

**London - Riverside Research Ethics Committee**

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**Please note: This is the favourable opinion of the REC only and does not allow the amendment to be implemented at NHS sites in England until the outcome of the HRA assessment has been confirmed.**

03 September 2018

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Dear Dr Ramnarayan

**Study title:** Critically ill children and young people: do national Differences in access to Emergency Paediatric Intensive Care and care during Transport affect clinical outcomes and patient experience? The DEPICT study

**REC reference:** 17/LO/1267

**Protocol number:** 15HC47

**Amendment number:** AM03

**Amendment date:** 29 August 2018

**IRAS project ID:** 218569

Approval was sought for the following changes:

- Changes to the IRAs;
- Changes to the Protocol; and,
- Changes to the Patient Information Sheets and Informed Consent Forms.

The above amendment was reviewed at the meeting of the Sub-Committee held on 03 September 2018 by the Sub-Committee in correspondence.

## Ethical opinion

The members of the Committee taking part in the review gave a favourable ethical opinion of the amendment on the basis described in the notice of amendment form and supporting documentation.

## Discussion

No Ethical Issues were raised.

## Approved documents

The documents reviewed and approved at the meeting were:

<i>Document</i>	<i>Version</i>	<i>Date</i>
Covering letter on headed paper [REC COVER LETTER v4 28August2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569]]		28 August 2018
Non-validated questionnaire [QUESTIONNAIRE Transport Questionnaire (Bereaved ParentGuardian) v4 28Aug2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569] clean]	4	28 August 2018
Non-validated questionnaire [QUESTIONNAIRE Transport Questionnaire (Bereaved ParentGuardian) v4 28Aug2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569] tracked]	4	28 August 2018
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMP) [NOSA3 28 Aug2018 DEPICT Study [IRAS218569]]	AM03	29 August 2018
Other [CAGSF6-Amendment-request [IRAS218569]]		28 August 2018
Participant consent form [INTERVIEW Consent Form (Bereaved ParentGuardian) v4 28Aug2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569] clean]	4	28 August 2018
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Participant information sheet (PIS) [ QUESTIONNAIRE PIS (BPG) v4 28Aug2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569] clean.pdf ]	4	28 August 2018
Research protocol or project proposal [STUDY PROTOCOL v3 28Aug2018 DEPICT [IRAS 218569] tracked]	3	28 August 2018
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### Membership of the Committee

The members of the Committee who took part in the review are listed on the attached sheet.

### Working with NHS Care Organisations

Sponsors should ensure that they notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment in line with the terms detailed in the categorisation email issued by the lead nation for the study.

### Statement of compliance

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<b>17/LO/1267:</b>	<b>Please quote this number on all correspondence</b>
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Yours sincerely



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**Dr Margaret Jones**  
**Chair**

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**Attendance at Sub-Committee of the REC meeting on 03 September 2018**

**Committee Members:**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Profession</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Notes</i>	
Dr Margaret Jones	Retired General Practitioner	Yes	Chair	
Ms Julia Williams	Senior Producer	Yes		

**Also in attendance:**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position (or reason for attending)</i>	
Mr Paolo Buscemi	REC Assistant	