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**Public Minutes of the Call 1 Stage 1 Panel Meeting  
Arm 1- Translational and Clinical Research  
held Virtually via Zoom  
Tuesday 16 January 2024**

**Attendance:**

**Panel Members:**

Ms Jan Lawrence (Chair) - Public member  
Professor Reyer Zwigelaar (Deputy Chair) - Aberystwyth University  
Dr Joanna Charles - Welsh Government  
Dr Alison Cooper - Cardiff University  
Mrs Annabel Dawson - Public member  
Dr Rebecca Harmston - Public member  
Professor Sue Jordan - Swansea University  
Professor Venkat Kanamarlapudi - Swansea University  
Mr Chris Pavlakis - Public member  
Professor Jane Noyes - Bangor University  
Dr Heather Payne - Welsh Government  
Mrs Emma Spear - Welsh Government  
Professor Neil Thomas - University of Birmingham  
Ms Dalila Tremarias - Public member

**Project Grants Team:**

Dr Jennie Hejdenberg - LGC  
Dr Olena Myronova - LGC  
Mr Simon Goodwin - LGC  
Mr Scott Thomson - LGC  
Mrs Samantha Wade - LGC  
Mrs Ludy Hills - LGC  
Miss Holly Rabjohns - LGC  
Miss Sophie Tattersall - LGC  
Miss Sarah Betts - LGC

**Apologies:**

Dr Thinzar Min – Swansea Bay University Health Board (written comments)

**Observers:**

Mr Marc Boggett – Welsh Government  
Mr Michael Bowdery – Welsh Government

Conflicted individuals were not present during the discussion of those applications.

**1. The Panel considered 12 applications, and the following were invited to submit a Stage 2 application:**

- 1.1. 01-TC-00008:** A pilot study of a randomised controlled trial to evaluate the impact of thoracic PR rehabilitation with Inspiratory Muscle TRaining Or Standard PR rehabilitation on the quality of life of surgical lung cancer patients. 'The PRIMROSE Pilot Trial'  
**Conflict of interest:** None
- 1.2. 01-TC-00022:** Quality of life and thyroid hormone profile after primary therapy for Graves' disease: long-term anti-thyroid drugs versus radioiodine-induced hypothyroidism  
**Conflict of interest:** Dr Alison Cooper, Professor Sue Jordan, Dr Thinzar Min
- 1.3. 01-TC-00023:** Functional/Dissociative Seizures in Wales  
**Conflict of interest:** Dr Alison Cooper, Professor Venkat Kanamarlapudi, Professor Sue Jordan
- 1.4. 01-TC-00024:** Innovative low-cost skin tone insensitive oximeter for home use  
**Conflict of interest:** Professor Reyer Zwiggelaar, Ms Dalila Tremarias, Dr Rebecca Harmston
- 1.5. 01-TC-00028:** Metabolomic testing approaches to aid stroke diagnosis and recovery "EASE"  
**Conflict of interest:** Professor Reyer Zwiggelaar
- 1.6. 01-TC-00029:** A feasibility study to measure and understand cognitive impairment in patients receiving cellular therapy - Chimeric antigen receptor-T cell (CAR-T)/Haematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT) - for haematological malignancies  
**Conflict of interest:** None
- 1.7. 01-TC-00032:** Feasibility randomised controlled trial of Spring PGD, a digital guided self-help programme for prolonged grief disorder (PGD)  
**Conflict of interest:** None
- 1.8. 01-TC-00034:** Portable Topography Device for the Early Diagnosis and Management of Corneal Conditions  
**Conflict of interest:** None