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Professor Chris Fife-Schaw  
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Dear Professor Fife-Schaw,,

**Our ID: CSP 130286**

**TITLE: Guildford Hypertension 2000: A randomised trial of exercise interventions.**

Thank you for your submission of the above project through NIHR CSP to access Participant Identification Centres (PICs) in our area.

All the mandatory CSP governance checks have been satisfied, and I am therefore pleased to confirm that you now have our agreement for the following sites to act as PICs:

- **NHS Guildford & Waverley CCG – GP Surgeries.**

**Please note that the above PIC sites do not indemnify the main research site, the organisation managing the research or the participants in relation to the conduct or management of the research – this responsibility rests with the study sponsor.**

Your research governance assurance is valid providing you comply with the conditions set out below:

1. You commence your research within one year of the date of this letter. If you do not begin your work within this time, you will be required to resubmit your application.
2. You notify the Consortium Office should you deviate or make changes to the approved documents.
3. You alert the Consortium Office by contacting me, if significant developments occur as the study progresses, whether in relation to the safety of individuals or to scientific direction.
4. You complete and return the standard annual self-report study monitoring form when requested to do so at the end of each financial year. Failure to do this will result in the suspension of research governance approval.
5. You comply fully with the Department of Health Research Governance Framework, and in particular that you ensure that you are aware of and fully discharge your responsibilities in respect to Data Protection, Health and Safety, financial probity, ethics and scientific quality. You should refer in particular to Sections 3.5 and 3.6 of the Research Governance Framework.
6. You ensure that all information regarding patients or staff remains secure and strictly confidential at all times. You ensure that you understand and comply with the requirements of the NHS Confidentiality Code of Practice, Data Protection Act and Human Rights Act. Unauthorised disclosure of information is an offence and such disclosures may lead to prosecution.

Good luck with your work.

Yours sincerely,



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