

Department of Health

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PERMISSION TO CONDUCT RESEARCH IN DEPARTMENTAL FACILITIES

Your Study Topic as indicated below;

The Sixth South African National HIV Prevalence, incidence, behaviour, and Communication survey, 2021

- 1. Permission to conduct research study as per your research proposal is hereby Granted.
- 2. Kindly note the following:
 - a. Present this letter of permission to the institution supervisor/s a week before the study is conducted.
 - b. In the course of your study, there should be no action that disrupts the routine services, or incur any cost on the Department.
 - c. After completion of study, it is mandatory that the findings should be submitted to the Department to serve as a resource.
 - d. The researcher should be prepared to assist in the interpretation and implementation of the study recommendation where possible.
 - e. The approval is only valid for a 1-year period.

Your cooperation will be highly appreciated

- f. If the proposal has been amended, a new approval should be sought from the Department of Health
- g. Kindly note that, the Department can withdraw the approval at any time.

Head of Department Date