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ΠΡΟΣ: την Λέκτορα της
Ιατρικής Σχολής,
κα Σπούλου Βασιλική

Σας παραδίδουμε υπογεγραμμένο το Advance Associate Partner Agreement,
όπως μας ζητήθηκε με το υπ' αριθμ. πρωτοκόλλου 19108/2014 αίτημα.

Από τη Γραμματεία της Επιτροπής Ερευνών

Κλεοπάτρα Φάκλαρη

Κοινοποίηση: Γραμματεία Επιτροπής Ερευνών



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ADVANCE ASSOCIATE PARTNER AGREEMENT

ATHENS UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL (UOA), represented by Professor Theodosios Pelegrinis (Dean), agrees to become Associate Partner of the **ADVANCE Project** (Accelerated Development of VAccine beNefit-risk Collaboration in Europe), an IMI-JU funded Project with reference number 115557.

Associate Partners are interested legal entities which have not signed the ADVANCE Grant Agreement or the ADVANCE Project Agreement, but support and can participate in the ADVANCE Project Work Packages and as members of the **ADVANCE Forum**. Associate Partners mainly comprise public health and regulatory agencies, academic institutions, database owners/custodians, etc.

The ADVANCE Forum (AF) is a body of the ADVANCE governance structure, comprising all Participants in the Project, plus Associate Partners and it is open to the participation of other key stakeholders. The AF is a common space for wide communication on all aspects related to the Project. It is intended to provide a channel for discussing the different Project challenges, obtaining feedback from stakeholder groups, and facilitating community uptake of the ADVANCE results. All members of the AF will be encouraged to actively participate in the debates and provide feedback on the Project's achievements. The AF will not have any decision-making authority on the Project development *per se*; however, the nature of ADVANCE makes it nearly impossible that a long lasting impact is achieved in the area without extensive community buy-in. The AF will be key tool in the project, especially in relation to matters that may be more sensitive and/or can have a greater impact on the model for benefit-risk monitoring of vaccines in Europe. Due to its nature and expected size, the AF will mainly be implemented through electronic means; however, as far as possible, face-to-face gatherings of all AF members will also be promoted to facilitate interaction.

By agreeing to become an ADVANCE Associate Partner, Athens University Medical School (UOA) accepts the following rights and obligations:

- 1) Receiving updated information on ADVANCE activities and outcomes.
- 2) Receiving invitations to attend meetings of the ADVANCE Forum (travel expenses would be covered by the Project funding following the ADVANCE Reimbursement and Costs Policy - Annex I).
- 3) Being invited to participate in specific tasks of the Project work packages, under conditions to be agreed on a case-by-case basis. If necessary, travel expenses associated with participation in those tasks will be also covered by the project funding following the ADVANCE Reimbursement and Costs Policy (see Annex I).
- 4) In a case where participation in specific project activities in point 3) triggers the generation of specific project results, the same Intellectual Property Rights regime agreed for project beneficiaries in the ADVANCE Project Agreement will be extended to Associate Partners (see Annex II – Core text of the ADVANCE Project Agreement, clauses 11 to 18).

5) Keeping confidential all information related to ADVANCE unless explicitly authorized to divulge such information by the ADVANCE project Steering Committee. The conditions of clause 8 of the ADVANCE Project Agreement will be applicable to Associate Partners (see Annex II – Core text of the ADVANCE Project Agreement, clause 8).

6) Respecting the ADVANCE governance model established in the Project Agreement (see Annex II – Core text of the ADVANCE Project Agreement, clause 5), especially regarding the decision making processes.

Signature



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Date and place

Athens, 26.03.2014

