# **Secondary Research Uses of Private Information or Biospecimens Application**

As of June 11, the eResearch application for projects involving Secondary Research Uses of Data and/ Biospecimen will have significant changes to the questions and workflow.

Significant changes have been made to the application path for all projects involving secondary use of data and or biospecimens. The smart form questions will route the application to the correct review and determination path. The key changes are summarized below.

**Change to Application Types**

The new “Secondary Research Uses of Private Information or Biospecimens” application type will be used for all projects involving the analysis of data or biospecimens only.

**New Scope of Secondary Use Research page (New Section 01-1.2)**

* This new section elicits the key information about the data or specimens used in the research and consolidates questions found in other sections of the current application.
* Responses to these smartform questions will determine the required questions for the type of review required (comprehensive IRB review, exempt or not regulated).
* For exempt projects, the study protocol will be described in this section rather than in the current Section 5-3 (Exempt Research Design)

**Secondary Data Analysis Section 24**

* The questions for this section of the application have been consolidated.