

Waivers of Consent granted by MML HREC in 2022

Depending upon the circumstances of an individual project it may be justifiable to employ a waiver of the requirement for consent rather than seeking explicit consent. [National Statement Ch2.3]

It is the responsibility of each institution to make publicly accessible summary descriptions of all its research projects for which consent has been waived. [National Statement Sn2.3.12]

Waivers of consent were granted by the MML HREC [EC00332] for the following projects in 2022:

- Comparing Immune Related Adverse Events across Solid Tumour Malignancies
- Medicinal Cannabis (MedCan - DRIVE) – For contacting potential participants prior to consent.
- PTEN Deficiency in Metastatic Hormone Sensitive Prostate Cancer – A retrospective clinical cohort study.
- An observational study on the use of continuous parental cephazolin via a peripheral intravascular catheter through Mater Hospital in the Home
- Allergic Rhinitis, Sleep Disordered Breathing and RAST testing in North Queensland Children
- Determining the Prevalence of Domestic and Family Violence in a Youth Alcohol and Other Drug Setting: A Systematic Chart Review
- Anaemia in patients undergoing autologous breast reconstruction

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