



Research Secretariat Women's and Children's Health Network

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Dr Antonia Chan Respiratory Medicine WCHN

Dear Dr Chan

Re: Augmented Reality as a Delivery Mechanism for Education and Behavioural Change in Children and Adolescents with Asthma – A Qualitative Study. Low Negligible Risk. HREC/20/WCHN/ 74. Ethics Expiry date 31 August 2023

Lead HREC for the above study for the following institutions/sites:

Women's and Children's Health Network

Thank you for your letter dated 18 August 2020 in response to matters raised following the expedited review of the above Low and Negligible Risk application by the Chair and two members of the WCHN HREC. I am pleased to advise that the application has been granted full ethics approval and meets the requirements of the *National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research*.

Specifically, the following documents have been noted/approved:

Document	Version	Date
HREA Application: AU/1/CD5B314		6 July 2020
AR Qualitative Protocol (Phase 2)	1.1	18 Aug 2020
PICF (Health Professionals)	1.1	18 August 2020
PICF (ParentsGuardians)	1.1	18 August 2020
PICF (Children)	1.1	18 August 2020
Letter of Invitation – WCH (ParentsGuardians-Hospital)	1.1	18 August 2020
Moderator Guide (Health Professionals) – v1.1 dated	1.1	18 August 2020
18.08.20		
Moderator Guide (Children and Adolescents with Asthma)	1.1	18 August 2020
Moderator Guide (Parents and Guardians of Children and	1.1	18 August 2020
Adolescents with Asthma)		
Recruitment Flyer Asthma Community	1.1	18 August 2020
Approval for poster to be displayed email trail		
AR Inhaler Chart – Lung Foundation Australia		
Asthma AR Inhaler Chart		
example		

This letter constitutes advice on ethical consideration only. You must not commence this research project at a site until you have obtained separate research governance approval from the site concerned. A copy of this letter should be forwarded to all site investigators for submission to the relevant Research Governance Officer.

At the WCHN, or any other SA Health site, separate authorisation from the Chief Executive or delegate of that site must be obtained through a Site Specific Assessment (SSA) request. For information on this process at the WCHN, please contact the WCHN Research Governance Officer, Dr Carmel Murone (telephone 8161 6688, email carmel.murone@sa.gov.au).

I remind you approval is given subject to:

- immediate notification of any serious or unexpected adverse events to participants;
- immediate notification of any unforeseen events that might affect continued ethical acceptability of the project;
- submission of any proposed changes to the original protocol. Changes must be approved by the Committee before they are implemented;
- immediate advice, giving reasons, if the protocol is discontinued before its completion:
- submission of an annual report on the progress of the study, and a final report when
 it is completed to the WCHN Research Governance Officer. It is your responsibility
 to provide these reports, without reminder. The proforma for the report may be found
 on the WCHN Research Governance and Ethics website.

Approval is given for three years only. If the study is more prolonged than this, an extension request should be submitted unless there are significant modifications, in which case a new submission may be required. Please note the expiry date in the title above and include it in any future communications.

The WCHN HREC wishes you every success with your research.

Yours sincerely

TAMARA ZUTLEVICS (DR)

CHAIR

WCHN HUMAN RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE