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# About the committee

The Southern Health and Disability Ethics Committee (HDEC) is a Ministerial committee established under section 11 of the [New Zealand Public Health and Disability Act 2000](http://www.legislation.govt.nz/act/public/2000/0091/latest/DLM80051.html). Its members are appointed by the Minister of Health through the public appointments process.

The primary function of the Committee is to provide independent ethical review of health research and innovative practice in order to safeguard the rights, health and wellbeing of consumers and research participants and, in particular, those persons with diminished autonomy.

The Committee is required by its [Terms of Reference](http://www.ethicscommittees.health.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexcm/ethics-about-central#tor) to submit an Annual Report to the Minister of Health. The Annual Report must include information on the membership of the Committee, a summary of the applications reviewed during the year, details of any complaints received (and how they were resolved), and areas of review that caused difficulty when making decisions, among other matters.

### Approvals and registrations

The Southern HDEC is approved by the Health Research Council Ethics Committee for the purposes of section 25(1)(c) of the [Health Research Council Act 1990](http://legislation.govt.nz/act/public/1990/0068/latest/DLM213017.html).

The Southern HDEC is registered (number IRB00008714) with the United States’ Office for Human Research Protections. This registration enables the committee to review research conducted or supported by the US Department of Health and Human Services.

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# Chairperson’s report

Ms Raewyn Idoine was reappointed as chairperson of Southern HDEC in October 2015. Southern HDEC has performed consistently well with no significant issues. Long serving lay member Angelika Frank-Alexander resigned in May 2017. Dr Anna Paris has since been appointed as the lay community member. The committee continues to function well and is balanced with three lay and five non-lay members. The committee is fortunate to have a medico-legal expert, six members with ethics expertise and two practising medical practitioners on the committee. The committee encourages and welcomes researchers to present in person or to teleconference in to meetings. Meetings are normally held in Christchurch with two meetings on average per year held in Dunedin.

Ms Idoine contributed to the joint submission process for all four HDEC Chairs submitting to the HDC Code of Rights Review of Right 7.4. The HDECs continue to be caught up in the legal complexity when reviewing adult non-consensual studies and researchers express their frustration at the lack of policy movement in this area.

Southern HDEC also developed a new template for ethics applications advising on pregnancy information and risks for women and their babies in clinical trials.

Southern worked with the secretariat on the annual report template and the Chair has been very active working with the ethics team on consistency of review across all four HDECs.

HDECs participated in the development 2016 and launch of NZ’s first Health Research Strategy in 2017 and welcome a national unified direction for health research.

The volume of ethics applications submitted for review continue to rise such that meeting agendas are consistently full.

Students are encouraged to attend with their supervisors and for supervisors to take an active hands-on role in ensuring studies are ethical and scientifically justifiable and that the study design is appropriate to the objective of the study.

The committee is concerned that students are not always sufficiently supervised or their application reviewed and supported when presenting for the first time to an HDEC. While the process is not designed to be intimidating, appearing before an eight-person committee and having to present a study and answer questions about the purpose and study design, is nevertheless a challenging process for newcomers.

It continues to be a challenge to recruit male members to the Committee and the low fees paid in relation to the level of expert review required for the performance of duties impacts on suitable candidates being available for appointment.

The committee is seeing an increasing number of adaptive trial designs with multiple arms in some cases delivering real time data earlier to investigators allowing for the study to be adapted as results inform the research. Such designs impact on the committee’s workload, as they often involve multiple amendments.

The committee is well supported by the Ministry of Health Ethics team for secretariat support and advice. The Ethics team, under instruction of the committee and in liaison with the HDEC Chair, is taking a more active role in monitoring annual progress reports, in situations of non-compliance as per the SOPs.

# Membership and attendance

## Membership

### List of EC members within the reporting period

**Ms Raewyn Idoine (Chair)**

Membership category: Community Representative

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Ms Raewyn Idoine is a member of the tourism board. She was the director of the NZ Blood Service. Her recent roles include Stakeholder Engagement Manager for the Tertiary Education Commission (2007-2009) and Owner/Manager of a number of large private Tertiary institutions. Ms Idoine was registered as a Nurse at Auckland Public Hospital (1976). Other positions she has undertaken include: Judge of the New Zealand Hospitality Awards (2004-2007), Head Assessor of the New Zealand Tourism Awards (1999-2006) and member of the Ministry of Education Tertiary Advisory Group (1996-2004)

**Dr Devonie Eglinton (Waaka)**

Membership category: Intervention Studies

Date of appointment: 13th May 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Dr Waaka graduated in medicine from the University of Otago in 1996. She worked as a medical registrar for a number of years, developing an interest in nephrology and rheumatology, before joining an early phase clinical trials unit as a research physician in 2004. Over the past decade she has been involved in the planning and implementation of numerous early phase trials in New Zealand and Australia.

In 2011 Devonie completed a Master of Medical Science in Drug Development from the University of New South Wales. In addition to her clinical duties, Dr Waaka has been on the teaching staff for the Pharmaceutical Medicine and Drug Development Master Program, University of New South Wales (2012 – present).

**Dr Sarah Gunningham**

Membership category: Intervention Studies

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Dr Sarah Gunningham is currently a Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Otago (2008-present). Prior to this she was an Assistant Research Fellow and PhD student at the University of Otago (1996-2008). Dr Gunningham completed a PhD at the University of Otago (2008), a Master of Science at the University of Otago (2003) and a Bachelor of Science at the University of West of England (1995). She was registered as a General Nurse at Royal United Hospital (1982) and worked as a nurse 1982-1996 completing a Diploma of Nursing at London University (1986) and Certificates of Teaching and Assessing in Clinical Practice (1989), and General Intensive Care (1987) at the Bristol and Weston School of Nursing. Dr Gunningham has published one book, 15 refereed journal articles and presented papers at six conference proceedings.

**Dr Nicola Swain**

Membership category: Observational Studies

Date of appointment: 13th May 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Dr Nicola Swain is currently a Senior Lecturer at the University of Otago (2007-present). Prior to this she was a Research Fellow with the Christchurch Health and Development Study. She has completed a Doctor of Philosophy (1998) and a Bachelor of Science, with honours (1994) at the University of Otago. Dr Swain holds professional memberships with the Centre for Applied Positive Psychology, the International Positive Psychology Association and the New Zealand Pain Society. Dr Swain specialises in Health Psychology and pain research. She has published over 20 refereed journal articles and regularly contributes to conferences. She teaches Health Psychology and Pain to medical students at the Dunedin School of Medicine. She also supervises students studying for PhDs, Masters and summer research projects in fields such as dr-patient communication, child well-being, child-birth satisfaction and on-line interventions for pain.

**Dr Mira Harrison-Woolrych**

Membership category: Intervention Studies

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Dr Harrison-Woolrych is the former director of the Intensive Medicines Monitoring Programme for the Department of Preventative and Social Medicine, University of Otago. She has extensive research experience in pharmacovigilance and pharmacoepidemiology and is a former member of the executive of the International Society of Pharmacovigilence (2009-2012) and the Medicines Assessment Advisory Committee (2003-2011). Dr Harrison-Woolrych holds a Bachelor of Medicine (1989), Doctor of Medicine (1995) University of Southhampton, and is a Fellow of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.

**Dr Mathew Zacharias**

Membership category: Service Provision

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Dr Mathew Zacharias is currently a Specialist Anaesthetist at Southern District Health Board (1989-present) and is also a Clinical Senior Lecturer at the University of Otago (1989-present). Prior to this he was a Specialist Anaesthetist at Southland District Health Board (1985-1989). Dr Zacharias completed a Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health at the University of Otago (2005) and was made a Fellow of the Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists (1992) and a Fellow of the Faculty of Anaesthetists, Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (1991). He was also made a Fellow of the Royal College of Anaesthetists (1991), completed a Doctor of Philosophy at Queen’s University of Belfast (1979) and was made a Fellow of the Faculty of Anaesthetists of the Royal College of Surgeons (1976). Dr Zacharias also completed a Master of Surgery (Anaesthesia) at Guru Nanak University (1971) and a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery at the University of Kerala (1968). He is in the Editorial Board of the Cochrane Anaesthesia Review Group (2001 – present). Dr Zacharias has published over 20 refereed journal articles and four book chapters.

**Dr Fiona McCrimmon**

Membership category: The Law

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 27th October 2018

Ms Fiona McCrimmon is Principal of McCrimmon Law, a firm specialising in healthcare law (2003-present). She is a member of the New Zealand Law Society Health Law Committee (2008-present) and was previously a Deputy Chair of the Health Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal (2004-2007) and a member of the Auckland District Law Society Mental Health and Disability Law Committee (2011). Ms McCrimmon holds a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery from the University of Otago (1994) and a Bachelor of Law (Hons) from the University of Auckland (1981).

**Mrs Angelika Frank-Alexander**

Membership category: Intervention Studies

Date of appointment: 27th October 2015

Current term expires: 30th May 2017

Mrs Frank-Alexander was appointed as a lay consumer member with community and disability experience. Angelika is a Trustee for Rudolph Steiner school. She resigned in May 2017 for personal reasons.

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## Attendance

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| **LEGEND:**  **\*** After name indicates Māori member  **Y** = Present  **A** = Apology  **X** = Meeting cancelled / No meeting scheduled  **/** = Not a member of committee during this time |

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| **Members** | ***Membership category***  ***(L/NL)*** | **Jul** | **Aug** | **Sep** | **Oct** | **Nov** | **Dec** | **Feb** | **Mar** | **Apr** | **May** | **Jun** | **Total** |
| Ms Raewyn Idoine | L | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | 9 |
| Dr Sarah Gunningham | NL | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | X | A | **Y** | **Y** | 8 |
| Dr Nicola Swain | NL | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | 9 |
| Dr Mathew Zacharias | NL | X | **Y** | **Y** | A | A | **Y** | **Y** | X | **Y** | A | **Y** | 6 |
| Dr Devonie Eglinton | NL | X | **Y** | **Y** | A | **Y** | **Y** | A | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | 7 |
| Assc Prof Mira Harrison-Woolrych | NL | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | A | **Y** | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | 8 |
| Dr Fiona McCrimmon | L | X | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | **Y** | X | A | **Y** | **Y** | 8 |
| Mrs Angelika Frank-Alexander | L | X | **Y** | A | **Y** | **Y** | A | **Y** | X | A | **Y** | / | 6 |
| Dr Angela Ballantyne | L | X | / | / | / | / | **Y** | / | X | / | / | / | 1 |
| Mrs Phyllis Huitema | L | X | / | / | / | / | / | / | X | **Y** | / | / | 1 |
| Dr Cordeilia Thomas | L | X | / | / | / | / | / | / | X | **Y** | / | / | 1 |
| **Total no. of members present** |  | **X** | **8** | **7** | **6** | **7** | **7** | **7** | **X** | **7** | **7** | **7** |  |
| **No. of applications considered** |  | **X** | **9** | **9** | **8** | **9** | **12** | **12** | **X** | **5** | **9** | **7** |  |

## Training and conferences

### Specify the training undergone by new members

N/A all members current and reappointed

### Specify the on-going training for EC members

Training was conducted before a number of meetings throughout the year by staff and speakers, one in good clinical pracrice as well as bio banking training May 2017, GCP training June 2017, and platform trials with Colin McArthur.

