

14<sup>th</sup> December 2004

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Dear Dr Reeves,

**Study title:**

**Trust-based survey of users of specialist mental health services on  
Care Programme Approach (CPA) registers in English NHS Mental  
Health Trusts.**

**REC reference: MREC03/10/16**

**Amendment number: N/A**

**Amendment date: 17<sup>th</sup> November 2004**

The above amendment was reviewed at the meeting of the Scottish MREC Sub-Committee held on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2004.

**Ethical opinion**

The members of the Committee present 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:

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*Service User Questionnaire: Version 4 dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 2004.*

*Covering letter First Mailing: Version 1 dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 2004.*

*First Reminder: Version 1 dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 2004.*

*Covering letter Second Reminder Version 1 dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 2004.*

## Membership of the Committee

The members of the Ethics Committee who were present at the meeting are listed on the attached sheet.

## Management approval

All investigators and research collaborators in the NHS should notify the R&D Department for the relevant NHS care organisation of this amendment and check whether it affects local management approval of the research.

## *Statement of compliance*

### *CTIMPs only*

This Committee is recognised by the United Kingdom Ethics Committee Authority under the Medicines for Human Use (Clinical Trials) Regulations 2004, and is authorised to carry out the ethical review of clinical trials of investigational medicinal products.

The Committee is fully compliant with the Regulations as they relate to ethics committees and the conditions and principles of good clinical practice.

### *All studies*

The Committee is constituted in accordance with the Governance Arrangements for Research Ethics Committees (July 2001) and complies fully with the Standard Operating Procedures for Research Ethics Committees in the UK.

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Yours sincerely,



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