

Hospital Clínico Universitario

**REPORT OF THE ETHICAL COMMITTEE OF CLINICAL RESEARCH OF THE HOSPITAL CLÍNICO  
UNIVERSITARIO OF VALENCIA**

Mr. Diego V. Cano Blanquer, secretary of the research ethics committee of the Hospital Clínico Universitario of Valencia.

CERTIFY

In this committee, at its meeting held on February 27, 2018, and as recorded in the minutes thereof, it has been analyzed the ethical and scientific aspects related to the research project entitled:

**Reduction of postoperative pulmonary complications by means of a ventilatory strategy of perioperative pulmonary opening in patients undergoing thoracic surgery.**

Which will be carried out in the Anesthesiology and Resuscitation service and whose principal investigator is the doctor Carlos Ferrando Ortolá, agreeing that it meets the appropriate characteristics regarding patient information and compliance with the ethical criteria for medical and biomedical research established in the **Declaration of Helsinki**, (June 1964, Helsinki, Finland), of the world medical assembly, and its revisions (October 1975, Tokyo, Japan), (October 1983, Venice, Italy), (September 1989, Hong Kong), (October 1996, Somerset West, South Africa), (October 2000, Edinburgh), (October 2008, Seoul, Korea), and (October 2013, Fortaleza, Brazil), and in the **Universal Declaration On The Human Genome** and **Universal Declaration Of Human Rights by UNESCO**, and the agreements of the **Additional Protocol of the Council of Europe for the protection of the rights of man and of the dignity of the human being in the face of the applications of biology and medicine** (Paris, 12-1-1998, ratified on 23-7-1999).

For what I certify for opportune purposes.

Valencia, February 27, 2018.



Fdo. : Mr. Diego V. Cano Blanquer  
Secretary Of The Clinical Research Ethics Committee

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CARLOS FERRANDO ORTOLÁ  
Anesthesiology and Resuscitation Service

Valencia, March 2, 2018

Dear Doctor Ferrando,

The reason for the notification is to inform you that in the last meeting of the ethics committee of the Valencian university clinical hospital on February 27, 2018, the project titled "Reduction of postoperative pulmonary complications by means of a ventilatory strategy of perioperative pulmonary opening in patients undergoing thoracic surgery." of which you are principal investigator.

In said evaluation, it was agreed to report favorably.

Likewise, you are informed that the legislation in force in investigations where you are going to proceed to take samples of patients, is the law 14/2007 of July 3, of Biomedical Research and these investigations must comply with said regulations.

If you require additional information, do not hesitate to contact the committee secretary.

Receive a warm greeting.



Dr. Marina Soro Domingo  
President Of The Research Ethics Committee