This form should be used when Native American or Indigenous populations will be a targeted study population. Please remember that for work on Native American lands, investigators must first run the proposal by the UA Native Peoples Technical Assistance Office (NPTAO), get permission from the appropriate Tribal Council, and then submit to the IRB. A project includes Native American or Indigenous research participants when:

* The research or institutional engagement takes place in Indian Country, or Alaska Native homelands, on land under the control or jurisdiction of a sovereign tribe;
* Human research is conducted in Indian Health Service (IHS) facilities or involving IHS staff or resources;
* The research or institutional engagement involves participation by members of a sovereign tribe and foreseeably result in research results with implications specific to a tribe or to individuals as members of a tribe;
* Any research or institutional engagement involving human remains, funerary objects, sacred objects, objects of cultural patrimony that are subject to the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act; or
* The research involves human subjects, including genetic testing or testing of blood, tissue, or other materials if the individual's membership in or affiliation with a tribe is identified, and that is intended to or that may foreseeably result in conclusions or generalizations about a tribe or individuals as members of a tribe.

Complete a separate *Appendix for Native American or Indigenous Populations* for each Native American or Indigenous tribe that will be included.

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| Basic Information | |
| **Title of Study:** |  |
| **Short Title:** |  |
| **Principal Investigator Name:** |  |
| Section 1: Native American or Indigenous Populations | |
| Name of Tribe/Tribal Entity: | |
| Has the researcher consulted with the tribe/tribal entity?  Yes  No  If No, please explain the status of consultation: | |
| Has the researcher received written approval from the tribe/tribal entity for participation/inclusion?  Yes  No  If No, please explain why written approval has not been obtained: | |
| Describe, if any, specific local laws or nation/state rules and regulations that go above federal regulation requirements, governing the proposed research activity. For example, multiple IRB reviews, tribal data ownership, data destruction, project-specific community advisory board, etc. | |
| Has the tribe/tribal entity requested data ownership?   Yes  No  **If Yes, please explain how you will accommodate this request:** | |
| Describe any specific recruitment or consent issues and additional risk factors for this population that the IRB needs to take into consideration: | |
| Will data or information remain with the researcher once the study is complete:  Yes  No  If Yes, please explain: | |
| Will biological specimens be collected from this population (e.g., saliva, blood, or tissue)\*:  Yes  No  If Yes,   * Please explain what will be collected: * Please explain how it will be used:   \*If genetic research may be done, include in the informed consent required language that can be found in the margins of the template or in the guidance, *Native Americans or International Indigenous Population.* | |
| Will biological specimens and/or data from this population be placed in a repository:  Yes  No  If Yes,   * Please explain what repository: * Who will have access to the specimens and/or data in the repository: * How will specimens be used: | |