Harvard University Institutional Information

The following is a list of useful institutional information often requested by sponsors.

Official Corporate/Legal Name: President and Fellows of Harvard College

Type of Organization - Corporate Status: Private non-profit educational institution incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts.

Tax Status: Tax exempt under Section 501c (3) of the Internal Revenue Code; letter dated August 13, 1979.

I.R.S. Employer Identification Number (EIN): 04-2103580N: University Area NIH proposals only: 1-042103580 B1

Cognizant Federal Government Audit Agency: The federal agency with which Harvard University negotiates its indirect cost rates.
Department of Health and Human Services, 26 Federal Plaza, Suite 4114, New York, NY 10278

Dun & Bradstreet (DUNS) Number: 00-196-3263

Contractor Establishment Code (CEC): 62 362 480G

Congressional district: Providing a district allows the government to see how federal dollars impact districts. Cambridge Campus - 8th

County: Cambridge - Middlesex Boston - Suffolk

Nuclear Regulatory Commission License No.: 20-00297-53, This license number from the NRC provides evidence that Harvard is licensed to use and handle nuclear materials.

CAGE Number: Commercial and Government Entity Code: 1NQH4, This number identifies companies doing or wishing to do business with the federal government. This number is assigned by the Defense Logistics Information Service.

Federal Interagency Committee on Education (FICE) Number: 002155, This identifier indicates that we are an educational institution and is requested by some of the federal agencies on their application cover page or their Representation & Certification page.

Standard Industry Code (SIC): 8221; 611310 (North American Industry Classification Number) This number is assigned to any entity (industry, educational...) to classify the type of industry it is. The SIC number is being phased out and replaced with the North American Industry Classifications System.

NSF Institutional Code: This code is to be used on the National Science Foundation application page.
University Area: 0021550000

IRB Multiple Project Assurance Code for University Area and Harvard School of Public Health (MPA):
This code identifies that Harvard University has an IRB in place that meets federal standards and that the University is approved to conduct research involving human subjects. University Area:M1084 University Area contact: Jane Calhoun 495-5459
Internal Animal Care and Usage Committee (IACUC):
This number is assigned to Harvard University and identifies that the University is approved to use animals in our research and that we have facilities that meet federal standards for the care of animals.

University Area: A3593-1
Contact: Ellyn Lane 432-1288

Wire Transfer: Non-federal Awards
Contact: Nancy Thomas, Office for Sponsored Research – Cash Management
Holyoke Center – 6th floor, 495-3925