# Applications reviewed

**Summary of applications received by full EC**

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| --- | --- |
| No. of applications approved | 83 |
| No. of applications approved subject to conditions / pending | 1 |
| No. of applications deferred and subsequently approved | N/A |
| No. of applications deferred as at time of report | N/A |
| No. of applications that were declined because of no/insufficient consultation with appropriate Māori/whanau/iwi/hapu | N/A |
| No. of applications that were declined because of no/insufficient consultation with appropriate cultural group | N/A |
| No. of applications declined (This excludes those with no/insufficient consultation with appropriate Māori/whanau/iwi/hapu/cultural group) | 7 |
| No. of applications which do not require ethics committee approval | 21 |
| No. of studies withdrawn by researcher | 1 |
| No. of studies terminated by sponsor | 0 |
| No. of studies transferred to another EC | 0 |
| **Total number of applications received by full EC** | **113** |

**Summary of applications received under expedited / low risk review**

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| --- | --- |
| No. of applications approved | 82 |
| No. of applications approved subject to conditions / pending | 1 |
| No. of applications which do not require ethics committee approval | 16 |
| No. of applications referred for full committee review | 0 |
| **Total number of applications received under expedited/low risk review** | **102** |

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| Total number of applications received (combine the total number of applications in 8.1 and 8.2). | **215** |

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# Complaints and overdue application summary

This section outlines complaints about decisions made by the Committee during 2016.

## Complaints received

No complaints to Southern HDEC in the time period.

## Overdue review

Average review times take into account the time taken for the Secretariat to process applications and the time taken for the Committee to review applications. The clock is stopped when a decision letter is emailed to applicants. Average review times exclude time taken for researchers to respond to requests for further information.

Average review time was 17 days for expedited applications. Target timeframe for expedited applications is 15 calendar days.

Average review time was 32 days for full applications. Target timeframe for full applications is 35 calendar days.

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# Appendix 1: Details of applications reviewed[[1]](#footnote-1)

