



INNOVATIONS FOR POVERTY ACTION IRB - USA

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From: Human Subjects Committee for Innovations for Poverty Action IRB-USA

Date Approved: 12/20/2022

Record Type: Original Application

Status: Expedited Approval

Risk Designation: Minimal Risk

Approval period*: Three Years

IPA IRB Protocol #: 16240

Project Title: Costa Rica Virtual Training for Workers

Expiration Date: 12/19/2025

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*The approval period may change if there are changes to the study design or changes to the risk status of the study.

The above-referenced submission is approved by the Innovations for Poverty Action Institutional Review Board (IRB Registration #00006083).

Renewal of IRB Approval: It is the Principal Investigator's responsibility to obtain a review and continued approval before the expiration date listed above. You may not continue any research activity beyond the expiration date without an IRB renewal of approval.

Unanticipated Problems and other Reportable Events: Investigators are required to promptly report to the IRB any participant complaints and any unanticipated problems that involve risks to participants or others. If the problem is serious, approval may be suspended pending IRB review.



Amendments: If you wish to change any aspect of this study, such as the procedures, consent forms, or data collection instruments, you must submit an amendment to the IRB. The new procedure is not to be initiated until IRB approval has been granted.

The study was found to be minimal risk. All of the research procedures fall within the expedited review categories.

Waivers granted by the IRB:

Waiver of documentation of consent [i.e., waiver of the consent signature requirement]

Approved consent form for use:

- 94493022_informed_consent_form_costa_rica_12.01.2022

Please retain a copy of this letter with your approved protocol. Please use the most recently IRB-approved version of the study documents for all subsequent submissions to IPA IRB and track the approved versions in MyRA to ensure compliance in your study.

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