

Annual Report
January 2004 – December 2004

A total of **193** projects were submitted to the Ethics Committee from January 2004 – December 2004.

Of these, **15** projects were approved at first submission. **3** projects were given provisional permission subject to regulatory approval. **2** projects were not approved for ethical aspects. **3** projects did not come under ECRHS purview and administrative approval was advised. The rest of the **170** projects had scientific and ethical lacunae in the submitted protocols. For these projects, ECRHS comments, regarding modifications in the protocol were sent to investigators.

The status of projects submitted from January 2004 – December 2004 will be asked for by the ECRHS in December 2005.

In December 2004, the ECRHS requested investigators to provide the status of projects submitted during January 2003 - December 2003. The status of these projects is as follows:

Total Projects reviewed by ECRHS in 2003 = 185

Projects completed:	79
Projects not approved as answers to ECRHS suggestions not received:	51
Projects that were approved but not initiated:	11
Projects withdrawn prior to receiving approval	01
Ongoing projects:	15
Projects whose status was not submitted by Investigator:	<u>28</u>
Total	185

1 project out of 136 projects submitted in 1999 is ongoing.

2 projects out of 142 projects submitted in 2000 are ongoing.

13 out of the 141 projects submitted in the Year 2001 are ongoing.

16 out of 190 projects submitted in the Year 2002 are ongoing

