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NHREC/10/12/2015

D-U-N-S NUMBER: 954524802

ABUTH/HREC/CL/05

16th January, 2020

ABUTH HREC FULL ETHICAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

Bacteriological and Molecular studies of Methicillin resistant staphylococci isolated from Wounds and Nasal Swab in some North Western States, Nigeria.

- ABUTH Ethics Committee assigned number:** - ABUTHZ/HREC/W34/2020
- Name of the principal Investigator:** - Joseph Mayowa Ajagbe
- Address of the Principal Investigator:** - Dept. of Medical Laboratory Scienc.
BUK, Kano
- Date of receipt of valid application:** - 24th December, 2019
- Date of meeting when final determination
On ethical approval was made:** - 7th January, 2020

This is to inform you that the research described in the submitted protocol, the consent forms and other participant information materials have been reviewed and ***given full approval by the Health Research Ethics Committee.***

Please note: this approval dates from **16th January, 2020 - 16th January, 2021**

No participant recruitment into this research may be conducted outside these dates.

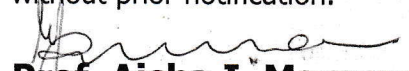
All informed consent forms in this study must carry the ABUTH HREC number assigned to this research and the duration of ABUTH HREC approval of the study.

This HREC expects that you submit your application as well as an annual report for ethical clearance renewal 3 months prior to expiration of study dates. This is to enable you obtain renewal of your approval and avoid interruption of your research.

If there is delay in starting the research, please inform the ABUTH HREC so that starting dates can be adjusted accordingly.

No changes are permitted in the research without prior approval by ABUTH HREC, except in circumstances outlined in national code for Health Research Ethics: **<http://www.nhrec.net>**.

ABUTH HREC reserves the right to conduct compliance assessment visits to your research site without prior notification.


Prof. Aisha I. Mamman MBBS, FMCPATH
Chairperson

27/1/2020



MINISTRY OF HEALTH

KATSINA STATE

State Secretariat Complex IBB Way

Dandagoro, PMB 2075, Katsina

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19th November, 2019

KATSINA STATE HEALTH RESEARCH ETHICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE (HREC) FULL ETHICAL CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

Re: "Bacteriological and Molecular studies of Methicillin Resistant Staphylococci Isolated from wound and Nasal swab in some Northwestern States, Nigeria"

Katsina HREC assigned number

-MOH/ADM/SUB/1152/1/319

Name of principal investigator

- Joseph M. Ajagbe

Address of Principal Investigator

- Dept. of Medical Laboratory Services, BUK.

Date of receipt of Valid Application

- 05/ 11/ 2019

Date of HREC meeting and Approval

- 19/11/2019

This is to inform you that the research described in the submitted protocol, the consent forms and other participants information materials have been reviewed and given **Expedited Approval** by the Katsina State Health Research Ethics Committee and accordingly by the Honorable Commissioner of Health.

Please note: this approval dates from **19/11/2019 to 20/11/2020**. No recruitment of participant into this research may be conducted outside these dates.

All informed consent forms in this study must carry the Katsina HREC assigned number and the duration of the Katsina HREC approval for the study.

If there is a delay in starting the research, please inform the Katsina HREC so that starting date can be adjusted accordingly.

No changes are permitted to the research without prior approval by the Katsina HREC except in circumstances outlined in the national code of health research ethics. <http://www.nhrec.net>

Katsina HREC reserves the right to conduct a compliance assessment to your research site without prior notification.


Dr Umar Bello.

Acting Director Public Health

Chairman, Katsina HREC

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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL DIRECTOR
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18th February, 2020

Joseph M. Ajagbe,
Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences,
Faculty of Allied Health Science,
Bayero University,
Kano.

**ETHICAL APPROVAL FOR STUDY: BACTERIOLOGICAL AND
MOLECULAR STUDIES OF METHICILLIN RESISTANT Staphylococci
ISOLATED FROM WOUNDS AND NASAL SWABS IN SOME
NORTHWESTERN STATES NIGERIA.**

I am directed to write and inform you that your proposal submitted with the above title has been approved after a full committee review.

The approval span from 18th February, 2020 to 18th February, 2021, you are to inform the Ethical Research Committee if any change occurs in the protocol during the study.

I wish you all the best.

ATTAHIR SALISU MUH'D
ERC SECRETARY
For: ERC CHAIRMAN



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FMC/HREC/APP/CLN/001/1/205

14TH JULY, 2021

JOSEPH MAYOWA AJAGBE,
DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE,
FACULTY OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES,
COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES,
BAYERO UNIVERSITY, KANO.

Sir,

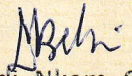
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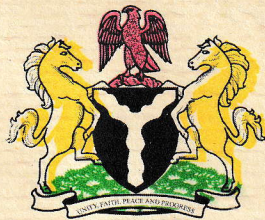
This is to inform you that the research described in the submitted protocol titled, 'BACTERIOLOGICAL AND MOLECULAR STUDIES OF METHICILLIN RESISTANT *STAPHYLOCOCCI* ISOLATED FROM WOUNDS AND NASAL SWABS IN SOME NORTH WESTERN STATES, NIGERIA' has been reviewed and given approval by the F. M. C. Birnin kudu Health Research Ethics Committee. Consequently, no change is permitted in the research, except in circumstances outlined in the National Code of Health Research Ethics, which require you comply with all institutional guidelines, rules, regulations and tenets of the code.

