RESEARCH ETHICS REVIEW AND APPROVAL is required when your research involves people or their data (dead or alive!)
REB APPROVAL IS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE and must be obtained before you start your research.
COMPLETION OF THE TCPS2 CORE TUTORIAL is required before you start your research.

The home of research ethics at UBC | https://ethics.research.ubc.ca

HOW WE CAN HELP
We provide extensive guidance on ethical research practices and requirements and help you trouble-shoot your specific research ethics questions. A few links are below, but see the website for a full list of resources:

Human research ethics requirements for graduate students
*NEW Guidance for Medical Residents doing Behavioural Research
Guidance for working in the RISE platform: Tip sheet for people who have no idea where to start!
Behavioural Application Form (fillable Word format)
Guidance Notes on Applications for Behavioural Ethical Review
Consent Form Guidelines for Behavioural Studies
Quality Improvement, Quality Assurance, Program Evaluation or Curriculum Development studies requiring ethical review
Ensuring Participant Inclusion in Research (updated June 2022) Ethnicity and race | Gender, sex and sexual orientation
Continue to check the Behavioural Research COVID-19 Guidance page if you are researching outside Canada and the US. Consultation with the BREB may be needed before you submit your ethics application.

For all behavioural study guidance | For all clinical study guidance

HOW TO CONTACT US
Behavioural studies: https://ethics.research.ubc.ca/about-human-research-ethics/contact-us#vanbreb
Clinical studies: https://ethics.research.ubc.ca/about-human-research-ethics/contact-us#ubc-creb