

Appendix 6: Secondary Use of Database Permission Letter (Rambam Medical Center)



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Dear Ms. Van Der Merwe and Ms. Gebbie

Thank you for your enquiry about secondary use of the database relating to "Hand drawing tests of Parkinson's disease and Essential Tremor patients under treatment". This data comprises hand drawn shapes on paper, that patients and control subjects in our hospital drew over time of treatment, and has been fully anonymized. The data also contains MRI scans of the patients, and their medical histories, both of which are anonymized.

As the custodian of this database, I confirm that it was acquired for the experiment "Treatment efficacy in movement disorders patients" which was a study performed at Rambam Medical Center, Haifa, Israel and ethics for the primary collection of the data was obtained at the Medical Center, Haifa, number 4040-17.

I confirm that you may use this database for your project, for computations analysis of the data, subject to you obtaining ethics clearance from the University of the Witwatersrand for secondary use of this data.

Yours sincerely

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