

# Form 4.1A: Participation of Humans Low Risk - Approval



This form certifies that a low risk project involving the participation of humans is in full compliance with Policy 4.1.1.1 *Participation of Humans in Research – Low Risk*

<b>Region</b>				
<b>Project Title</b>				
	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Email</b>	<b>Phone</b>
<b>Student 1</b>				
<b>Student 2</b>				
<b>Chair, RSF<sup>1</sup></b>				
<b>Chief Judge, RSF</b>				
<b>Adult Supervisor</b>				

## Request for Ethics Approval

I have visited and understood the web site of the National Ethics Committee:

<http://ethics.youthscience.ca/>

I have read and understood Policy 4.1.1.1 *Participation of Humans in Research – Low Risk*

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Signed - Student 1

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Date

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Signed - Student 2

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Date

## Ethics Approval

I certify that this Low Risk Project involving Human Participation is in full compliance with Policy 4.1.1.1 *Participation of Humans in Research – Low Risk*, and that it is eligible for the Regional Science Fair and the Canada Wide Science Fair.

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Signed – Adult Supervisor

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Date

<sup>1</sup> Or Designate  
12 December 2010

# Form 4.1A: Participation of Humans Low Risk – Instructions



## 1) Form 4.1A

This form certifies that a low risk project involving the participation of humans is in full compliance with Policy 4.1.1.1 *Participation of Humans in Research – Low Risk*

## 2) Documents

The following documents must be available to the Adult Supervisor, along with form 4.1A:

- a) The Survey - if your project involves a survey.
- b) Your Letter of Information for every participant in your project.
- c) A blank sample of the Informed Consent form each participant will sign.

## 3) Instructions for Participants in the Regional Science Fair.

- a) Fill in Form 4.1A on a computer, not by hand.
- b) Print the completed Form 4.1A, and then get it signed with all the required signatures.
- c) Make a paper copy of this completed and signed form.
- d) Store the original signed copy of form 4.1A in a safe place.
- e) Take the copy of signed form 4.1A to your Regional Science Fair.
- f) If you did a survey, take these three forms to your Regional Science Fair as well:
  - i) The Survey.
  - ii) Your Letter of Information that you gave to every participant in your project.
  - iii) A blank sample of the Informed Consent form each participant signed before they did your experiment..

## 4) Instructions for Finalists selected for the Canada Wide Science Fair

- a) Upload the completed, but unsigned, electronic copy of form 4.1A on your computer to the Forms area of the CWSF registration site.
- b) If you did a survey, upload these forms as well:
  - i) the Survey.
  - ii) Your Letter of Information that you gave to every participant in your project.
  - iii) A blank sample of the Informed Consent form each participant signed before they did your experiment.
- c) Make two paper copies of the signed and completed form 4.1A.

## 5) Paper Copy for You

Bring one paper copy of the signed form 4.1A to the CWSF and have it available at your project.

## 6) Paper Copy for your Delegate

Give a second paper copy of the signed form 4.1A to your Delegate, and ask that it be brought to the CWSF just in case your copy gets mislaid.