

Unit 4: Keeping Research Participants Safe

Topic 4.1: Risks and Safeguards



Topic 4.1 Discussion questions

1. What are some **risks**, or possible harms **in your** research **study**?



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2. It is possible you **might know people** who you are recruiting to be in your study. **Sometimes** it is **ok to know people in your research study** and **sometimes** it will make things hard and should be avoided. **How** would **you feel** about **being** in a research **study** with someone **you already know**?

- **How** do you think **other people will feel** about **being in** your research **study with people they know**?

- Do you think it is **ok** for you to **know people in your team's study**?
Think about the **topic** you are studying and **possible harms** from **learning** this **information** about someone you know.

- **What** do you think you should **do when you know the people you are recruiting**?



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3. **Who** may have a **difficult experience** with **your** research **study** because of the **topic** you are studying?

- **What experiences** or **feelings** might be **hard to talk about**?
- **How** can you **help people** who **have a hard time** with your research topic?