

# Ethics and Research-

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## Experimental Research

Others are subjects  
Individual-consent, confidentiality  
Protection of identity  
Privacy is core value

Goal is to understand and describe the action of others for people in new or different settings. (opting out)

Take knowledge from setting (findings and publications) to share with others with a focus on changes to other contexts (generalize)

Hierarchical Power and authority  
Expertise – leave the setting

## Action Research

Researcher as subject  
Collective – ongoing relationship  
Partnership with participants  
Reciprocity as core value

Goal is to understand one's own action by understanding its' effort on others in one's own setting. (no opting out)

Build knowledge in the setting (through presentations and dialogue) with the participants so that it can continue to effect change locally and beyond

Reciprocity and empowerment  
Relationships – remain connected