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Dear Dr Joel Fuller,

Reference No:520211086135306

Title: 10861 The effects of in-field running gait retraining using wearable sensors in healthy runners

Thank you for submitting the above application for ethical and scientific review. Macquarie University Human Research Ethics Committee HREC Medical Sciences Committee considered your application.

I am pleased to advise that ethical and scientific approval has been granted for this project to be conducted by Dr Joel Fuller and other personnel: A/Prof Tim Doyle, Dr Jason Bonacci, Mr Eoin Doyle.

Approval Date: 25/11/2021

This research meets the requirements set out in the National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007, updated July 2018) (the National Statement).

Approved with recommendations:

OneDrive data does not have to be directly held in the computer memory. Data can be held in cloud with drive mapped to computer, so it isn't stored directly on the computer. Therefore, external hard-drives should not be needed. If OneDrive memory is not enough, the same can be done with SharePoint or CloudStor which allows for more storage space.

However, do note that CloudStor is currently only approved for Sensitive (de-identified data). Identified data will need to be stored on SharePoint or OneDrive.

If encrypted external hard drives are used you will have to provide justification for need when submitting purchase approval, as are no longer recommended for use as primary storage. If they are, automated backup should be set up to the cloud storage. However, do note that CloudStor is currently only approved for Sensitive (de-identified data). Identified data will need to be stored on SharePoint or OneDrive.

Standard Conditions of Approval:

- 1. Continuing compliance with the requirements of the *National Statement*, which is available at the following website: http://www.nhmrc.gov.au/book/national-statement-ethical-conduct-human-research
- 2. This approval is valid for five (5) years, subject to the submission of annual reports. Please submit your reports on the anniversary of the approval for this protocol.
- 3. All significant safety issues, that adversely affect the safety of participants or materially impact on the continued ethical and scientific acceptability of the project, must be reported to the HREC within 72 hours.
- 4. Proposed changes to the protocol and associated documents must be submitted to the Committee for approval before implementation.

It is the responsibility of the Chief investigator to retain a copy of all documentation related to this project and to forward a copy of this approval letter to all personnel listed on the project.

Should you have any queries regarding your project, please contact the Ethics Secretariat on 9850 4194 or by email ethics.secretariat@mq.edu.au

The HREC Medical Sciences Committee Terms of Reference and Standard Operating Procedures are available from the Research Office website at: https://www.mq.edu.au/research/ethics-integrity-and-policies/ethics/human-ethics

The HREC Medical Sciences Committee wishes you every success in your research.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Anthony Eyers



This HREC is constituted and operates in accordance with the National Health and Medical Research Council's (NHMRC)National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007, updated July 2018) and the CPMP/ICH Note for Guidance on Good Clinical Practice