

Terms of Reference

Human Tissue Management Sub-Committee

- To establish, review, and revise policies and procedures to ensure Edge Hill University conducts its business in accordance with the requirements of the Human Tissue Act (2004) and associated codes of practice.
- To monitor activity under the University's Human Tissue Research Licence.
- To monitor compliance with the conditions of the University's Human Tissue Research Licence, and policies and procedures detailed in the University's Human Tissue Quality Manual, including the review of internal and Human Tissue Authority audits.
- To establish the provision and monitoring of training and support given to Edge Hill University staff and students working under the University's Human Tissue Research Licence, as well as members of the University Research Ethics Sub-Committee.
- To review any adverse events relating to the handling or storage of human tissue and implementing changes in policy or procedure where appropriate.
- To receive reports from the University Research Ethics Sub-Committee on ethics applications received that contain licensable activity.
- To circulate minutes of the Human Tissue Management Sub-Committee meetings to persons working under the University's Human Tissue Research Licence.