



TheAlfred

Ethics Committee

Certificate of Approval of Amendments

This is to certify that amendments to

Project: **HREC/12/Alfred/58 (Local Reference: Project 544/12) Restrictive versus Liberal Fluid Therapy in Major Abdominal Surgery**

Principal Researcher: **Professor Paul Myles**

Protocol: **Project 544/12 (RELIEF)**

Amendment: **Pre-RELIEF Sub-study Version 4.1**

Protocol Amendment dated: **Not specified**

Pre-RELIEF Master Participant Information & Consent Form: dated: **01-Nov-2014**

have been approved under the Consultative Council for Clinical Trial Research (CCCTR) Streamlined Ethics Review Program (SERP) in accordance with your amendment application dated **19-Nov-2014** on the understanding that you observe the National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research.

It is now your responsibility to ensure that all people associated with this particular research project are made aware of what has actually been approved and any caveats specified in correspondence with the Ethics Committee. Any further change to the application which is likely to have a significant impact on the ethical considerations of this project will require approval from the Ethics Committee.

Professor John J. McNeil
Chair, Ethics Committee

Date: **29-Jan-2015**

All research subject to Alfred Hospital Ethics Committee review must be conducted in accordance with the National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007).

The Alfred Ethics Committee is a properly constituted Human Research Ethics Committee operating in accordance with the National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007).