



Institutional Ethics Committee

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Decision of the IEC-SKIMS

Ref: Your application dated: **03/08/2024** IEC/SKIMS Protocol # **122/2024**

Protocol Title:

Cauda Equina Syndrome: Real Emergency or a misnomer, Prospective observational study in a tertiary care hospital

Applicant:

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☒ New review ☐ Revised review ☐ Expedited review

Date of review: **21st & 22nd August 2024** Date of previous review:
(DD/MM/YYYY) (if revised application)

☒ Recommended ☐ Revision ☐ Rejected

☐ Recommended with suggestions ☐ Recommended for applying to funding agency

Dear **Dr Mohsin Fayaz,**

This is regarding your application about ethical approval of the above mentioned project. The study has been approved by the Institutional Ethics Committee of SKIMS in its meeting held on 21st & 22nd of August 2024. The study is valid for the entire period of the conduct of study according to this protocol under the responsibility of **Dr Mohsin Fayaz** as Principal Investigator.

- ☐ It is confirmed that the Ethics Committee of SKIMS is composed of and functions as per ICH GCP/ICMR and other applications regulatory guidelines.
- ☐ No significant changes to the research protocol should be made and implemented without prior consent of the IEC-SKIMS and any changes/derivations from the protocol which increase the risk for the subjects should be submitted to the IEC-SKIMS and approved prior to implementation.
- ☐ This EC approval is not for "sample banking" for any future biomedical research, a separate permission should be sought if needed.
- ☐ The study progress report should be made available for the IEC review after two months (at the end of study).
- ☐ It is hereby confirmed that neither you nor any of the study team members have participated in the voting/decision making procedures of the committee.

With best regards,

No: - SIMS 131/IEC-SKIMS/2024-207

Dated:- 03/09/2024

(Prof. Zaffar A Shah)
Member -Secretary,

IEC-SKIMS

Member Secretary
IEC SKIMS Srinagar

