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Professor Julia Hippisley-Cox  
University of Oxford

Dear Professor Hippisley-Cox

Reference	OX309
Title	MAARS Multimodal Active Adaptive Risk Stratification for Cancer
Chief Investigator(s)	Prof Julia Hippisley-Cox
Date Scientific Committee	01.09.2022
Outcome	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		18.07.2022
Letter from applicants in response to last review		25.08.2022
Lay Summary		18.07.2022
Data Specification		18.07.2022

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Primary Care Research. Head of Department: Professor Richard Hobbs FRCGP FRCP FESC FMedSci



## 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.*

## Membership of the Committee

### Reviewing Members of the Committee

Name	Profession
Dr Paula Dhiman	Senior Researcher in Medical Statistics
Dr Brian McMillan	Clinical Senior Lecturer, GP
Dr Rebecca Harmston	Lay Member
Ms Jennifer Camaradou	Lay Member
Dr Hui Guo	Senior Lecturer in Biostatistics
Dr Koen Pouwels	Senior Researcher in Health Economics
Ms Polly Kerr	Patient and Public Involvement Manager
Dr Tom Ranger	Epidemiologist
Professor Paul Aveyard	Professor of Behavioural Medicine

### Also in attendance

Name	Position (or reason for attending)
Ms Claire Meadows	Secretariat
Ms Rebekah Burrow	Senior Research Data Manager
Dr Andrew Snelling	Senior Research Data Manager