

In reply please quote: HE14/067

09 May 2014

Professor Tony Okely Faculty of Social Sciences

## Dear Professor Okely,

I am pleased to advise that the amendment dated 09 May 2014 to the following Human Research Ethics application has been approved. The University of Wollongong/ Illawarra and Shoalhaven Local Health Network District (ISLHD) Social Science HREC is constituted and functions in accordance with the NHMRC *National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research*.

Ethics Number: HE14/067

**Project Title**: An after-school program to promote physical activity, cognitive

development, and academic achievement in children in

**Skoolzout Centres** 

Name of Researchers: Professor Tony Okely, Dr Dylan Cliff, Dr Rachel Jones, Dr

Stewart Vella, Dr Anne-Maree Parrish, Dr Steven Howard, Mr

Chris Tulloch, Ms Cinzia Immuni, Ms Tamara Raso

Amendment: Additional researchers x 4 (3 data collectors and 1 project

manager)

Amendment Approval Date: 09 May 2014
Expiry Date: 30 April 2015

Please remember that in addition to reporting proposed changes to your research protocol the HREC requires that researchers immediately report:

- serious or unexpected adverse effects on participants
- unforseen events that might affect continued ethical acceptability of the project.

The University of Wollongong/ ISLHD Social Sciences HREC is constituted and functions in accordance with the NHMRC National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research. A condition of approval by the HREC is the submission of a progress report annually and a final report on completion of your project. The progress report template is available at <a href="http://www.uow.edu.au/research/rso/ethics/UOW009385.html">http://www.uow.edu.au/research/rso/ethics/UOW009385.html</a>. This report must be completed, signed by the appropriate Head of School and returned to the Research Services Office prior to the expiry date.

If you have any queries regarding the HREC review process, please contact the Ethics Unit on phone 4221 3386 or email <a href="mailto:rso-ethics@uow.edu.au">rso-ethics@uow.edu.au</a>.

Yours sincerely

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**Chair, Social Sciences** 

**Human Research Ethics Committee**