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June 1, 2010

Biomedical Institutional Review Board  
Assurance No. FWA00005304

Lisa Cannada, MD  
Department of Orthopedic Surgery  
Saint Louis University  
Health Sciences Center

Re: IRB #16589  
Title: Operative versus Nonoperative Treatment of Humeral Shaft Fractures: A  
prospective Cohort Comparison Study

Dear Dr. Cannada:

The above-stated protocol was reviewed and approved by the Saint Louis University Institutional Review Board (IRB). Below are the specifics of approval:

Type of Review:	New (Expedited Review #5 & #7)
Board:	Biomedical # 1
Approval Date:	May 14, 2010
Approval Expiration Date:	May 13, 2011
Number of approved subjects:	16
Research Risk Level:	Minimal
HIPAA Compliance:	Authorization
Waiver of consent:	None

A copy of the approved consent form is attached. Please reproduce and use only this consent form.

The Saint Louis University Institutional Review Board complies with the regulations outlined in 45 CFR 46, 45 CFR 164, 21 CFR 50, and 21 CFR 56. The OHRP Federal Wide Assurance numbers for the Saint Louis University IRB is FWA00005304.

Sincerely,

FOR William Siler, Ph.D.  
Chairperson  
Institutional Review Board

cc: Berton Moed, MD