

**NIH ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE STATEMENT****1. Indicate which situation this Assurance of Compliance Applies to:**

- New Application/Competing Renewal
- Annual Progress Report
- Prior Approval Request

**2. I certify that the statements herein are true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties. If this is a proposal that results in an award, I agree to accept responsibility for the scientific conduct of the project and to provide the required progress reports in accordance with the sponsor's requirements.**

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PI Signature Date

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Printed Name and Title

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Co-PI Signature Date

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**Notes:**

- *For Multi-Investigator Award, each PI employed at The University of Montana must sign this form. Stamps and per/for signatures will not be accepted under any circumstances.*
- ***This assurance is not required when using an internal OPAS form.***

## **NIH ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE STATEMENT (FORM RA-105) INSTRUCTIONS**

This form has been developed in accordance with NIH Notice 06-054 (04/07/2006) regarding PI Signature Requirements on new applications, progress reports, and prior approval requests. Full copies of the notice are available online at <http://grants2.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-06-054.html> .

This assurance of compliance is required for both electronic and paper submissions. It must be signed by all PI's/Co-PI's who are UM Employees prior to submission of the application/renewal/report/request to NIH. Stamps and per/for signatures will not be accepted under any circumstances.

### **Instructions:**

1. Click in the appropriate box to indicate what type of document this assurance of compliance relates to.
  - a. New Applications/Competing Renewals - self explanatory
  - b. Annual Progress Reports - self explanatory
  - c. Prior Approval Requests - This section only applies to situations in which UM must obtain sponsor approval prior to proceeding with certain changes to a program. This form is not required when submitting the OPAS (Form RA-107).
2. Each PI and Co-PI employed by The University of Montana must sign and date the form.