## Applications reviewed by full committee

| **Reference no.** | **Protocol title** | **Name of principal**  **investigator** | **Date**  **received** | **Date of first review** | **Outcome of first review** | **Status at time of report** | **Date of final outcome** | **Locality** | **Funder** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 16/STH/101 | Incidental findings from 1 year of trauma imaging: a prospective study. | Mr Benjamin Wheeler | 12/07/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 9/08/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/102 | Monitoring in coeliac disease. | Dr Maggie Ow | 12/07/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/09/2016 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/104 | Ketamine therapy among patients with treatment-resistant depression | Professor Paul Glue | 4/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/10/2016 | Dunedin School of Medicine | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/106 | Human Milk Concentrator: Initial Testing | Dr Roland Broadbent | 21/07/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 1/08/2016 | University of Otago | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/107 | PROFAST | Dr Rinki Murphy | 21/07/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 12/08/2016 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/108 | Reducing bladder stones using Potassium Citrate after acute SCI | Dr Peter Aspell | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 22/11/2016 | Canterbury District Health Board | district health board (DHB) | Locality |
| 16/STH/109 | Medicines education in mental health | Miss Amy Chan | 27/07/2016 |  | Approve | 9/08/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/110 | CNP in Diabetic Urine | Dr Timothy Prickett | 27/07/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 26/08/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/111 | Early Ketamine PK-PD | Professor Paul Glue | 4/08/2016 |  | Approve | 26/08/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/112 | EPOC | Dr Ravinder Ogra | 4/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 21/09/2016 | Counties Manukau District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/113 | (duplicate) vTv Therapeutics-TTP488-301/ STEADFAST | Dr Nigel Gilchrist | 4/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/09/2016 | CGM Research Trust | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/114 | VerICiguaT glObal study in subjects with heart failure with Reduced ejectIon frAction (VICTORIA) | Professor Richard Troughton | 4/08/2016 |  | Approve | 24/08/2016 | Christchurch Heart Institute | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/116 | Mitochondrial peptides and exercise | Dr Troy Merry | 4/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 2/09/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/117 | The TARS Study: Attitudes to Transitional Care in Paediatric Rheumatology | Dr Eoghan Rutledge | 12/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/09/2016 | The Ministry of Health | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/119 | The MINIMIZE-AF Study | Professor Richard Troughton | 4/08/2016 |  | Approve | 24/08/2016 | Christchurch Heart Institute | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/121 | A Single and Multiple Dose PK-PD study of ketamine in healthy volunteers and patient cohorts | Professor Paul Glue | 4/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 13/09/2016 | Dunedin School of Medicine | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/123 | (duplicate) Effect of probiotic BLIS M18 on the post-radiotherapy oral microbiome. | A/Prof Richard Douglas | 4/08/2016 |  | Approve | 24/08/2016 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/125 | d-mannose for prophylaxis against Urinary tract Infection in SCI (Spinal Cord Injury) | Dr Suresh Subramanian | 11/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/10/2016 | Middlemore Hospital | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/128 | Placental HPV Infection in Preterm Delivery: Cause, Contributor or Innocent Bystander? | Dr Celia Devenish | 15/08/2016 |  | Approve | 26/08/2016 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/129 | Clinical Characteristics of Takotsubo Cardiomyopathy | Dr Christina Chan | 18/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 2/09/2016 | CDHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/130 | Atrial Structural Footprint Predicts Ablation Outcomes | Dr. Jichao Zhao | 22/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/10/2016 | The University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/132 | Effect of Manuka Honey Chewable Tablets on Oral Health in Young Adults | Professor Bernadette K Drummond | 26/08/2016 |  | Approve | 2/09/2016 | University of Otago Faculty of Dentistry | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/133 | Nutritional Ketosis in Parkinson’s Disease | Dr Matthew CL Phillips | 31/08/2016 |  | Approve | 14/09/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/134 | What brain waves indicate conscious response during anaesthesia? | Dr Amy Gaskell | 31/08/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/09/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/135 | The impact of environment on incident rates of BPSD and the use of psychotropic medication in dementia level care. | Dr Etuini Ma'u | 1/09/2016 |  | Approve | 13/09/2016 | Waikato DHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/136 | Ankle Study | Dr Nazeef Malik | 27/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 17/10/2016 | Waikato Hospital | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/137 | Maori and bipolar disorder | Dr Cameron Lacey | 2/09/2016 |  | Approve | 13/09/2016 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/138 | Predictors of mortality in systemic sclerosis | Dr Kamal Solanki | 1/09/2016 |  | Approve | 13/09/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/139 | Health service use in the last year of life | Mrs Jackie Robinson | 2/09/2016 |  | Approve | 13/09/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/140 | Bi-level Auto Development | Miss Irene Cheung | 8/09/2016 |  | Approve | 16/09/2016 | Fisher & Paykel Healthcare | medical device company | Locality |
| 16/STH/144 | Postoperative Pain Management Following Pterygium Surgery | Dr Riyaz Bhikoo | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 21/10/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/145 | Evaluation of a device (GT’Nhaler) to assist in the administration of GTN aerosol spray for patients with angina and impaired manual dexterity. | Dr Arthur Collins | 8/09/2016 |  | Approve | 26/09/2016 | Travis Medical Centre, Travis Road, Christchuch | district health board (DHB), other government agency | Locality |
| 16/STH/146 | Prophylactic versus reactive percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy tube in oropharyngeal cancer patients undergoing chemoradiotherapy | Mr Varun Thirayan | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 17/10/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/147 | RAUORA | A/P Natalie Walker | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 22/11/2016 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/148 | Diagnostic delay in AYA sarcoma patients – does it exist and what are contributing factors? | Dr Tristan Pettit | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 20/10/2016 | Children's Haematology Oncology Centre | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/150 | 20120124: HAUSER-OLE | Prof Russell Scott | 8/09/2016 |  | Approve | 26/09/2016 | Lipid and Diabetes Research Group | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/152 | The DELITEFUL Study: Determining the Effect of Long-acting Insulin Treatment on Endogenous Insulin Functionality in insUlin-resistant individuaLs. | Professor Geoffrey Shaw | 8/09/2016 |  | Approve | 26/09/2016 | Canterbury District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/153 | The STATUS Trial | Dr Chris Bullen | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/11/2016 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/154 | Kaumātuatanga o te roro | Dr Margaret Dudley | 8/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/10/2016 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/157 | Bubbles and Cerebral Autoregulation in Cardiac Surgery | Mr Ghazwan Jabur | 22/09/2016 |  | Approve | 28/09/2016 | ADHB | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/158 | ctDNA-Respond CRC | Prof Parry Guilford | 29/09/2016 |  | Approve | 17/10/2016 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/159 | The endotracheal tube and endotracheal suction | Mrs Eileen Gilder | 26/09/2016 |  | Approve | 17/10/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/160 | Does herpes simplex virus type I infection of heart valves contribute to rheumatic heart disease? | Dr Gregory Jacobson | 30/09/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 17/10/2016 | Waikato University | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/161 | FRISCO Trial | Dr Dick Ongley | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/162 | Hypersexuality with antipsychotic use | Miss Amy Chan | 4/10/2016 |  | Approve | 20/10/2016 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/163 | Shockwave BTK Study | Associate Professor Andrew Holden | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | medical device company | Locality |
