

Institutional Review Board

Tianjin Medical University Cancer Institute and Hospital

Notification of Review by Institutional Review Board

Document Number: E2011070

Project Summary:

Title of project: A MULTI-CENTER INTERNATIONAL HOSPITAL-BASED CASE-CONTROL STUDY OF LYMPHOMA IN ASIA (AsiaLymph)

Principle Investigator: Chen Kexin

Sponsor of project: US National Cancer Institute (NCI)

Review Result:

The IRB has carefully reviewed the relevant contents of the above research project (see attachment) on Nov. 24, 2011. The IRB approved the protocol of "A multi-center international hospital-based case-control study of lymphoma in Asia (AsiaLymph)" and certified that the listed document in attachment 1 could be used in the process of conducting the research.

Voting Record:

Voting people in total: 7; Agreed voting: 7; Agreed voting after review comments were responded and revised: 0; Disagreed voting: 0.

The applicants/investigators are required to attach attention on the following:

1. Show fully respect to the respondents and their own willingness, ensure their participant is totally voluntary under full understanding.
2. Stick to the protocol. Report IRB any serious adverse events and unexpected events which may impact the risk and benefits of the study during the research.
3. If the study is longer than 1 year, an annual report should be submitted to the IRB. And a summary report should be submitted at the end of the study to the IRB.

Signature of chairman of the IRB or authority

(Seal of the IRB)

IRB of Tianjin Medical University Cancer Institute and Hospital

Nov. 24, 2011