



Date: April 19, 2011

To: Christopher Bye
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Re: Completion of an expedited review of your protocol **#1086** entitled ***"Set Game Study"***

Action: **Approved** per 45 CFR 46.110 category #7: "Research on individual or group characteristics or behavior (including, but not limited to, research on perception, cognition, motivation, identity, language, communication, cultural beliefs or practices, and social behavior) or research employing survey, interview, oral history, focus group, program evaluation, human factors evaluation, or quality assurance methodologies."

Should you wish to modify the protocol from that submitted, it will be necessary to submit a description of the proposed modification for a re-determination by the Board.

The above approval is contingent upon your agreement to obtain informed consent in the approved form.

The review of this protocol and procedures for obtaining informed consent has been made only with regard to DHHS regulations and New York State Law. If a part of this project is to be conducted under another jurisdiction, the Board cautions that it may be necessary to determine if the protocol conforms to the requirements of that jurisdiction. ***This review is valid through April 18, 2012.***

Sincerely,

Chair, Institutional Review Board