Concord University
Human Subjects Review Board: Form 1A - List of Ethical Issues

1. Does the study involve use of painful or adverse stimulation? If yes, please explain.　　Yes　　No

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2. Will the experimental situation evoke emotional stress? If yes, please explain.　　Yes　　No

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3. What residual effects have been explored?

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4. What safeguards have been taken to ensure against damage to any subject who is especially sensitive or vulnerable?

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5. Does the study involve:
a) Deception?　　　　❑Yes ❑No
b) False information? ❑Yes ❑No
c) False feedback?　 ❑Yes ❑No

6. Could any of these be psychologically harmful? If yes, please explain.　　Yes　　No

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Can the subjects withdraw at any time during the experiment? If not, why?　　Yes　　No

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If yes, can they withdraw without undue embarrassment or difficulty?

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If yes, how are the subjects made aware of this?

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7. Does the study permit prior full disclosure of what will happen to the subject and what the subject can expect? If yes, please explain.　　Yes　　No

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If not, why not?

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Is the subject told why information is withheld?

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Are subjects aware that data are recorded or that they are under observation? Please explain.

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What other, if any, additional data or a personal nature will be gathered about the subject from other sources?

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Will the subject be requested to consent to this?

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How will confidentiality be preserved?

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8. Are all personnel involved in carrying out the research familiar with ethical guidelines for research?(Such guidelines can be found in Ethical Principles in the Conduct of Research with Human Participants. Washington, D.C. American Psychological Association, 1973).

❑Yes   ❑No

9. What kind of provision is there for post-experimental inquiry (at least _in_ pilot work) to be sure untoward effects on the subject, not expected by the project director, are brought to the project director's attention?

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10. Might any aspect of the study constitute an invasion of the subject's privacy by the experimenter that has not been consented to expressly or implicitly? Please explain.

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11. If you are a student, please describe the extent of your faculty sponsorship or supervision.

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