
- The pass mark is 70%
- Learners have (2) attempts
- A certificate will be issued on passing the assessment
- CPD Points will be issued on completion



Investigators and persons involved with research that contributes to knowledge of biological, clinical, psychological, or social welfare matters including processes as regards humans, the causes and effects of and responses to disease, effects of the environment on humans, methods to improve health care service delivery, new pharmaceuticals, medicines, interventions and devices, new technologies to improve health and health care.



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