1. PURPOSE
   1.1. This policy establishes the process for reviewing federal grant applications.

2. REVISIONS FROM PREVIOUS VERSION
   2.1. None

3. POLICY
   3.1. The revised Common Rule removes the requirement that the IRB review the Federal grant application or proposal for consistency with the protocol submitted to the IRB. Unless required by the Federal department or agency conducting or supporting the research, or by foreign, state, or local laws or regulations (including tribal law), the IRB will no longer require submission of, or conduct review of, Federal grant applications or proposals when research is subject to the revised Common Rule.

   3.2. Until further guidance is provided by the appropriate federal agency, when MU is the primary awardee, the investigator should consult with the grant officer to determine whether IRB review of that specific grant application is required.