



**Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
Department of Health Research**

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New Delhi - 110001
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Provisional Certificate

Subject: Provisional registration of the Ethics Committee relating to Biomedical and Health Research with the National Ethics Committee Registry for Biomedical and Health Research (NECRBHR), Department of Health Research (DHR).

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (3) of rule 17 of the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019, the designated authority in the Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, hereby provisionally registers and permits the following Ethics Committee to perform the duties of ethics committee as specified in Chapter-IV of the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019.

Name : SMHRC INSTITUTIONAL ETHICS COMMITTEE
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2. The Ethics Committee shall observe all the conditions as stipulated in Chapter-IV of the aforesaid Rules, i.e., New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019 and the National Ethical Guidelines for Biomedical and Health Research Involving Human Participants, specified by the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR).
3. The designated authority shall scrutinize the documents and information furnished with the application by the Ethics Committee for the issue of final registration certificate.
4. The above provisional registration shall be valid for a maximum period of two years from the date of its issue or till grant of final registration or rejection of provisional registration, whichever is earlier.

Note: EC registration number provided by DHR should be displayed on every certificate of approval issued by the Ethics committee

(Anu Nagar)
Joint Secretary
Department of Health Research
Designated Authority