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HBCSE Institutional Review Board (IRB)

The HBCSE Institutional Review Board (IRB) is constituted with the following members.

1. Dr. Deepa Chari (chair)
2. Dr. Mashood KK
3. Dr. Shweta Naik

1. The IRB will have the responsibility of reviewing, prior to initiation, of all research originating from HBCSE that involves human participants. The IRB has the authority to approve, disapprove, and/or require modifications in research proposals that involve work with human participants.
2. The aim of the IRB will be to ensure protecting the welfare, rights, and privacy of human subjects as per the usual guidelines for academic research.
3. The IRB is requested to develop protocols most appropriate to the typical work at HBCSE to enable researchers to provide the information for review in a format that captures relevant information and makes the review process convenient, minimizing paperwork.
4. For any research that is connected with public health, the IRB must, after preliminary review, ask the PI to obtain the necessary clearances from the ICMR-compliant TIFR Institutional Human Ethics Committee (IHEC). The IRB may approach the TIFR IHEC for any other case as well, especially if the study involves vulnerable persons/special groups.
5. The IRB may co-opt and take the advice of external members if necessary.
6. Formal approvals from the IRB must be on record and dated.

(Prof. Arnab Bhattacharya)
Centre Director, HBCSE

All members of the Committee