Level 1 Sponsorship process with no committee

**Pros**
- Institutional sponsorship approval
- Expedited process with small review panel = less time to reach decision
- Parallel ethics review.

**Cons**
- Decisions can be delayed if key decision maker is not available
- Relevant depts are not consulted to review all aspects of risk.

1. Draft protocol created
2. Submitted to sponsorship reviewer
3. Any issues raised?
   - Yes: Investigator to make changes
   - No: Continue with process
4. Sponsorship Reviewer: 2nd Pass
5. Sponsorship Approval
6. Sequence Ethics Review

Option 1: Parallel Ethics Review
Option 2: Sequential Ethics Review

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