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Cairo University
Faculty of Medicine
Research Ethics Committee

NOTICE OF APPROVAL

Date: **8-6-2024**

Protocol title: **A single-center retrospective study evaluating the efficacy and safety of oral direct acting antivirals for the treatment of chronic HCV in Egyptian children and adolescents**

Principal investigator: **Dr. Hanaa Mostafa El-Karaksy**
Institution or organization: **Cairo University**

Decision: APPROVAL

Dear Dr. **Hanaa,**

The Research Ethics Committee **(REC)** has reviewed and **approved** the above-mentioned **protocol. You may begin your investigation**. Approval is granted for one year from the date of initial approval. At the end of this period as the principal investigator you will be asked to submit required documents for continuing review.

As principal investigator you will need to:

- Notify the REC Chair immediately after any **serious adverse events** experienced by participants of the investigational study or as reported to you by the sponsor/manufacturer/co- investigators.
- Submit End of trial notification at the end of trial.
- Submit Clinical study report at the end of trial.
- You may not initiate **changes** in approved research protocol without REC review and approval except where necessary to eliminate apparent immediate

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