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13d. ADDRESSING COMMON ERRORS IN THE DSRB ROAM APPLICATION FORM

SECTION H – RECRUITMENT DETAILS

Biomedical Domain A-E

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Section H – Recruitment Details

ROAM Section H1: How will potential subjects be identified?

H1 How will potential research participants be identified?*

☑ Referral by attending healthcare professional

☑ Persons with dependent relationship with study team (e.g. doctor-patient, employee-employer, head-subordinate, student-teacher, departmental staff relationship)

Please describe how the study team will manage the dependent relationship to prevent coercion or undue influence.*

Common issue:

When the "Patients with dependent relationship with study team" option is chosen in section H1, ensure that the explanation for the nature of this dependent relationship is stated and describe how study team members will manage this dependent relationship to avoid coercion or undue influence (i.e. consent to be taken by another study team member who is not the patient's doctor, giving the subject adequate time to consider participation, giving the subject the opportunity to ask questions, ensuring that the subject is still accorded full medical care if he/she refuses to participate or withdraws from study.)

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