

OFFICE OF RESEARCH COMPLIANCE

Memorandum

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- DATE: April 1, 2015
- SUBJECT: Institutional Review Board Regulatory Authority and Assurance

This memorandum is being provided in response to requests from study sponsors for some or all of the points as described below:

The University of South Carolina has an approved Federalwide Assurance (FWA) with the Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP), (**FWA00000404**).

The University of South Carolina is a registered IRB Organization with OHRP, (**IORG0000142**).

The University of South Carolina IRB is registered with OHRP, (IRB00000240).

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