# Cover Sheet for EXPEDITED IRB Application

# Principal Investigator Name:

Project Title:

Remember that expedited refers to the IRB process requiring fewer reviewers. It does not mean the research does not need a review. [See [IRB webpage on Exempt and Expedited Reviews](https://www.clarke.edu/faculty-and-staff/intranet-institutional-review-board/intranet-information-exemption-expedition/) for description and distinction of categories].

1. The nature of the study involves Expedited research categories:

[ ]  Recording of data on subjects > 18 such as height, weight, EKG, temp, BP

[ ]  Collection of blood specimens using techniques consistent with routine clinical practice to minimize pain and risk of infection and within the following limits for volume.

[ ]  Moderate exercise by healthy volunteers

[ ]  Research on behavior of individuals, no manipulation

[ ]  Collection of hair, nails, saliva, sweat, amniotic fluid, or dental plaque

[ ]  Secondary use of materials (data, documents, records, or biological specimens) that have been or will be collected for purposes other than the currently proposed research project.

[ ]  Other, please describe:

2. The research involves no more than minimal risk to participants, e.g., involving civil or criminal liability, employability, damage to participants’ financial standing, or reputation.

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

3. The research involves a protected population, i.e. minors, pregnant women, fetuses, prisoners, mentally handicapped persons. *If YES, this research is not for expedited review*.

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

4. The research involves deception or may intentionally provide misleading information to participants. *If YES, this research is not for expedited review*.

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No