



PEJABAT TIMBALAN NAIB CANSELOR (PENYELIDIKAN DAN INOVASI)
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR (RESEARCH AND INNOVATION)

Rujukan kami : UPM.TNCPI.800-2/1/7

Tarikh : 29 January 2024

Dr. Rosalam Che Me
Department of Design Industrial
Faculty of Design and Architecture
Universiti Putra Malaysia
Serdang, Selangor

Dear Madam/Sir,

**RESEARCH PROJECT: DEVELOPING AGEING-ORIENTED SMART PRODUCTS
DESIGN FRAMEWORK TO IMPROVE TYPE II DIABETIC ELDERLY'S TECHNOLOGY
ACCEPTANCE IN COMPLYING HEALTHY DIET**

REFERENCE NO: JKEUPM-2023-1320

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR: DR. ROSALAM CHE ME

CO-INVESTIGATOR: DR. FAISUL ARIF BIN AHMAD, LI JINGLONG (STUDENT)

The Ethics Committee for Research involving Human Subjects of University Putra Malaysia (JKEUPM) has studied the proposal for the above project and found that there were no objectionable ethical issues involved in the proposed study.

Please find the list of documents received and reviewed with reference to the study and committee members who reviewed the documents (as attached).

Notwithstanding above, we will not be responsible for any misconduct on the part of researcher in the course of carrying out the research.

Ethical approval is required in the case of amendments/ changes to the study documents/ study sites/ study team.

Thank you.

“WITH KNOWLEDGE WE SERVE”

Sincerely yours,

PROF. DR. NORMALA BINTI IBRAHIM

Chair

Ethics Committee for Research involving Human Subjects
Universiti Putra Malaysia

**ETHICS COMMITTEE FOR RESEARCH INVOLVING HUMAN SUBJECTS
(JKEUPM)
UNIVERSITI PUTRA MALAYSIA**

Research title	: Developing Ageing-oriented Smart Products Design Framework to Improve Type II Diabetic Elderly's Technology Acceptance in Complying Healthy Diet
Study Site	: China
JKEUPM Ref No.	: JKEUPM-2023-1320
Principal Investigator	: Dr. Rosalam Che Me
Co-investigator	: Dr. Faisul Arif bin Ahmad, Li Jinglong (Student)

Documents received and reviewed with reference to the above study:

1. Ethics Application Form, Version 1 dated 30/10/2023
2. Respondent's Information Sheet / Consent (English), Version 2 dated 07/12/2023
3. Proposal (English), Version 2 dated 09/01/2024
4. Questionnaires/Interviews (English), Version 1 dated 30/10/2023
5. Curriculum Vitae of:
 - a. Dr. Rosalam Che Me
 - b. Dr. Faisul Arif bin Ahmad
 - c. Li Jinglong

The University Research Ethics Committee, Universiti Putra Malaysia (JKEUPM) operates in accordance to the ICH-GCP Guidelines.

Decision by JKEUPM:

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Approved

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Permission MUST BE OBTAINED from the respective hospitals/ institutions before conducting the research

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Disapproved

Please note that the approval is **VALID UNTIL 29 JANUARY 2025**

Researchers should comply with the following:

- I. Complete a Study Final Report upon study completion (Form 3.2).
- II. Ethical approval is required in the case of amendments/ changes to the study documents/ study sites/ study team.
- III. Applicable for Clinical Trial Studies and Clinical interventional Studies only: Progress Report has to be submitted to JKEUPM at every 6 months from the date of approval (Form 3.1). Report occurrences of all Serious Adverse Events (SAEs), Suspected Unexpected Serious Adverse Reaction (SUSARs) and Protocol Deviation/ Violation at all JKEUPM approved sites to JKEUPM. All serious adverse events (SAEs) detected or being notified should be reported

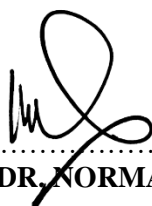
immediately to the sponsor except for those SAEs that the protocol or other document (e.g., Investigator's Brochure) identifies as not needing immediate reporting. The immediate reports should be followed promptly by detailed, written reports.

The required forms can be obtained from the Ethics Committee for Research Involving Human Subjects (JKEUPM) website (<http://www.tncpi.upm.edu.my/faildokumen>).

Date of Approval: 29 January 2024

Members of the JKEUPM who reviewed the documents:

- i. Primary Reviewer: Dr. Siti Sarah binti Herman
- ii. Information Consent Reviewer: Dr. Norliza Ahmad



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