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ETHICS CERTIFICATE OF EXPEDITED APPROVAL

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR: Brian Bressler	DEPARTMENT: UBC/Medicine, Faculty of/Medicine, Department of	UBC-PHC REB NUMBER: H12-01499
INSTITUTION(S) WHERE RESEARCH WILL BE CARRIED OUT:		
Institution		Site
Vancouver Coastal Health (VCHRI/VCHA) Providence Health Care Other locations where the research will be conducted: Private Physicians' offices Gordon and Leslie Diamond Health care centre Gastroenterology Clinic		Diamond Health Care Centre St. Paul's Hospital
COINVESTIGATOR(S): Gregory Rosenfeld Brian Bressler		
SPONSORING AGENCIES: N/A		
PROJECT TITLE: FOCUS: The Future of Fecal Calprotectin Utility Study for the diagnosis and management of IBD.		

THE CURRENT UBC-PHC REB APPROVAL FOR THIS STUDY EXPIRES: August 9, 2013

The UBC-PHC Research Ethics Board Chair or Associate Chair, has reviewed the above described research project, including associated documentation noted below, and finds the research project acceptable on ethical grounds for research involving human subjects and hereby grants approval.

This approval applies to research ethics issues only. The approval does not obligate an institution or any of its departments to proceed with activation of the study. The Principal Investigator for the study is responsible for identifying and ensuring that resource impacts from this study on any institution are properly negotiated, and that other institutional policies are followed. The REB assumes that investigators and the coordinating office of all trials continuously review new information for findings that indicate a change should be made to the protocol, consent documents or conduct of the trial and that such changes will be brought to the attention of the REB in a timely manner.

DOCUMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS APPROVAL:	APPROVAL DATE: August 9, 2012	
Document Name	Version	Date
Protocol: Protocol	1	June 6, 2012
Consent Forms: Main Study Informed Consent	2	July 10, 2012
Other Documents:		

FC Requisition Survey	1	July 9, 2012
FC Results	1	July 9, 2012
Other: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/FOCUSFC https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/FOCUSFOLLOWUP		

CERTIFICATION:

1. The membership of the UBC-PHC REB complies with the membership requirements for research ethics boards defined in Part C Division 5 of the Food and Drug Regulations of Canada.
2. The UBC-PHC REB carries out its functions in a manner fully consistent with Good Clinical Practices.
3. The UBC-PHC REB has reviewed and approved the research project named on this Certificate of Approval including any associated consent form and taken the action noted above. This research project is to be conducted by the principal investigator named above at the specified research site(s). This review of the UBC-PHC REB have been documented in writing.

Approval of the UBC-Providence Health Care Research Ethics Board by one of the following:

Dr. Kuo-Hsing Kuo, Chair
 Dr. J. Kernahan, Associate Chair
 Dr. I. Fedoroff, Associate Chair