

Risk Level Review Route

OREM Risk Level	EPS & MHLS Faculty RECs Review Route
Low	N/A Does not require a research ethics review e.g. desk study, secondary analysis of fully anonymous data.
Medium	For Undergraduate and Postgraduate Taught applications review is conducted by the Supervisor and a Second Ethics Reviewer on behalf of the Committee. The application is submitted to the REC to confirm this has been done in accordance with REC procedures. For Staff and Postgraduate Research applications review is arranged by the REC, with a Designated Reviewer from your School conducting the review. For this Lower Risk review route applications can be submitted on a rolling basis.
High	Review is conducted by the REC at the next available meeting. An associated submission deadline and meeting date will appear in the Summary Tab.

NB. You can view the Risk level allocated to your application in the **Details** tab or in the **Summary** tab.

The risk level is determined by the dynamic ethics application form in QUB Online Research Ethics Management (OREM), based on the responses provided to risk trigger questions.