



Application Form for Expedited Review

Yenepoya Ethics Committee-3 (YEC-3)

EC Ref. No.

(For office use)

Title of study:

Principal Investigator (Name, Designation and Affiliation):

1. Choose reasons why expedited review from EC is requested¹ ?

- i. Involves non-identifiable specimen and human tissue from sources like blood banks, tissue banks and left-over clinical samples.
- ii. Involves clinical documentation materials that are non-identifiable (data, documents, records).
- iii. Modification or amendment to approved protocol (administrative changes/correction of typographical errors and change in researcher(s)).
- iv. Revised proposal previously approved through expedited review, full review or continuing review of approved proposal.
- v. Minor deviation from originally approved research causing no risk or minimal risk.
- vi. Progress/annual report where there is no additional risk, for example activity limited to data analysis.
Expedited review of SAEs/unexpected AEs will be conducted by SAE subcommittee.
- vii. For multicentre research where a designated EC has approved the proposal, a participating EC may review participating centre specific information and modifications in the study proposal through full committee meeting/expedited review depending on the importance of local consent related issues involved specific to the centre.
- viii. Research during emergencies and disasters (See Section 12 of ICMR Ethical Guidelines, 2017).
- ix. Any other (please specify)

2. Is waiver of consent being requested?

Yes No

3. Does the research involve vulnerable persons² ?

Yes No

If Yes give details:

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Signature of PI / Investigators:

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Comments of EC Secretariat:

Signature of Member Secretary:

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¹ Refer to National Ethical Guidelines for Biomedical & Health Research Involving Human Participants 2017, Page 51 Table 4.2

² For details, refer to application for initial review, Section-C, 5(b)