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The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences will not review requests for waiver of the requirement for consent in planned emergency research.

NOTE: This is not the same as Waiver of informed consent in Emergency Use of a Drug or Biologic which is addressed in Policy 18.3; or Waiver of informed consent in Emergency use of an Unapproved Medical Device which is addressed in Policy 18.4.

It is the policy of UAMS to not waive informed consent for planned emergency research under FDA regulations 21 CFR 50.24 and November 1, 1996 DHHS Waiver of Informed Consent Requirements in Certain Emergency Research.