



## Health Research Authority

### London - Surrey Research Ethics Committee

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**Please note: This is the favourable opinion of the REC only and does not allow the amendment to be implemented at NHS sites in England until the outcome of the HRA assessment has been confirmed.**

26 December 2017

Ms Suzanne Emerton  
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Dear Ms Emerton

**Study title:** Improving perioperative care through the use of quality data: Patient Study of the Perioperative Quality Improvement Programme

**REC reference:** 16/LO/1827

**Protocol number:** 16/0577

**Amendment number:** 4.0

**Amendment date:** 20 October 2017

**IRAS project ID:** 215928

The above amendment was reviewed at the meeting of the Sub-Committee held 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>
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMP) [AmendmentForm_ReadyForSubmission]	4.0	20 October 2017
Research protocol or project proposal [PQIP Patient Study Protocol v1.5 03042017.]	1.5	28 November 2017
Research protocol or project proposal [PQIP Patient Study Protocol v1.6 20102017]	1.6	20 October 2016

## Membership of the Committee

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

## Working with NHS Care Organisations

Sponsors should ensure that they notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment in line with the terms detailed in the categorisation email issued by the lead nation for the study.

## Statement of compliance

The Committee is constituted in accordance with the Governance Arrangements for Research Ethics Committees and complies fully with the Standard Operating Procedures for Research Ethics Committees in the UK.

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<b>16/LO/1827: Please quote this number on all correspondence</b>
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Yours sincerely



**PP**  
**Mrs Chrissie Lawson**  
**Chair**

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### Attendance at Sub-Committee of the REC meeting in Correspondence

#### Committee Members:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Profession</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Mr Robin Walsh	Retired Professor of Physical Chemistry	Yes	
Mrs Chrissie Lawson	Nurse Specialist	Yes	<i>Meeting Chair</i>

#### Also in attendance:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position (or reason for attending)</i>
Mr Rajat Khullar	REC Manager
Mr Stephan Ramey	REC Assistant