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PROJECT: Monitoring of the fluid status of critically ill patients by bio-impedence vector analysis (BIVA): a before and after study

PROJECT No: H2012/04864

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Approval Period: 27 November 2012 to 27 November 2015

Re: Approval of Amendment Low Negligible Risk Research

Correspondence received from Glenn Eastwood dated 12 March 2013 requesting review of approved Audit Activity as LNRR with additional supporting documentation:

- 1) Person Responsible Information and Consent Form, Version 2, 3rd March, 2013**
- 2) Participant Information and Consent Form, Version 2, 3rd March, 2013**

I wish to inform you that the Austin Health Human Research Ethics Committee (**HREC**) has approved the amendment to your above mentioned project. The original conditions of approval incorporating this amendment remain unchanged.

Yours Sincerely,



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This HREC is constituted and operates in accordance with the National Health and Medical Research Council's (NHMRC) *National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007)*, *NHMRC and Universities Australia Australian Code for the Responsible Conduct of Research (2007)* and the *CPMP/ICH Note for Guidance on Good Clinical Practice annotated with TGA comments (July 2008)* and the applicable laws and regulations; and the *Health Privacy Principles in The Health Record Act 2001*. The process this HREC uses to review multi-centre research proposals has been certified by the NHMRC.