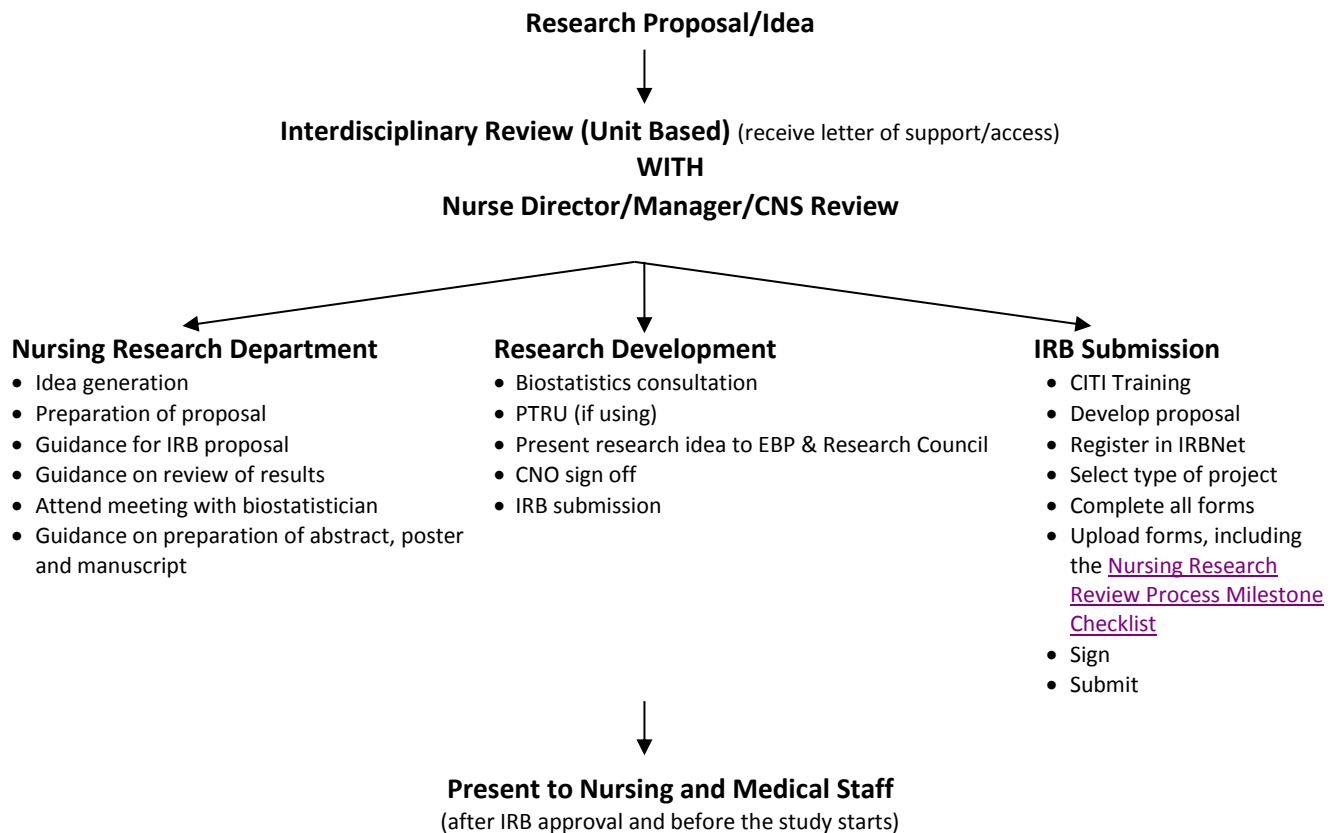


NURSING RESEARCH REVIEW PROCESS

Purpose:

- To promote and support research by nurses and nurse engagement in research
- Provide information for Magnet review
- Determine the resources required for the conduct of the research
- Determine use of nurses for research (to decide if compensation is required – exempt vs. hourly)



Approval Process:

1. Nurse Director/Manager/CNS should review for feasibility and cost to the unit, and to determine the support needed for the research. Obtain Unit Leadership approval by a unit-based or diagnosis-based interdisciplinary committee (who will review the proposal and approve (e.g. HOT unit, HHI)
2. Prior to IRB submission:
 - Obtain biostats consultation
 - EBP & Nursing Research Council review (for scientific integrity)
 - Present to EBP & Nursing Research Council
 - Obtain PTRU approval (if study conducted in PTRU)
 - Obtain CNO (or Director of Nursing Research) approval (*required*).
3. Investigator will present to medical and nursing staff after IRB approval is obtained.

Role of EBP & Nursing Research Council: review for scientific integrity.

Role of the Dept. of Nursing Research: provide guidance for idea generation, proposal development, IRB application, biostats consultation, review of results, preparation of the abstract, poster and manuscript.

Education:

- How to complete CITI training: www.citiprogram.org.
- [Differences between EBP / QI / Research](#)