| 16/STH/164 | Disrupt PAD III | Associate Professor Andrew Holden | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | medical device company | Locality |
| 16/STH/166 | TransCon hGH CT301 | Prof Paul Hofman | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Liggins Institute | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/167 | The Midland Lung Cancer Database. | Professor Ross Lawrenson | 6/10/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 4/11/2016 | Waikato Hospital and University of Waikato | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/168 | Deprescribing in Aged Residential Care | Dr Claire Heppenstall | 6/10/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/02/2017 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/170 | A study of RO7049389 in healthy subjects and patients chronically infected with hepatitis B virus infection | Prof Edward Gane | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Auckland Clinical Studies Ltd and Auckland City Hospital | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/171 | A PHASE IIB, RANDOMIZED, DOUBLE-BLIND, PLACEBO-CONTROLLED, MULTICENTER, DOSE-RANGING STUDY TO ASSESS THE EFFICACY AND SAFETY OF MSTT1041A IN PATIENTS WITH UNCONTROLLED SEVERE ASTHMA | Dr James Fingleton | 6/10/2016 |  | Approve | 28/10/2016 | Medical Research Institute of New Zealand | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/173 | The role of respiratory function tests in monitoring MND | Mr Jun Yang | 10/10/2016 |  | Approve | 21/10/2016 | Canterbury District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/174 | The Effect of Type 2 Diabetes and Exercise Training on Heart Function in Aging Adults | Dr Graeme Carrick-Ranson | 18/10/2016 |  | Approve | 26/10/2016 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/175 | aMiGo pilot | Prof David Cameron-Smith | 20/10/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 9/12/2016 | Liggins Institute | academic institution, other government agency, other | Locality |
| 16/STH/176 | HPV Self-Sampling (HPV-SS) | Dr Karen Bartholomew | 26/10/2016 |  | Approve | 2/11/2016 | Waitemata District Health Board | district health board (DHB), other | Locality |
| 16/STH/177 | (duplicate) CTLA4-Ig (Abatacept) Prevention Trial | Professor Russell Scott | 10/11/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 2/12/2016 | CDHB | other government agency | Locality |
| 16/STH/178 | Clinical intervention for scoliotic list and muscle strength loss due to lumbo-sacral radiculopathy caused by disc herniation | Ms Kate Haswell | 3/11/2016 |  | Approve | 21/11/2016 | Auckland University of Technology | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/180 | Diagnosis, Treatment and Outcome of Antibody Mediated Rejection in Kidney Transplantation | Dr Michael Collins | 16/11/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 9/12/2016 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/181 | A Study Comparing the safety and effectiveness of 3 different doses of study medication to placebo in people with early Alzheimer's Disease | Dr Nigel Gilchrist | 10/11/2016 |  | Approve | 2/12/2016 | CGM Research Trust | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/182 | A study comparing how fast the trial drug GS-9876 is cleared from the body, in healthy adults and in adults with mild, moderate and severely reduced kidney function. | Dr Richard Robson | 10/11/2016 |  | Approve | 2/12/2016 | Christchurch Clinical Studies Trust Ltd | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/183 | INTEGRATE II | Prof Michael Findlay | 10/11/2016 |  | Approve | 2/12/2016 | Auckland City Hospital | collaborative research | Locality |
| 16/STH/184 | Evaluation of the Nurse Maude/St John's staysafe@home service trial | Mr Tom Love | 10/11/2016 |  | Decline | 2/12/2016 | Sapere Research Group | non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 16/STH/185 | Things that matter to children in hospital | Mr Shayne Rasmussen | 10/11/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/02/2017 | Auckland University of Technology | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/186 | Parenting From the Start | Ms Leith Pugmire | 10/11/2016 |  | Approve | 2/12/2016 | Massey University | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/187 | Micronutrient RCT for depression and anxiety during pregnancy | Dr Julia Rucklidge | 10/11/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 3/02/2017 | Univeristy of Canterbury | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/188 | The Christchurch Health and Development Study - 40 Year Follow-up | A/Prof John Horwood | 10/11/2016 |  | Approve | 2/12/2016 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/192 | RECOVERY DVT/PE | Dr Paul Harper | 23/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | RCTS | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/193 | Investigation of changes in liver and pancreatic fat after bariatric surgery in relation to diabetes remission and ethnicity | MR DECH DOKPUANG | 15/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | Auckland University of Technology | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/194 | Preventing Muscle Cramps in Individuals on Dialysis | Professor Rob Walker | 1/12/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/03/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/195 | USING BRAIN RHYTHMS TO ASSESS ANTI-ANXIETY DRUG ACTION | Professor Neil McNaughton | 1/12/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Decline | 13/03/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/196 | Understanding mental health service use in later life in New Zealand | Dr Ruth Cunningham | 17/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | University of Otago, Wellington | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/197 | Acceptability of Oxaliplatin Dose Modification by Patient Reported Toxicity | Dr Liyana Satterthwaite | 21/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | MidCentral Regional Cancer Treatment Services | district health board (DHB) | Locality |
| 16/STH/198 | Determinants of cerebral oxygenation (DOCO) | Mr Philip Allan | 18/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/199 | Assessment of productive bioactivation of cyclophosphamide | Dr Nuala Helsby | 18/11/2016 |  | Withdrawn by Researcher | 29/11/2016 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/200 | Understanding the psychological burden experienced by people diagnosed with a cardiac inherited disease living in New Zealand. | Ms Claire O'Donovan | 18/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/201 | Observational Management of young women under the age of 25 with CIN3 (CIN3MA) | Associate Professor Peter Sykes | 1/12/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/04/2017 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/202 | The ASR | Mr Simon John | 18/11/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 1/03/2017 | Christchurch Hospital | non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 16/STH/203 | Phase 3, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicenter study evaluating acalabrutinib plus BR compared with placebo plus BR in subjects with previously untreated MCL. | Dr David Simpson | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Waitemata District Health Board | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/206 | The Safety, Tolerability and Efficacy of GS-­9674 in Patients with Non­alcoholic Steatohepatitis (NASH) | Prof Edward Gane | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Auckland Clinical Studies | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/207 | ZYN2-CL-004: STAR 2 | Dr Ian Rosemergy | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Capital and Coast District Health board | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/208 | A study comparing Filgotinib and placebo in Subjects with Moderately to Severely Active Ulcerative Colitis | Dr Benjamin Griffiths | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Capital and Coast District Health Board - Wellington Hospital | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/209 | A Long-Term Extension Study to Evaluate the Safety of Filgotinib in Subjects with Ulcerative Colitis | Dr Benjamin Griffiths | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Capital and Coast District Health Board - Wellington Hospital | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/211 | ‘What works? Service users’ knowledge and experience of suicide prevention interventions in Aotearoa / New Zealand’ | Miss Behiye (Becky) Ali | 1/12/2016 |  | Decline | 23/12/2016 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/212 | Knee-Fix study (Cemented vs Uncemented Total Knee Replacement) | Mr Simon Young | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | Waitemata DHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/213 | ABSORB BTK Study | Associate Professor Andrew Holden | 1/12/2016 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/03/2017 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/216 | A STUDY OF MHAA4549A AS MONOTHERAPY FOR ACUTE UNCOMPLICATED SEASONAL INFLUENZA A IN OTHERWISE HEALTHY ADULTS | Dr DIANE HANFELT-GOADE | 1/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 | TAURANGA HOSPITAL | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/218 | The incidence of Inflammatory Bowel Disease in Manawatu, New Zealand | Dr James Irwin | 25/11/2016 |  | Approve | 9/12/2016 | Palmerston North Hospital | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/235 | Vitamin C levels in patients | Dr Anitra Carr | 2/12/2016 |  | Approve | 13/12/2016 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/238 | New Sheathless Guide Catheter First in Man Study | Dr Scott Harding | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 21/03/2017 | Capital and Coast District Health board | medical device company | Locality |
