



## Boston College: OFFICE FOR SPONSORED PROGRAMS

### Research IDC Waiver Policy

#### Purpose of Policy

#### Scope

This policy applies to individuals, including the Principal Investigator (\*PI) and any other person regardless of title or position who is responsible for the purchasing, contracting, design, implementation, oversight, expenditures, or reporting of sponsored programs and funds on behalf of BC. It includes non-BC collaborators or non-BC consultants.

#### Definitions

Indirect Costs; Indirect costs are those costs that are not directly attributable to a specific project but are necessary for the overall operation of the institution. These costs are typically expressed as a percentage of the direct costs.

Indirect Costs Waiver; An indirect cost waiver is a request to the sponsor for a reduction or elimination of indirect costs. This is often requested for non-profit organizations or for projects with a limited budget.

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