

TULANE SCIENTIFIC REVIEW COMMITTEE (SRC) PROCESS FOR COVID-19 AND MONKEY-POX RELATED STUDIES

Submission:

- At the same time that a Principal Investigator (PI) submits a COVID-related or Monkey-Pox-related submission on IRBManager, the PI should send a copy of the Protocol, and any supporting documents that may be required for Scientific Review, e.g. Investigator's Brochure, to the Scientific Review Committee (SRC) at the following email address <u>SRC@tulane.edu</u> along with:
 - a. The PI's name and department
 - b. The title of the Protocol
 - c. The IRB number
 - d. List of sub-investigators
 - e. Discuss any potential overlap with other studies that are COVID or Monkey-Pox related and how this will be addressed.
- 2. Simultaneously, the IRB and the SRC will begin their respective reviews of the protocol.
- 3. Once the SRC has completed their review, the SRC will notify the PI of their findings. If any changes are required, the PI can make those changes and re-submit to the SRC.
- 4. Upon SRC approval, a formal approval letter from the SRC will be emailed to the PI. The PI will then email the approval letter to <u>IRBMain@tulane.edu</u>.