

North West - Haydock Research Ethics Committee

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**Please note: This is the
favourable opinion of the REC
only and does not allow the
amendment to be implemented
at NHS sites in England until
the outcome of the HRA
assessment has been
confirmed.**

02 March 2018

Rory Corbett
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Dear Rory,

Study title:	A trust level national survey of women's experience of NHS maternity services
REC reference:	07/MRE08/1
Amendment number:	7
Amendment date:	12 February 2018

The above amendment was reviewed by the Sub-Committee in correspondence.

Favourable opinion

This amendment consisted of a new 2018 version of questionnaires. Amendment also included a change in Chief Investigator from Chris Graham to Jenny King.

No material ethical issues were raised.

The members of the Committee taking part in the review gave a favourable ethical opinion of the amendment on the basis described in the notice of amendment form and supporting documentation.

Approved documents

The documents reviewed and approved at the meeting were:

<i>Document</i>	<i>Version</i>	<i>Date</i>
Copies of advertisement materials for research participants [CQC flyer]	1.0	12 February 2018
Covering letter on headed paper		12 February 2018
Letters of invitation to participant [First Mailing Letter]	1.0	12 February 2018
Letters of invitation to participant [First reminder letter]	1.0	12 February 2018
Letters of invitation to participant [Second Reminder Letter]	1.0	12 February 2018
Non-validated questionnaire [Women's Experience of Maternity Care]	1.0	12 February 2018
Notice of Substantial Amendment (non-CTIMP)	7	12 February 2018
Other [Summary of changes]		12 February 2018
Other [Multi language sheet]	1.0	12 February 2018
Other [application D1 signed by new CI Jenny King]		
Other [NoSA signed by Chris Graham]		
Summary CV for Chief Investigator (CI) [Jenny King]		12 February 2018

Membership of the Committee

The members of the Committee who took part in the review are listed on the attached sheet.

Working with NHS Care Organisations

Sponsors should ensure that they notify the R&D office for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment in line with the terms detailed in the categorisation email issued by the lead nation for the study.

Statement of compliance

The Committee is constituted in accordance with the Governance Arrangements for Research Ethics Committees and complies fully with the Standard Operating Procedures for Research Ethics Committees in the UK.

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07/MRE08/1:	Please quote this number on all correspondence
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Yours sincerely



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Chair

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Attendance at Sub-Committee of the REC meeting on 27 February 2018

Committee Members:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Profession</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Mr Stephen Edgar	Designer	Yes	
Dr Tim S Sprosen	REC Chair - Epidemiologist	Yes	

Also in attendance:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Position (or reason for attending)</i>
Ms Laila Sarwar	REC Assistant