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Douglas Reintgen, M.D.  
Surgery  
3000 Medical Park Drive  
Tampa, FL 33613

RE: **Not Human Subjects Research Determination**  
IRB#: Pro00023164  
Title: Malignant Melanoma in the Pediatric Population

Dear Dr. Reintgen:

The Institutional Review Board (IRB) has reviewed your application and determined the activities do not meet the definition of human subjects research. Therefore, this project is not under the purview of the USF IRB and approval is not required. If the scope of your project changes in the future, please contact the IRB for further guidance.

All research activities, regardless of the level of IRB oversight, must be conducted in a manner that is consistent with the ethical principles of your profession. Please note that there may be requirements under the HIPAA Privacy Rule that apply to the information/data you will utilize. For further information, please contact a HIPAA Program administrator at 813-974-5638.

We appreciate your dedication to the ethical conduct of research at the University of South Florida. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call 813-974-5638.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janelle Perkins, Pharm.D." is positioned above the typed name.

Janelle Perkins, Pharm.D., Chairperson  
USF Institutional Review Board