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To whom it may concern,

RE: Protocol Number M060945

The utilization and outcome of diagnostic, predictive and prenatal genetic testing for
Huntington disease in Johannesburg from 1998 to 2006

The above project has been approved and ethics clearance obtained. However, ethics clearance was granted subject to limiting the data until October 2006.

According to the protocol for this project, data collection is to include patients seen between 1 January 1998 and 31 December 2006. As the data collection phase of this project is only being started in January 2007, all data before this time is considered to be retrospective. It is therefore requested that ethics clearance for this project be changed to allow data collection to include files of patients seen between January 1998 and December 2006.

Your help would be much appreciated.

Regards,

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