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When is Written Consent Necessary? The Case of Education Research

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The National Research Council suggests that much education research is eligible for exempt or expedited human-subjects review. Yet many IRB's routinely subject education research to consent requirements that appear to go beyond those required by Federal regulations. This presentation addresses the role of written informed consent for research in schools and in related contexts.

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