**RAP Application  
Approval In Principle (AIP)**

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| **Purpose:** This is a supplemental application form to be included with your electronic application submitted through the Research Administration Portal (RAP) system when applying for an **Approval in Principle (AIP).**  The **Approval in Principle (AIP)** application is designed to facilitate review and preliminary approval for research lacking definite plans for the involvement of human subject research in accordance with the regulations set forth in 45 CFR 46.118.  The AIP approval allows UO Sponsored Project Services (SPS) to release funds associated with preliminary phases of research that are preparatory to planned human subject research activities; this application is NOT for IRB review and approval.  **No human subject research activities may occur under the AIP approval.** |

**Instructions:** Complete the form below and upload to the Basic Study Info page of the New Study submission activity in the IRB Module of the RAP. Upload all applicable research materials as prompted throughout the electronic application pages in the RAP.

**General information for investigator’s reference (optional):**

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| Principal  Investigator (PI): |  | Faculty Advisor: |  |
| Study Title: |  | | |

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| Research Design/Funding Sponsorship |
| Describe the activities that will take place *preparatory* to implementation of human subject research. |
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| If anything related to human subject research activities and/or study timeline will differ from that described in the funding materials, please describe in textbox below.   * + NOTE: Enter additional information regarding funding, including the [Funding and Sponsorship form](https://research.uoregon.edu/sites/research2.uoregon.edu/files/2020-12/rap_form_-_funding_and_sponsorship.docx), in the RAP under Study Funding Sources. |
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NOTE: If approved, the AIP approval period will be issued with an expiration date based on the stated anticipated start date for human subject research activities in the electronic application. In advance of the expiration date and prior to implementing human subject research activities, investigators will need to submit a modification to this study and obtain either an exempt determination or IRB approval. The modification will need to fully describe human subject research activities and provide all required protocol application materials for review.