

## **APPENDICES**

**APPENDIX A: ETHICS CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE AND LETTERS OF  
APPROVAL**



boitumelo hospital

Department of Health  
Boitumelo Regional Hospital  
FREE STATE PROVINCE

Mr. S.O. Modiko  
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KROONSTAD  
9501

5 August 2010

Dear Sir

## Request For Permission To Conduct A Research Study

Your letter dated 5 August 2010 has reference.

It is my pleasure to inform you that approval has been granted to you to conduct your research study at this hospital in order to fulfil your study requirements.

You are required to ensure full compliance to ethical standards during the period of your research study.

Patient information must be maintained as confidential and you must report to the hospital Nursing Manager before you commence with your research in order to be directed appropriately to the officials who will assist you.

You must not hesitate to request further assistance through this office, should the need arise. It shall be expected of you to present your research findings to the hospital management team at the time mutually agreed upon.

We wish you all the best for your study.

Yours Sincerely

J.S. Els

Acting Chief Executive Officer  
For: Head Health

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Mr SO Modiko  
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Dear Mr Modiko

**Master of Public Health (Hospital Management): Approval of Title**

We have pleasure in advising that your proposal entitled "*The use of blood and blood products in the maternity ward of Boitumelo Regional Hospital*" has been approved. Please note that any amendments to this title have to be endorsed by the Faculty's higher degrees committee and formally approved.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "S. Benn".

Mrs Sandra Benn  
Faculty Registrar  
Faculty of Health Sciences

UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND, JOHANNESBURG  
Division of the Deputy Registrar (Research)

HUMAN RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE (MEDICAL)  
R14/49 Mr Modiko O Serahome

CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

M10829

PROJECT

The Use of Blood and Blood Products in the  
Maternity Ward of Boitumelo Regional Hospital

INVESTIGATORS

Mr Modiko O Serahome.

DEPARTMENT

School of Public Health

DATE CONSIDERED

26/08/2011

M100DECISION OF THE COMMITTEE\*


Approved unconditionally

Unless otherwise specified this ethical clearance is valid for 5 years and may be renewed upon application.

DATE

26/08/2011

CHAIRPERSON

  
(Professor PE Cleaton-Jones)

\*Guidelines for written 'informed consent' attached where applicable  
cc: Supervisor : Dr D Basu

DECLARATION OF INVESTIGATOR(S)

To be completed in duplicate and ONE COPY returned to the Secretary at Room 10004, 10th Floor, Senate House, University.  
I/We fully understand the conditions under which I am/we are authorized to carry out the abovementioned research and I/we guarantee to ensure compliance with these conditions. Should any departure to be contemplated from the research procedure as approved I/we undertake to resubmit the protocol to the Committee. I agree to a completion of a yearly progress report.

PLEASE QUOTE THE PROTOCOL NUMBER IN ALL ENQUIRIES...

## **APPENDIX B: DATA COLLECTION INSTRUMENTS**

## TOOL 1: USE OF BLOOD AND BLOOD PRODUCTS

[illegible]

## TOOL 2: PATIENT DEMOGRAPHIC AND ANTENATAL PROFILE

[illegible]



TOOL 3: PATIENT IN LABOR PARTUM AND POST PARTUM FILE

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## TOOL 4: TRANSFUSION PROFILE

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