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Memorandum of Ethical Approval for Research

То:	Dr Andrew Mason
From:	Monica Bandeira - BEC Administrator
Date:	06/02/2025
Re:	Ethical approval (by full committee)
Title of study:	Reuse and reapplication of existing human cancer sequencing datasets (Masters Teaching)
BEC reference:	AM202410

Dear Andrew

I am pleased to inform you that the above application has been reviewed and, following your response to the review comments, I can confirm a **favourable ethical opinion** as of the date of this letter. A list of the documentation considered is in the next page.

This approval is valid until 30/09/2028.

You are expected to keep a record of all your approved documentation and other documents relating to this application, including any risk assessments.

Please notify the committee of any changes, including extensions. If projects generate new sequencing data or go beyond the use of existing data, new BEC approval and applications will be needed.

We welcome your suggestions for improvement of the ethical review process. Please email any comments to biol-ethics@york.ac.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Michelle Hawkins (Chair)

List of documentation considered by BEC:

Document	Date
01_BEC Part A_AM202410_Reuse and reapplication of existing human cancer sequencing datasets (Masters)	14/10/24
02_BEC Part B_AM202410_Reuse and reapplication of existing human cancer sequencing datasets (Masters)	14/10/24
03_Anonymised BEC Review_AM202410_Reuse and reapplication of existing human cancer sequencing datasets (Masters)	14/11/24