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No. HFW- H DRPGMC/ Ethics /2020/031

Dated: 25.06.2020

The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/31/2020) entitled “**Prevalence of hypertension and associated factors in OPD of primary care hospital at Chaned, district Chamba, Himachal Pradesh**” submitted by **Dr. Praveen Kumar**, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Pt. JLNGMC, Chamba, Himachal Pradesh, though IEC, Pt. JLNGMC, Chamba.

Decision: The committee approves the research work to be conducted in its present form.

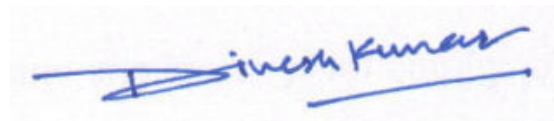
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No. HFW- H DRPGMC/ Ethics /2020/032

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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/32/2020) entitled “**Is coronavirus lockdown taking a toll on mental health of students of Government Medical College, Chamba, Himachal Pradesh? A study using WHOQOL-BREF Questionnaire**” submitted by **Dr. Sumit Chawla**, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Pt. JLNGMC, Chamba, Himachal Pradesh, though IEC, Pt. JLNGMC, Chamba.

Decision: The committee approves the research work to be conducted in its present form.

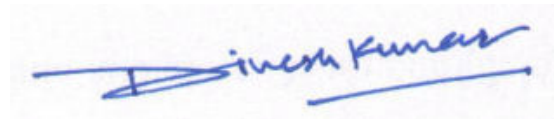
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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/33/2020) entitled “**Prevalence of non-alcoholic fatty liver and liver fibrosis in patients with psoriasis and healthy controls: a case control study**” submitted by **Dr. Vikram Mahajan**, Professor, Department of Dermatology, Venereology & Leprosy, Dr. RPGMC, Kangra at Tanda, Himachal Pradesh.

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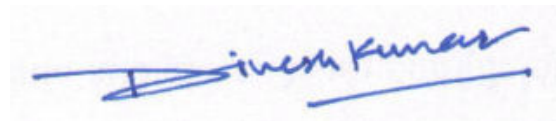
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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/34/2020) entitled “**Maternal and perinatal Health Research collaboration, India (MaatHRI): improving outcomes in pregnant women with anaemia**” submitted by **Dr. Ashok Verma**, Associate Professor, Department of OBG, Dr. RPGMC, Kangra at Tanda, Himachal Pradesh.

Decision: The committee approves the research work to be conducted in its present form.

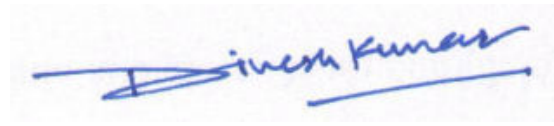
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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/35/2020) entitled “**Identification of monogenic and epigenetic defects in patients with common variable immunodeficiency (CVID) in India: A next generation sequencing based multicentric study from North India**” submitted by **Dr. Avinash Sharma**, Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, Dr. RPGMC, Kangra at Tanda, Himachal Pradesh.

Decision: The committee approves the research work to be conducted in its present form.

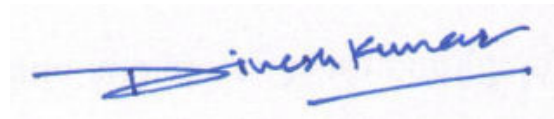
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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: **IEC/36/2020**) entitled **“Hydroxychloroquine prophylaxis acceptance and adherence among doctors and nurses”** submitted by **Dr. Sunil Kumar Raina**, Professor and Head, Department of Community Medicine, Dr. RPGMC, Kangra at Tanda, Himachal Pradesh.

Decision: The committee approves the research work to be conducted in its present form.

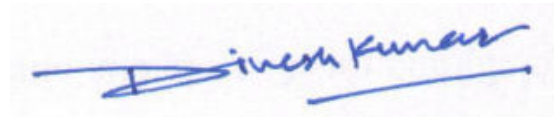
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The IEC of Dr. RPGMC reviewed and discussed the protocol (No: IEC/37/2020) entitled “ICMR-RUMC COVID-19 study for assessment of Prophylaxis for Health Care Workers” submitted by **Dr. Dinesh Kansal**, Professor and Head, Department of Pharmacology, Dr. RPGMC, Kangra at Tanda, Himachal Pradesh.

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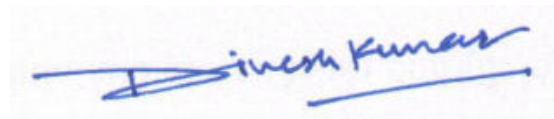
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