

Quality Policy of the Pere Virgili Institute for Health Research (Instituto de Investigación Sanitaria Pere Virgili)

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The IISPV's quality policy is integrated in its Strategic Plan and is framed in its mission, vision, and values.

Mission:

The Pere Virgili Institute for Health Research is a Public Institution dedicated to promoting, consolidate and transfer the results of its research and innovation capacity, to strengthen the health system, providing solutions that improve the health of people and the welfare of citizens.

Vision:

We want the Pere Virgili Health Research Institute to be a local and international reference in biomedical research and innovation, obtaining relevant results that translate into an efficient, sustainable, and reputable model, constantly increasing our asset of talent, knowledge, and capacity to grow in resources at the service of our society.

Values:

- **IDENTITY:** We work in a multidisciplinary, transversal, and integrating environment that, in its diversity, commits us to a goal of cooperation in common and constant improvement.
- **ADAPTABILITY:** We are restless, critical, and curious professionals who want to carry out our activity being always at the highest possible level, being able to be open, to improve continuously and to reach the complexity and the transforming and innovative evolution of what we do.
- **COOPERATION:** We are willing to share our knowledge and integrate it with other research entities to generate greater value and reach better results in profitable alliances.
- **HONESTY:** We feel the need to act incorporating ethical criteria and social responsibility, being aware that we must report periodically in a transparent way our contrasted and evaluated results to our Trustees, professionals, and citizens.
- **PROXIMITY:** We work being aware and oriented to the reality of the health demand, focusing and prioritizing the health problems that offer the best results that our health system demands and that benefit our citizens.

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It is the responsibility of the Management to provide an integral quality model transversal to the whole institution. For this reason, the Management of the Institute establishes its Quality Policy and declares its Commitment and General Guidelines on Quality, in the following objectives:

- ✓ Vocation of service towards the research staff, patients, and society in general.
- ✓ To develop an efficient and effective management of resources, based on processes and procedures, and their continuous improvement.
- ✓ To develop an organizational structure for the institute in all its scientific and management areas as well as for the infrastructures and scientific-technological platforms in order to generate a common and efficient working environment.
- ✓ To guarantee the quality and good practices of our activity in order to fulfil our objectives of generating knowledge and providing solutions to health problems and their potential translation into clinical practice and the productive fabric.
- ✓ To guarantee compliance with current obligations in terms of ethics, confidentiality, R&D&I management, and transparency.
- ✓ To strengthen the policy of social responsibility in scientific activity.
- ✓ Promote the development of people, through gender and cultural equality, accessibility, and recognition.

The IISPV considers that the responsibility for the correct application of these principles corresponds to the entire organization, expecting all staff to collaborate in its deployment.

This policy will be reviewed annually by the Quality Committee and the IISPV Management and is available to all interested parties.

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