



1 December 2016

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Dear Harin,

Re: HREC Project # 16/08

A comparison of two artemisinin combination therapies (ACTs) in combination with primaquine for radical cure of Plasmodium vivax malaria in the Solomon Islands: the "ACT-radical" study.

This letter is to confirm that the institute's Human Research Ethics Committee following the receipt of approvals from the Solomon Islands Health Research Ethics and Review Board (SIHRERB) and the Solomon Islands Ministry of Health National Medicine and Therapeutic Committee (NMTC) has approved your project.

In accordance with the NHMRC's National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research (2007) and all subsequent updates, and the Health Privacy Principles described in the Health Records Act 2001 (VIC) and Section 95A of the Privacy Act 1998 (and subsequent guidelines) your project has been approved for a two year period commencing October 2016.

You are also reminded that any adverse events should be reported to the HREC immediately and that project amendments should be submitted in a timely manner.

Yours sincerely,

Sue Cameron
HREC Coordinator