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Institutional Review Board (IRB) Compliance Statement

The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) IRB, is duly constituted, fulfilling all requirements for diversity and has written procedures for initial and continuing review of human subjects research; prepares written minutes of convened meetings; and retains records pertaining to the review and approval process.

The UAMS IRB is organized and operates in compliance with DHHS regulations as described in 45 CFR part 46 (i.e., The Common Rule) and, after January 20, 2019, the Revised Common Rule and with FDA regulations as described in 21 CFR Parts 50 and 56.

The UAMS IRB is registered with OHRP and the FDA. The UAMS Federalwide Assurance number is FWA00001119 (expiring Sept. 10, 2024). The IRB committee registration numbers are IRB00000593, IRB00000742, IRB00000745, and IRB00004852, and IRB00012538. The parent organization number is IORG0000345. Since 2005, UAMS has been fully accredited by the Association for the Accreditation of Human Research Protection Programs (AAHRPP).

The UAMS IRB Rosters and all Policies and Procedures may be found on the IRB Web site, irb.uams.edu.

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