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اللجنة الدائمة لأخلاقيات البحث على المخلوقات الحية

Institutional Review Board

IRB Number	IRB -2017-03-129		أيرب -179–٢٠١٧ ا
Project Title	Effects of Pulsed Low Frequency Magnetic Field Therapy on Patients with Different subtypes low back pain: A Randomized Double Blind Placebo Controlled Trial.		
Principal Investigator	Professor Fuad Abdulla		
College / Center	Applied Medical Sciences	Department	Physical Therapy
Approval Date	7/06/2017		

The application was reviewed and approved at the University of Dammam IRB meeting on Wednesday, June 7, 2017.

Approval is given for two years from the date of approval. Projects, which have not commenced within six months of the original approval, must be re-submitted to the University Institutional Review Board (IRB) Committee. If you are unable to complete your research within the validation period, you will be required to request an extension from the IRB Committee.

On completion of the research, the Principal Investigator is required to advise the Institutional Review Board if any changes are made to the protocol, a revised protocol must be submitted to the Institutional Review Board for reconsideration.

Approval is given on the understanding that the "Guidelines for Ethical Research Practice" are adhered to. Where required, a signed written consent form must be obtained from each participant in the study group.

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