Application Number: 2009P1825

Concerns:

1. Font of the consent form is very small (10 and 9 point). I understand these are young people you are recruiting, but to avoid any concern about \"fine print\" I would revise the form to be 2 pages, in at least a 12-point font.

Revised to 12.

1. Consent form needs information about how confidential data will be stored (in synopsis, but not consent). It also might be nice if you are specific with the students what data will (or will not) be shared with their coaches. Remember, these are young people, and we do not want them to feel pressured into participating.

Revised #4 in the consent form.

1. Participants need to be informed how much time they are committing to the testing and training (daily, weekly, etc.). This is not mentioned in either the consent or the synopsis. You say how often they will train, but not how much time each session will consume.

Included the time each testing and training in the consent form and synopsis under the methods section.

1. Participants need to be informed where/when the data will be collected.

Included time and place in the consent form.

1. As these are NCAA athletes, I believe you need to be very specific about how their participation or non-participation will not affect their role on the team or as a student or athlete at the university much more specifically. Otherwise, I believe the athletes might feel pressured to participate.

Included in #5 of the consent form.

1. Certification of age 18 and older - as freshman may be under age 18, you need to have them certify that they are at least 18 years of age to participate.

Included in #5 of the consent form.

1. How will the participants been informed of their results and the group results? This needs to be noted in the consent, along with their right to request the results of the study.

Included in #4 of the consent form.