

Above Minimal Risk 2026 REB Meeting Schedule

Please review the [Research Risk Assessment Guidelines](#) to perform an initial assessment of the level of risk your project entails.

Projects that meet the [Tri-Council definition of Minimal Risk](#) are eligible for **Delegated Review** by the Research Ethics Board ("REB") and may be submitted at any time (i.e. there are **no deadlines** for submission of **Minimal Risk** applications).

Projects assessed to be **Above Minimal Risk** require **Full Board Review** by the REB and must be submitted by the **Application Due Date** set out below.

<u>Application Due Date</u>	<u>REB Meeting Date</u>
January 8, 2026	January 22, 2026
February 12, 2026	February 26, 2026
March 12, 2026	March 26, 2026
April 9, 2026	April 23, 2026
May 7, 2026	May 28, 2026
June 11, 2026	June 25, 2026

July and August – Ad hoc Review Process Only, as there are no regular meetings held during summer months. **Please note** that we cannot guarantee a specific turnaround time for REB response to any applications submitted during the summer months as they are reviewed upon availability of REB members.

<u>Application Due Date</u>	<u>REB Meeting Date</u>
September 10, 2026	September 24, 2026
October 8, 2026	October 22, 2026
November 12, 2026	November 26, 2026
December 3, 2026	December 17, 2026 ¹

¹Date adjusted due to Christmas Break