## APPENDICES

APPENDIX A: ETHICS CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE, LETTER OF PERMISSION FROM NORTHERN CAPE AND POSTGRADUATE COMMITTEE

## UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND, JOHANNESBURG

Division of the Deputy Registrar (Research)

## HUMAN RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE (MEDICAL)

R14/49 Ms Johanna JM Loots

CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

M10M101170

PROJECT

Needlestick Injuries at Kimberley Hospital Complex

<u>INVESTIGATORS</u>

Ms Johanna JM Loots.

DEPARTMENT

School of Public Health

DATE CONSIDERED

26/11/2010

DECISION OF THE COMMITTEE\*

Approved unconditionally

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

DATE

26/11/2010

CHAIRPERSON

(Professor PE Cleaton-Jones)

\*Guidelines for written 'informed consent' attached where applicable

cc: Supervisor:

Dr M Govender

## **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 TOOLS

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Tool 2: Demographic and employee profile

Study no	Staff category	Dept employed	Employ start date	Age	Gender	Ethnicity
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Tool 3: POST EXPOSURE MEASURES

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TOOL 4: ADVERSE EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETINGS (1JAN 2007 - 31 DEC 2008)

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