

**APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF APPROVED ETHICAL RESEARCH**

This application form should be completed by all researchers whose studies were approved by LPREC.

Applications should be made on this form and submitted electronically Research and Development (R&D) Directorate. Only an electronic copy of the form should be submitted via email: lprecsecretariat@premier.limpopo.gov.za. Applications will be assessed by the Limpopo Provincial Research Ethics Committee (LPREC) secretariat in the first instance, and then passed to the LPREC. You are required to submit the following:

1. A signed progress report
2. A copy of previously granted LPREC ethical clearance certificate

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| 1. | **Title of project:** |

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| 2. | Principal Investigator (i.e. name of student/researcher) |
|  | **Title, Initials and Surname** | **Qualification: (*please write it in full)*** |
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| 3. | Name of supervisor(s) (if applicable): |
|  | **Name:** | **Department: *(indicate if the supervisor is from another institution)*** |
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| 4.  | **E-mail address:** **Student Number (if applicable)**:  |
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**6. Status of the data collection phase of the project:**

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| Please select the most appropriate option and indicate the relevant date |
|  | Date (Month & Year) |
| 6.1 Data collection has been completed on … |  |
| 6.2 Data collection will be ongoing until … |  |
| 6.3 Data collection commenced, but was prematurely terminated on … |  |
| 6.4 Data collection never started and the project was terminated on ... |  |
| 6.5. Data collection was delayed and it will only start now |  |

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| Provide the **reason/s for project termination** if selected **6.3 or 6.4** applies to this report:  |

**7. Research procedures as per the approved project proposal:**

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|  | Yes | No |
| Have the research procedures been implemented in accordance with the approved proposal? |  |  |
| If **NO**, have any changes and/or amendments that have an impact on the risk profile of the research participants been submitted for ethics approval?  |  |  |
| If **NO**, provide the details of the variations/amendments and the reason/s why this has not been submitted for research ethics approval: |

**Declaration of Principal Investigator/researcher:**

The information contained in this application, including any accompanying information, is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and correct. I/we declare that the information provided is correct andaccept responsibility for the conduct of the procedures set out in this application in accordance with the guidelines

**Name(s) in block capitals:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**