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Oral History Studies

Oral history interviews are usually obtained from individuals selected because of their unique relationship to a topic. The information obtained provides particular perspectives on the topic, but is not necessarily “generalizable”. For this reason, oral history interviews do not meet the definition of human subjects research, are not subject to the Federal requirements, and do not require review by CHR.