

MEMORANDUM

To: Leanne Boucher, PhD
College of Psychology

From: Jaime Tartar, Ph.D.
College Representative, College of Psychology

Date: September 23, 2022

Subject: IRB Exempt Initial Approval Memo

TITLE: Understanding Word Processing and Meaning– NSU IRB Protocol Number
2022-440

Dear Principal Investigator,

Your submission has been reviewed and Exempted by your IRB College Representative or their Alternate on **September 23, 2022**. You may proceed with your study.

Please Note: Exempt studies do not require approval stamped documents. If your study site requires stamped copies of consent forms, recruiting materials, etc., contact the IRB Office.

Level of Review: Exempt

Type of Approval: Initial Approval

Exempt Review Category: Exempt 2: Interviews, surveys, focus groups, observations of public behavior, and other similar methodologies

Post-Approval Monitoring: The IRB Office conducts post-approval review and monitoring of all studies involving human participants under the purview of the NSU IRB. The Post-Approval Monitor may randomly select any active study for a Not-for-Cause Evaluation.

Annual Status of Research Update: You are required to notify the IRB Office annually if your

research study is still ongoing via the *Exempt Research Status Update xForm*.

Final Report: You are required to notify the IRB Office within 30 days of the conclusion of the research that the study has ended using the *Exempt Research Status Update xForm*.

Translated Documents: No

Please retain this document in your IRB correspondence file.

CC: Jaime Tartar, Ph.D.