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Dear Professor Samani

Study title: The GENVASC Study: Genetics and the Vascular Health Check Programme
REC reference: 12/EM/0208
Amendment number: Amendment 4
Amendment date: 20 October 2014
IRAS project ID: 107325

The above amendment was reviewed on 20 November 2014 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.

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 [Letter from Professor Samani]		28 October 2014
Letters of invitation to participant [Tracked changes]	1.0	28 April 2014
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMP) [Signed by Nilesh Samani]	Amendment 4	20 October 2014

Membership of the Committee

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

R&D approval

All investigators and research collaborators in the NHS should notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment and check whether it affects R&D approval of the research.

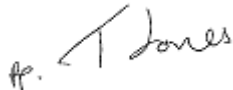
Statement of compliance

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Yours sincerely



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Enclosures: List of names and professions of members who took part in the review

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Attendance at Sub-Committee of the REC meeting on 20 November 2014

Committee Members:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Profession</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Mr Peter Korczak (Chair)	Consultant Maxillo-facial Surgeon	Yes	
Dr Helen Sammons (Vice Chair)	Associate Professor in Child Health	Yes	

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<i>Name</i>	<i>Position (or reason for attending)</i>
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