

Ethics in Criminology Research

Ethical behavior (definition)

- Behavior is ethical insofar as it follows the rules that have been specifically oriented to the welfare of the larger society and not to the self-interest of the professional
- To act unethically is to act unprofessionally

Ethical Horror Stories



- Dr. Josef Mengele (“Angel of Death”)
- Nazi doctor
- In the name of medical research, people were infected with diseases
- New drugs have been tested
- Administered poisons
- Exposed to extreme temperatures and decompression

