

# Amendment Tool

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## Section 1: Project information

Short project title*:	Biomarker-guided duration of antibiotic treatment for sepsis			
IRAS project ID* (or REC reference if no IRAS project ID is available):	209815			
Sponsor amendment reference number*:	NSA-22			
Sponsor amendment date* (enter as DD/MM/YY):	22 September 2022			
Briefly summarise in lay language the main changes proposed in this amendment. Explain the purpose of the changes and their significance for the study. If the amendment significantly alters the research design or methodology, or could otherwise affect the scientific value of the study, supporting scientific information should be given (or enclosed separately). Indicate whether or not additional scientific critique has been obtained (note: this field will adapt to the amount of text entered)*:	<p>Protocol - We are proposing around clarifying the section on post randomisation withdrawals, based on feedback we believe our proposed amendment will help clinical and research staff at sites, and provide the clinical trials team to provide advice if asked by sites and will also assist in identifying reasons for study withdrawal</p> <p>Patient Information sheets - Update study end date and duration of trial.</p>			
Project type (select):	<b>Specific study</b>			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Research tissue bank <input type="checkbox"/> Research database			
Has the study been reviewed by a UKECA-recognised Research Ethics Committee (REC) prior to this amendment?:	<b>Yes</b>		No	
What type of UKECA-recognised Research Ethics Committee (REC) review is applicable? (select):	<b>NHS/HSC REC</b>			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ministry of Defence (MoDREC)			
Is all or part of this amendment being resubmitted to the Research Ethics Committee (REC) as a <b>modified amendment</b> (i.e. a substantial amendment previously given an unfavourable opinion)?	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Where is the NHS/HSC Research Ethics Committee (REC) that reviewed the study based?:	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
	<b>Yes</b>	No	No	No
Was the study a clinical trial of an investigational medicinal product (CTIMP) OR does the amendment make it one?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Was the study a clinical investigation or other study of a medical device OR does the amendment make it one?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve the administration of radioactive substances, therefore requiring ARSAC review, OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve the use of research exposures to ionising radiation (not involving the administration of radioactive substances) OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve adults lacking capacity OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve access to confidential patient information outside the direct care team without consent OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve prisoners or young offenders who are in custody or supervised by the probation service OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve children OR does the amendment introduce this?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
Did the study involve NHS/HSC organisations prior to this amendment?:	<b>Yes</b>		No	
Did the study involve non-NHS/HSC organisations OR does the amendment introduce them?:	Yes		<b>No</b>	
	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
Lead nation for the study:	<b>Yes</b>	No	No	No
Which nations had participating NHS/HSC organisations prior to this amendment?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>
Which nations will have participating NHS/HSC organisations after this amendment?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>

## Section 2: Summary of change(s)

**Please note:** Each change being made as part of the amendment must be entered separately. For example, if an amendment to a clinical trial of an investigational medicinal product (CTIMP) involves an update to the Investigator's Brochure (IB), affecting the Reference Safety Information (RSI) and so the information documents to be given to participants, these should be entered into the Amendment Tool as three separate changes. A list of all possible changes is available on the "Glossary of Amendment Options" tab. To add another change, click the "Add another change" box.

Change 1				
Area of change (select)*:	Study Documents			
Specific change (select - only available when area of change is selected first)*:	Protocol - Non-substantial changes (e.g. not affecting safety or the scientific value of the trial)			
Further information (free text - note that this field will adapt to the amount of text entered):	<p>TO REMOVE: • Patient found to be ineligible post randomisation e.g. patient found to have received more than 24 hours of antibiotics following randomisation, patient identified as requiring long term antibiotics (&gt;21 days), patient received IL-6 blocking drugs prior to randomisation and/or during the intervention period (when biomarkers are being measured) AND REPLACE WITH: Following randomisation, a patient may also be withdrawn from the intervention period of the trial (daily blood sampling), and continue to be monitored in trial follow up, if the local treating clinical and research staff agree that:</p> <p>(b) a patient is identified as requiring long term antibiotics (&gt;21 days) or (c) a patient received IL-6 blocking drugs as part of their emergency care prior to randomisation and/or during the intervention period.</p>			
Applicability:	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
Where are the participating NHS/HSC organisations located that will be affected by this change?*	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Will all participating NHS/HSC organisations be affected by this change, or only some? ( <b>please note</b> that this answer may affect the categorisation for the change):	All		Some	
Remove all changes below				
Change 2				
Area of change (select)*:	Study Documents			
Specific change (select - only available when area of change is selected first)*:	Other minor change to study documents (e.g. information sheets, consent forms, questionnaires, letters) that can be implemented within existing resource in place at participating organisations - Please specify in the free text below			
Further information In particular, please describe why this change can be implemented within the existing resource in place at the participating organisations (free text - note that this field will adapt to the amount of text entered)*	Updated the Trial end date and duration of trial in line with the study extension previously approved. Documents updated include ADAPT Sepsis PIS commencement, ADAPT Sepsis PIS Recovery, ADAPT Sepsis CIS Consultee all now version 7.0 22-09-2022			
Applicability:	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
Where are the participating NHS/HSC organisations located that will be affected by this change?*	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Will all participating NHS/HSC organisations be affected by this change, or only some? ( <b>please note</b> that this answer may affect the categorisation for the change):	All		Some	
Add another change				

**Section 3: Declaration(s) and lock for submission**

<b>Declaration by the Sponsor or authorised delegate</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I confirm that the Sponsor takes responsibility for the completed amendment tool</li> <li>• I confirm that I have been formally authorised by the Sponsor to complete the amendment tool on their behalf</li> </ul>	
Name [first name and surname]*:	Mohammed Zubair
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<b>Lock for submission</b>	
<p><b>Please note:</b> This button will only become available when all mandatory (*) fields have been completed. When the button is available, clicking it will generate a locked PDF copy of the completed amendment tool which must be included in the amendment submission. Please ensure that the amendment tool is completed correctly before locking it for submission.</p>	
<div style="background-color: #90EE90; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; border: 1px solid black;">Lock for submission</div>	
<p>After locking the tool, <a href="#">proceed to submit the amendment online</a>. The "Submission Guidance" tab provides further information about the next steps for the amendment.</p>	

**Section 4: Review bodies for the amendment**

**Please note:** This section is for **information only**. Details in this section will complete automatically based on the options selected in Sections 1 and 2.

	Review bodies														Category:				
	UK wide:						England and Wales:				Scotland:			Northern Ireland:					
	REC	Competent Authority MHRA - Medicines	Competent Authority MHRA - Devices	ARSAC	Radiation Assurance	UKSW Governance	REC (MCA)	CAG	HMPPS	HRA and HCRW Approval	REC (AWIA)	PBPP	SPS (RAEC)	National coordinating function		HSC REC	HSC Data Guardians	Prisons	National coordinating function
Change 1:						(Y)				(Y)				(Y)				(Y)	A
Change 2:						(Y)				(Y)				(Y)				(Y)	C
Overall reviews for the amendment:																			
Full review:						N				N				N				N	
Notification only:						Y				Y				Y				Y	
Overall amendment type:	Non-substantial, no study-wide review required																		
Overall Category:	A																		