| 16/STH/240 | Platelet activation, infection and anti-platelet medication | Miss Kathryn Hally | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/03/2017 | Victoria University of Wellington | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/241 | Bacterial transformation of milk lipids | PhD Mariza Gomes Reis | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 11/04/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/243 | A study to evaluate safety and efficacy of PTG-100 in patients with moderate to severe ulcerative colitis | Assoc Prof Michael Schultz | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 14/03/2017 | Southern District Health Board | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 16/STH/245 | Dabi 110 Study | Dr Eileen Merriman | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 24/03/2017 | Waitemata District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/247 | Assessing the safety of co-administering medication and blood components | Dr Nicole Chien | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 20/03/2017 |  | other government agency | Locality |
| 16/STH/248 | Cardiac MRI Database and Registry | Professor Alistair Young | 12/12/2016 |  | Approve | 23/12/2016 |  | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/249 | av-Guardian Vascular Access System | Mr Thodur Vasudevan | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/04/2017 | Clinical Trials New Zealand | medical device company | Locality |
| 16/STH/250 | Pilot TOPS study | Dr Kelly Jones | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 16/02/2017 | Auckland University of Technology | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/251 | Outcomes of Patients Managed in New Zealand Blood and Cancer Centres | Associate Professor Michael Jameson | 12/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 2/02/2017 | Waikato DHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 16/STH/252 | The NEO trial | Dr Michelle Wilson | 12/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 2/02/2017 | Auckland City Hospital | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/253 | Anti-carbohydrate responses in multiple sclerosis | Associate Professor Anne Camille La Flamme | 12/01/2017 |  | Withdrawn by Researcher | 20/01/2017 | Victoria University of Wellington | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/254 | Assessing early immune cell inflammatory responses in healthy volunteers healthy volunteers | Mr Carl Beyers | 12/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/03/2017 | Victoria University of Wellington | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/95 | Incidence and factors associated with revision adenoidectomy: a retrospective study. | Dr James Johnston | 5/07/2016 |  | Approve | 19/07/2016 |  | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/96 | Peritonsillar abscess (PTA): clinical characteristics, microbiology, drug exposures and outcomes of patients treated at Auckland city hospital. | Dr James Johnston | 5/07/2016 |  | Approve | 19/07/2016 |  | academic institution | Locality |
| 16/STH/97 | Feasibility case-control study of stroke risk | Dr Rita Krishnamurthi | 8/07/2016 |  | Approve | 19/07/2016 |  | other | Locality |
| 17/STH/101 | MRD-Seq in AML | Professor Peter Browett | 23/06/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 20/10/2017 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/102 | Effects of Inosine Supplements on Markers of Bone Health | Prof Nicola Dalbeth | 28/06/2017 |  | Approve | 19/07/2017 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/105 | Physical activity and text messaging in obstructive sleep apnoea | Mrs Sarah Rhodes | 27/06/2017 |  | Approve | 19/07/2017 | University of Otago | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/106 | Comparison of the blood levels of two forms of atorvastatin in healthy volunteers under fasting conditions | Dr Noelyn Hung | 29/06/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/07/2017 | Zenith Technology Corporation Limited | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/107 | Who are they? Do patients have an understanding of the roles and experience of members of their surgical team? | Dr Heath Lash | 3/07/2017 |  | Provisionally approve | Canterbury District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality | 17/STH/107 |
| 17/STH/108 | A study assessing the similarity of Neulasta® and the trial drug MSB11455. | Dr Chris Wynne | 29/06/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/07/2017 | Christchurch Clinical Studies Trust | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/109 | Comparison of the blood levels of two forms of acitretin 25 mg in healthy male volunteers under fasting conditions | Dr Noelyn Hung | 29/06/2017 |  | Provisionally approve | Zenith Technology Corporation Limited | pharmaceutical company | Locality | 17/STH/109 |
| 17/STH/11 | bioMEMS monitoring of operatively treated distal femoral fractures | Dr David Kieser | 2/02/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 24/05/2017 | CDHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/111 | NZ RHD Registry | A/Prof Nigel Wilson | 29/06/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/07/2017 | ADHB | collaborative research | Locality |
| 17/STH/112 | (duplicate) He Korowai Manaaki: Wairoa | Associate Professor Beverley Lawton | 29/06/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/08/2017 | Women's Health Research Centre | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/13 | Palliative care nurse specialist routine assessment of the older person in aged residential care facilities identified as being high risk of clinically significant health and functional decline: a pil | Mrs Amanda Sommerfeldt | 2/02/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/04/2017 | Hospice Southland Charitable Trust | district health board (DHB), non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 17/STH/14 | LIVE-HCM/LIVE-LQTS | Professor Jonathan R Skinner | 2/02/2017 |  | Approve | 23/02/2017 |  | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/16 | OPTION Study | Professor Richard Gearry | 2/02/2017 |  | Approve | 20/02/2017 | Canterbury District Health Board | medical device company | Locality |
| 17/STH/17 | Ibrutinib in Combination with Ventoclax in participants with Treatment naive Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia or Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma (PCYC-1142-CA) | Dr Sharon Jackson | 2/02/2017 |  | Approve | 24/02/2017 | Middlemore Clinical Trials | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/19 | HARPE | Dr Barney Montgomery | 2/02/2017 |  | Decline | 24/02/2017 | Optimal Clinical Trials | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/2 | Exploratory Study: Cough Reflex Modulation | Miss Emma Wallace | 16/01/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 21/04/2017 | University of Canterbury | academic institution, other government agency | Locality |
| 17/STH/23 | Hypopituitarism rates following PRRT | Dr Marianne Elston | 13/02/2017 |  | Approve | 21/02/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/24 | Effects of maternal sleep on decreased fetal movements. | Professor Peter Stone | 17/02/2017 |  | Approve | 1/03/2017 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/25 | Aging in the Dunedin Study | Professor Richie Poulton | 17/02/2017 |  | Approve | 1/03/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/27 | Diffusion Weighted MR Imaging of Musculoskeletal Tumours | Dr. Sean McIlhone | 22/02/2017 |  | Approve | 1/03/2017 | Waikato District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/29 | EDGE Trial | Dr Nicholas Wright | 24/02/2017 |  | Decline | 8/03/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/36 | Risk factors for allogenic blood transfusion and survival amongst patients undergoing elective hip and knee arthroplasty: A retrospective cohort study | Dr Dilraj Thind | 2/03/2017 |  | Decline | 14/03/2017 | Canterbury DHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/40 | Medullary Thyroid Carcinoma: Multiinstitutional experience in New zealand | Miss Joey Siu | 8/03/2017 |  | Approve | 20/03/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/41 | Fibre structure of whole grains in blood glucose response | Dr Lisa Te Morenga | 10/03/2017 |  | Approve | 20/03/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/42 | Exercise and microbiota | Dr Troy Merry | 10/03/2017 |  | Approve | 24/03/2017 |  | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/43 | Te Ara Riiriki | Ms Ngaropi Cameron | 16/03/2017 |  | Approve | 20/03/2017 | Tu Tama Wahine o Taranaki Inc | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/44 | Understanding chronic pain after knee replacement surgery | Dr David Rice | 17/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/04/2017 | Waitemata District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/46 | Obesity in Acute Rheumatic Fever | Dr Jodie Hayward | 20/03/2017 |  | Approve | 13/04/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/47 | (duplicate) EDGE Trial | Dr Nicholas Wright | 22/03/2017 |  | Approve | 24/03/2017 | Plant Based New Zealand Health Charitable Trust | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/48 | Evaluation of apparent plasma cell loss between morphological and flow cytometry assessments | Dr Wingchi Leung | 30/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 28/04/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/49 | Donation after circulatory death (DCD) kidney Transplantation in NZ | Dr Tina Sun | 28/03/2017 |  | Approve | 13/04/2017 | Capital and Coast District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/5 | The PreDawn study | Dr. C Brett | 26/01/2017 |  | Approve | 7/02/2017 | Department of Anaesthesia | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/51 | Kindred study | Dr Iain Ward | 30/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Decline | 26/05/2017 | Christchurch Hospital | collaborative research | Locality |
