

Compliance Requirements for Higher Degree Research

Some research projects will have mandatory compliance requirements, for instance:

- Research involving human participants
- Research involving animals and genetically modified organisms (GMOs)
- Research involving analysis of human, biological or chemical samples
- Research involving the operation of specialist equipment
- Research involving vulnerable populations
- Research requiring security clearance

Compliance requirements may include (but are not limited to) security checks, health protection evidence, and additional training and certification – may include research integrity, ethical conduct, first aid, animal handling & welfare, biosafety, chemical safety, radiation safety, equipment licences, Good Clinical Practice GCP, and Good Laboratory Practice GLP.

As a higher degree researcher, you should be aware of required compliance depending on the nature of your research project. HDR students are responsible to meet the necessary compliance requirements, both internal and external (where relevant). If you are unsure of these, please consult with your supervision team for guidance.

If you are unable to meet the compliance requirements for your higher degree research, this could result in not being able to successfully complete your degree.

Useful links for further information:

- [HSM Compliance Handbook](#)
- [HSM Compliance Schedule](#)
- [Australian Immunisation Handbook](#)
- [Bond University Research Integrity](#)
- [Research Services Policies and Procedures](#)
- [National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research](#)
- [Australian code for the care and use of animals for scientific purposes](#)
- [Biosafety](#)
- [NHMRC Guidelines](#)

Evidence for HDR Compliance

Evidence of compliance for HDR students can be upload in the Pure Researcher Portal as an *Activity > Other Activity* with the title *HDR Compliance Requirements*.

Evidence can be as supporting documents and please set *Visibility* as *Backend*.

- [Pure Login](#)
- [Pure Support](#)

[Pure Quick Reference Guide – Activities / Projects](#)