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**Letter of Approval**

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On Jan-03-2012, the Institutional Review Board I of the Tri-Service General Hospital, National Defense Medical Center (TSGHIRB) approved the above named Protocol, Subject Information/Consent Form, and related materials **as low risk in classification, report frequency 1 time/year.**

Your ongoing responsibility to the TSGHIRB follows:

- any changes to the approved protocol and/or related materials submit for IRB approval before instituting these changes. Changes to eliminate immediate hazards to human subjects are the only changes that may be made prior to IRB approval.
- submit a protocol status update report for continuing review.
- submit a protocol status update report with your findings to the IRB office when your protocol is completed or terminated.
- report all serious and unanticipated adverse events in studies involving human subjects to the IRB immediately.
- use only copies of the enclosed subject information/consent form, flyers, etc. that bear the TSGHIRB approval date stamp.

If you have questions, concerns, or requests for more information , please contact TSGHIRB office at 886-2-8792-3311 ext.10552.

Please reference your TSGHIRB approval number in all communications about this protocol.

Sincerely,  
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