

Our reference 33578

15 April 2020

Professor Nigel Stocks
General Practice

Dear Professor Stocks

ETHICS APPROVAL No: H-2019-138
PROJECT TITLE: Coverage of influenza, pneumococcus, and herpes zoster immunisation amongst patients with immune-mediated inflammatory conditions and use of reminders to improve vaccination rates in Australian General Practice.

Thank you for the amended ethics application provided on the 14th of April 2020, requesting changes to the research methodology and means of participant contact in response to COVID-19. The amendment has been approved.

The ethics amendment for the above project has been reviewed by the Human Research Ethics Committee and is deemed to meet the requirements of the *National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research 2007 (Updated 2018)* involving no more than low risk for research participants.

You are authorised to commence your research on: 06/08/2019

The ethics expiry date for this project is: 31/08/2022

NAMED INVESTIGATORS:

Chief Investigator:	Professor Nigel Stocks
Associate Investigator:	Associate Professor David Gonzalez
Associate Investigator:	Dr Carla Bernardo
Associate Investigator:	Dr Oliver Frank
Associate Investigator:	Dr Elizabeth Ann Hoon

Ethics approval is granted for three years and is subject to satisfactory annual reporting. The form titled Annual Report on Project Status is to be used when reporting annual progress and project completion and can be downloaded at <http://www.adelaide.edu.au/research-services/oreci/human/reporting/>. Prior to expiry, ethics approval may be extended for a further period.

Participants in the study are to be given a copy of the information sheet and the signed consent form to retain. It is also a condition of approval that you immediately report anything which might warrant review of ethical approval including:

- serious or unexpected adverse effects on participants,
- previously unforeseen events which might affect continued ethical acceptability of the project,
- proposed changes to the protocol or project investigators; and
- the project is discontinued before the expected date of completion.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Paul Delfabbro
Convenor

The University of Adelaide