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Dr Diana Withrow  
University of Oxford

Dear Dr Withrow

Reference	OX333
Title	Analysis of survival from blood cancer in England
Chief Investigator(s)	Dr Diana Withrow
Date application submitted	16.08.2023
Date application approved	09.11.2023
Decision	Approve

Thank you for submitting your application to QResearch.

### Scientific Opinion

The members of the committee taking part in the review gave a favourable scientific opinion of the application on the basis of the application form and lay summary submitted to QResearch. The committee is satisfied that the research is appropriately designed in relation to its objectives and is likely to add something useful to existing knowledge in accordance with section 4.1.2 of the ethical conditions for QResearch.

<https://www.qresearch.org/media/1155/257790-18em0400-qresearch-conditions-of-ethical-approval-27122018.pdf>

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### Data Access

Subject to funding and relevant Data Sharing Agreements, the dataset requested will be provided to you.

### Approved documents

The documents reviewed were

Document	version	Date
Application form		16.08.2023
Lay Summary		16.08.2023
Data Specification		16.08.2023
Response to last review		03.11.2023

### Reviewing Members of the Committee

The members of the scientific committee who took part in the review are listed on the attached sheet.

### Annual Review and research outputs

We will contact you annually for an update on progress with your research.

### Amendments and changes in responsibility

Any changes to the protocol or responsibility of the applicants for the conduct of the research should be notified to [QResearch@phc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:QResearch@phc.ox.ac.uk)



Dr Paula Dhiman  
Chair of QResearch Scientific Committee

### Enclosures:

*List of names and professions of members who took part in the review  
Completed peer review forms*

*Copy to: Prof Julia Hippisley-Cox, Chief Investigator of QResearch.*

### Reviewing Members of the Committee

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