| 17/STH/52 | Research into Consumer Experiences with OST | Ms Marnie Carter | 30/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 3/08/2017 | Allen + Clarke | non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 17/STH/53 | Stage 1 GLOSS Trial | Mr David Wang | 30/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 24/05/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/54 | ProstaCare Study for BPH | Prof Peter Gilling | 30/03/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 24/05/2017 | Tauranga Urology Research | medical device company | Locality |
| 17/STH/55 | ADEPT | Dr Chris Bullen | 4/04/2017 |  | Approve | 21/04/2017 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/56 | Early Intervention in Psychosis Follow Up | Dr Saskia van Stockum | 3/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 9/05/2017 | Wellington Early Intervention in Psychosis Service | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/57 | Paediatric intestinal transplant criteria | Dr Helen Evans | 5/04/2017 |  | Approve | 21/04/2017 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/58 | THE ASSOCIATIONS OF SYMPTOM BURDEN WITH ELECTROLYTE ABNORMALITIES AND DEHYDRATION IN ADVANCED CANCER: A CROSS-SECTIONAL OBSERVATIONAL STUDY | Dr Mary Andhoga | 21/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 8/06/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/59 | Project Nice Useability Trail | Dr Jonathan Albrett | 21/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 26/07/2017 | Eden Sleep | medical device company | Locality |
| 17/STH/6 | A longitudinal study of dental health status of New Zealand children | Associate Professor John Thompson | 2/02/2017 |  | Decline | 24/02/2017 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/60 | How low do you need to go? Comparing symptoms of diet induction and mood with outcomes from diets containing differing levels of carbohydrate restriction | Mr Cliff Harvey | 21/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 16/06/2017 | AUT University | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/61 | Exploration of energy supply to the diabetic heart | Dr Marie-Louise Ward | 13/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 31/05/2017 | University of Auckland | academic institution, district health board (DHB) | Locality |
| 17/STH/62 | Laryngeal injury and swallowing difficulties after cardiac surgery | Dr Anna Miles | 18/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 31/05/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/63 | Do PECS block improve quality of recovery after breast surgery | Dr Kelly Byrne | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/65 | M14-327 Crohn's Disease | Dr Michael Schultz | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | Southern District Health Board | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/67 | EXCISE – EXcisional treatment Comparison for In Situ Endocervical adenocarcinoma | Associate Professor Peter Sykes | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | University of Otago, Christchurch | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/68 | STATEC: Selective Targeting of Adjuvant Therapy for Endometrial Cancer | Doctor Bryony Simcock | 27/04/2017 |  | Decline | 19/05/2017 | CDHB | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/69 | MaxiclearTM PE 3.0/ Maxigesic® PE 2.5 Efficacy Study | Dr Simon Carson | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | Southern Clinical Trials New Zealand | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/7 | The pathway of stroke survivor’s transfer to aged residential care after first ever stroke | Dr Julia Slark | 2/02/2017 |  | Approve | 23/02/2017 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/70 | A study to evaluate drug-drug interactions between GS-9688 and probe drugs in healthy subjects | Prof Edward Gane | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | Auckland Clinical Studies Ltd and Auckland City Hospital | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/72 | Calcium supplements and 24-hour blood pressure | Dr Sarah Bristow | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/73 | Biomarkers and Stroke prevention in Atrial Fibrillation using Electronic Decision Support | Prof Ralph Stewart | 27/04/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/07/2017 | Auckland City Hospital | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/74 | Investigation of the effects of a ointment without any active drug | Dr Noelyn Hung | 27/04/2017 |  | Approve | 19/05/2017 | Zenith Technology Corporation Limited | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/76 | 5-Step Method | Ms Anna Nelson | 4/05/2017 |  | Approve | 15/05/2017 | Te Pou Ltd | non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 17/STH/77 | High-resolution anorectal bio-electrical recordings | Dr Greg O'Grady | 5/05/2017 |  | Approve | 24/05/2017 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/79 | The metabolic effects of a CREBRF gene variant | Dr. Troy Merry | 24/05/2017 |  | Approve | 12/06/2017 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/8 | Feasibility study for emtional health study | Professor Bruce Arroll | 30/01/2017 |  | Decline | 22/02/2017 |  | non-governmental organisation (NGO) | Locality |
| 17/STH/80 | New factors in failing human hearts | A/Prof Chris Pemberton | 31/05/2017 |  | Approve | 22/06/2017 | University of Otago | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/81 | NTproCNP and Chronic Kidney Disease | Professor Richard Troughton | 31/05/2017 |  | Approve | 22/06/2017 | Christchurch Heart Institute | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/82 | The GLARE (Glucose Lowering Antioxidant-Rich Food Extracts) Study | Assoc Prof Rachel Page | 25/05/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/07/2017 | Massey University | academic institution, other | Locality |
| 17/STH/83 | MonarchE | Dr. Reuben Broom | 31/05/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 7/08/2017 | Auckland Regional Cancer & Blood Service | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/85 | A study comparing how fast the trial drug APL-2 is cleared from the body, in healthy adults and in adults with severely reduced kidney function. | Dr Richard Robson | 31/05/2017 |  | Approve | 22/06/2017 | Christchurch Clinical Studies Trust Ltd | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/87 | Development of acute laparotomy scoring system | Dr Ahmed Barazanchi | 31/05/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 18/08/2017 | The University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/89 | Dose Ranging Study of ZGN-1061 in Overweight and Obese Subjects with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus | Dr John Currie | 31/05/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 20/07/2017 | Clinical Trials New Zealand | pharmaceutical company | Locality |
| 17/STH/9 | DIP Registry | Dr John Baker | 2/02/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 5/04/2017 | Middlemore Clinical Trials | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/91 | A trial examining the use of Transnasal Humidified Rapid-Insufflation Ventilatory Exchange for children undergoing microlaryngoscopy and bronchoscopy. | Dr Paul Baker | 31/05/2017 | Provisionally Approve | Approve | 3/08/2017 | Starship Children's Hospital | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/93 | ECMO point prevalence study | Dr Rachael Parke | 31/05/2017 |  | Approve | 28/06/2017 | Auckland District Health Board | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/94 | Step Away Trial | A/P Natalie Walker | 9/06/2017 |  | Approve | 26/06/2017 | University of Auckland | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/95 | Endoscopic gastric electrical mapping | Dr Timothy R Angeli | 9/06/2017 |  | Approve | 26/06/2017 | University of Auckland | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/96 | Tai Chi for breast cancer | Dr Lizhou Liu | 19/06/2017 |  | Approve | 27/06/2017 | University of Otago | academic institution | Locality |
| 17/STH/97 | What happens when you go home? | Dr Bronwyn Lennox Thompson | 15/06/2017 |  | Approve | 27/06/2017 |  | no sponsor | Locality |
| 17/STH/99 | Blood Eosinophils in Acute Exacerbations of COPD | Dr Catherina Chang | 20/06/2017 |  | Approve | 15/07/2017 | Waikato Hospital | other | Locality |

