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Dear Dr Inwald

HTA Project: NIHR128895 - Evaluating the clinical and cost effectiveness of using a more permissive blood pressure target to guide careful titration of vasoactive agents in critically ill children with hypotension: PRotocolised Evaluation of permiSSive blood pressure targets versus Usual caRE (PRESSURE)

Thank you for responding to the concerns raised by the Board. Following consideration of your revised application dated 13th November 2019. I am pleased to inform you that your above-titled proposal has been recommended for funding. Please would you inform your co-applicants of the decision.

Revised Application Signatures

We are unable to raise a contract without receiving an updated set of electronic signatures from those in key supporting roles (e.g. Head of Department, Finance) confirming approval of your revised application form and project description.

Please log into the MIS to complete the 'Provide Final App Signatures' task. Once all signatories have completed their individual electronic signature tasks they will show as 'Complete'. You do not need to press the 'Re-notify' button unless you wish to send a reminder to the signatories, and do not press the 'Resubmit' button as this will clear the signatures. Submit the task by going to the 'Review and Submit' section of the task and pressing the 'Submit' button at the bottom of the page. Please aim to submit the task with all the required signatures within the next week so that we may proceed to the contracting stage.

If any of the signatories need to be updated, e.g. due to staff changes, please inform me as soon as possible and provide me with the following information:

- Title
- Full name
- Job title
- Department
- Organisation
- Email address
- Telephone number

Please also ensure the new signatory has an MIS account so he/she can view and complete the task.

Clean Copy of Detailed Research Plan

Please email me a copy of your detailed research plan with all tracked changes accepted/removed, for inclusion in the contract.

Start Date

Your current agreed start date is 1st March 2020, I should be grateful if you would kindly confirm that this is still feasible.

Contract Address

I should be grateful if you would provide me with the name, postal and email address of the person to whom the contract should be posted.

Start-Up Information

I will be contacting you again soon to request key project information and to facilitate the timely start-up of your study.

Publicising Your Project

Due to the current election period, please do not publicise your project, including for recruitment to the study. We will contact you to let you know when normal publicity activity can take place.

After the contracts have been signed we encourage successful applicants to consider submitting their protocols to journals for review; should you do so, please remember to submit an output notification via the MIS.

Congratulations, and we wish you all success with your project.

If you have any queries, please contact me on netspostawardsetup@nihr.ac.uk or 023 8059 7501.

Yours sincerely,

Dawn Jenvey
The HTA Programme