

## **New Support Program: IRB Mentoring**

### **Institutional Review Board, Human Subject Research Protection Program**

<http://www.purdue.edu/research/vpr/rschadmin/rschoversight/humans/index.shtml>

Need help with your IRB protocol application? Are you uncertain as to how to approach requested revisions? If so, the IPFW IRB Mentoring program is now in place to help.

As part of our ongoing efforts to assist IPFW faculty and staff with their research and sponsored program endeavors, The Office of Research and External Support has created an IRB Mentoring program.

IRB Mentoring provides assistance to those who need or want help in preparing an IRB protocol application. Faculty members with IRB application experience will, upon request to ORES, review your application or revision, and offer guidance as to how best fulfill the requirements of an IRB protocol application.

#### **IRB Mentors for 2008-2009 are:**

Stevens Amidon, English & Linguistics

Jonathon Dalby, Audiology & Speech

Marcia Dixson, Communication

Michelle Drouin, Psychology

Craig Hill, Psychology

Mark Masters, Physics

Please do not contact the mentors directly. If you wish to utilize the service of one of the mentors, please contact Pat Farrell at 481.6164 or email [Farrell@ipfw.edu](mailto:Farrell@ipfw.edu).

**Please note: you must provide a draft of your application to the mentor.**

***Use of a mentor does not relieve the investigator of the responsibility of ensuring the scientific integrity of the research, nor does it guarantee approval by the IRB.***

