

**The Carle Foundation
IRB Policy 304**

Subject	Ensuring Regulatory Compliance: State and Local Laws				
Approval	Dec 2006	Review	Jul 2009	Revision	Jul 2009
Scope	These policies and procedures apply to all research conducted by Carle Investigators or at Carle facilities and to all research conducted under the jurisdiction of the IRB.				
Purpose	To provide guidance in conducting research according to federal, state and local laws.				

Statement of Policy

1. All research conducted at CFH shall be conducted in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and ordinances. The Carle IRB will obtain legal guidance as necessary to help ensure such compliance. When federal, state and/or local laws differ, the research will be conducted in accordance with the law that best protects human subjects, is most stringent, or requires the highest safeguards.

Specific Policies

1. Identification of Applicable State and Local Law
 - a. Carle IRB shall maintain a brief summary of federal, state and local laws that directly impact human subject research, and shall obtain expert guidance regarding applicability of and compliance with such laws.

Reference

45 CFR 46, and Carle Institutional Review Board Policies

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