However, you are advised to make provision for a translated version of the questionnaire in Hausa.

Accept the committee's kind regards,

Yours faithfully,


Chidi. Nkem. Chukwuekezie
Secretary
For: Chairman



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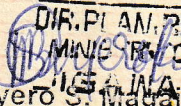
Joseph M. Ajagbe (SPS/17/PML/00005)
Department of Medical Laboratory Science
Faculty of Allied Health Sciences
College of Health Sciences
Bayero University
Kano.

RE: REQUEST FOR ETHICAL CLEARANCE

With reference to your letter AHLS/ML/MLS/047/61 dated 3rd October, 2019 requesting for ethical clearance to conduct study titled "BACTERIOLOGICAL AND MOLECULAR STUDIES OF METHICILIN RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCI ISOLATED FROM WOUNDS AND NASAL SWABS IN SOME NORTH WESTERN STATES, NIGERIA", I have been directed to convey Ministry's provisional approval for the conduct of the research on the following conditions:

1. The consent of the Research Subject must be obtained using Standard Inform Consent Form provided by the State Health Research Ethic Committee.
2. The researcher should be liaising with the State Health Research Ethic Committee in every stage of the research activity.
3. At the end, the researcher should submit his/her findings to the Ministry.

Accept the Honourable Commissioner's esteemed regards.


DIR. PLAN, RESEARCH & STA.
MINISTRY OF HEALTH
JIGAWA STATE
Bayero S. Magaji
Director Planning, Research and Statistics
For: Honorable Commissioner



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19th December, 2019

Joseph M. Ajagbe
Department of Medical Laboratory,
BUK, Kano.

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The Head of Department,
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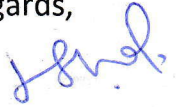
ETHICS APPROVAL

Further to your application in respect of your research proposal titled "Bacterial and Molecular studies of Methicillin resistant Staphylococcus isolated from wound and nasal swabs in some Northwestern States, Nigeria". The Committee reviewed the proposal and noted same as prospective study.

In view of the above, Ethics approval is hereby granted to conduct the research.

However, the approval is subject to periodic reporting of the progress of the study and its completion to the Research Ethics Committee.

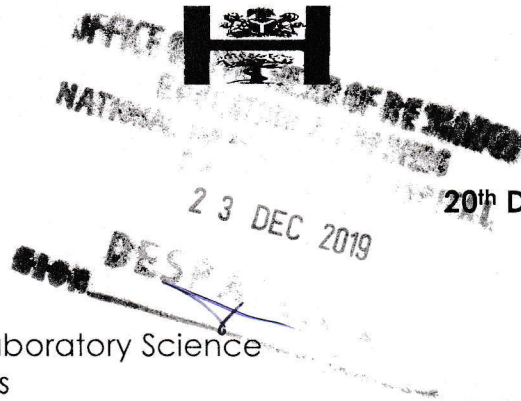
Regards,


Abubakar S. Mahmud
Secretary, Research Ethics Committee
For: Chairman

NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, DALA - KANO.

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Joseph Mayowa Ajagbe
Department of Medical Laboratory Science
College of Health Sciences
Kano.



20th December, 2019

ETHICAL CLEARANCE

TITLED: "BACTERIOLOGICAL AND MOLECULAR STUDIES OF METHICILLIN RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCI ISOLATED FROM WOUNDS S AN NASAL SWABS IN SOME NORTH WESTERN STATE, NIGERIA".

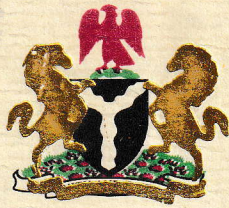
Following receipt and consideration of your Research Proposal by the **HOSPITAL RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE**, I am directed to inform you that Ethical Clearance is hereby granted to you for the conduct of the above titled study.

You are further advised to adhere strictly to the approved methodology, and note that the ethical clearance is for a period of one calendar year with effect from the date of approval, please.

Best wishes.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Hauwa Bala Awe', is written over a horizontal line.

HAUWA BALA AWE (ADMIN OFFICER II)
FOR: CHAIRMAN HOSPITAL RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE



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18th October, 2019

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Date: _____

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RE: APPLICATION FOR ETHICAL APPROVAL

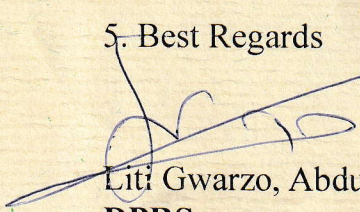
Reference to your letter dated 11th October, 2019 on the above request addressed to the Chairman Health Research Ethics Committee of the Ministry requesting for ethical approval to conduct a Research work at Murtala Muhammad Specialist Hospital and Muhammad Abdullahi Wase Teaching Hospital Kano State.

2. The research entitled "*Bacteriological and Molecular Studies of Methicillin Resistant Staphylococci Isolated from Wounds of Nasal Swabs in Some North western States Nigeria*" is for the Award of Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Medical Laboratory Science (Medical Bacteriology).

3. In view of the foregoing, I wish to convey the Ministry's approval for you to conduct the research at the above mentioned hospitals.

4. You are also requested to share your findings with the Ministry of Health, Kano State.

5. Best Regards


Liti Gwarzo, Abdullahi

DPRS

Secretary (HREC)

For: Honourable Commissioner