# Declaration by Head of Organisation with Primary Responsibility for the EC

## Declaration by EC Chairperson

**Name of EC: Southern Health and Disability Ethics Committee**

**I declare for the above named EC:**

* that the information supplied on this form and any attachment(s) is true and correct; and
* that, for the period to which this form relates, the EC has operated in accordance with relevant Guidelines and Legislation.

**Name:** Raewyn Idoine \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature: Date:**

## Declaration by Head of Organisation with Primary Responsibility for the EC

**Name of EC: Southern Health and Disability Ethics Committee**

**Name of organisation:** Ministry of Health

**On behalf of the above named organisation, and in relation to the above named EC,   
I declare that:**

* I am duly authorised to sign this declaration;
* the information supplied on this form and any attachment(s) is true and correct;
* the EC is adequately resourced and maintained;
* for the period to which this form relates, the organisation ensured that the EC’s Terms of Reference included information on the:
  + scope of its responsibilities,
  + relationship to non-affiliated researchers,
  + accountability,
  + mechanisms of reporting, and
  + remuneration (if any) for members;
* the organisation accepts legal responsibility for decisions and advice received from the EC; and
* EC members are indemnified.

**Name:** Ms Raewyn Idoine

Title First Name Last Name

**Position :** Chairperson

**E-mail :** hdecs@moh.govt.nz

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**Signature: Date:** 27 October 2017

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