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Observational / Interventions Research Ethics Committee

Mr James Munday

9 November 2020

Dear Mr James Munday

Study Title: Forecasting of COVID-19 using human predictions

LSHTM Ethics Ref: 22290

Thank you for responding to the \$CaRR\$ Committee's request for further information on the above research and submitting revised documentation.

The further information has been considered on behalf of the Committee by the Chair.

### Confirmation of ethical opinion

On behalf of the Committee, I am pleased to confirm a favourable ethical opinion for the above research on the basis described in the application form, protocol and supporting documentation as revised, subject to the conditions specified below.

#### Conditions of the favourable opinion

Approval is dependent on local ethical approval having been received, where relevant.

### **Approved documents**

The final list of documents reviewed and approved by the Committee is as follows:

Document Type	File Name	Date	Version
Investigator CV	joel	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	james	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	kath	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	nikos	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	sam	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	seb	08/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	sophie	08/10/2020	1
Protocol / Proposal	Human Forecasting Study Protocol	09/10/2020	1
Investigator CV	robin	09/10/2020	1
Other	citi_completion_report	16/10/2020	1
Protocol / Proposal	Human forecasting protocol	05/11/2020	2
Information Sheet	Consent Form	05/11/2020	1
Advertisements	Recruitment Procedures	05/11/2020	1
Covering Letter	Cover Letter Ethics	05/11/2020	1

## After ethical review

The Chief Investigator (CI) or delegate is responsible for informing the ethics committee of any subsequent changes to the application. These must be submitted to the Committee for review using an Amendment form. Amendments must not be initiated before receipt of written favourable opinion from the committee.

The CI or delegate is also required to notify the ethics committee of any protocol violations and/or Suspected Unexpected Serious Adverse Reactions (SUSARs) which occur during the project by submitting a Serious Adverse Event form

 $An annual\ report\ should\ be\ submitted\ to\ the\ committee\ using\ an\ Annual\ Report\ form\ on\ the\ anniversary\ of\ the\ approval\ of\ the\ study\ during\ the\ lifetime\ of\ the\ study.$ 

At the end of the study, the CI or delegate must notify the committee using an End of Study form.

 $All \ a forementioned \ forms \ are \ available \ on \ the \ ethics \ online \ applications \ website \ and \ can \ only \ be \ submitted \ to \ the \ committee \ via \ the \ website \ at: \ http://leo.lshtm.ac.uk$ 

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Yours sincerely,

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