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Dear Professor Costa

**Study title:** UK Study of tendo Achilles Rehabilitation – multicentre randomised clinical trial  
**REC reference:** 16/SC/0109  
**IRAS project ID:** 163094

Thank you for your letter of 5<sup>th</sup> April 2016. I can confirm the REC has received the documents listed below and that these comply with the approval conditions detailed in our letter dated 18 March 2016

**Documents received**

The documents received were as follows:

<i>Document</i>	<i>Version</i>	<i>Date</i>
Participant information sheet (PIS) [STAR PIS]	1.1	04 April 2016

**Approved documents**

The final list of approved documentation for the study is therefore as follows:

<i>Document</i>	<i>Version</i>	<i>Date</i>
Evidence of Sponsor insurance or indemnity (non NHS Sponsors only) [Insurance University of Oxford]		
GP/consultant information sheets or letters [GP letter for consultee agreement]	1.0	13 January 2016
IRAS Checklist XML [Checklist_05042016]		05 April 2016

Letter from funder [Funder letter]		15 April 2016
Letter from sponsor [sponsor letter]		27 January 2016
Letters of invitation to participant [Cover letter]	1.0	15 January 2016
Other [Physiotherapy Advice Sheet]	1.0	01 February 2016
Participant consent form [Consent form]	1.0	13 January 2016
Participant information sheet (PIS) [STAR PIS]	1.1	04 April 2016
REC Application Form [REC_Form_28012016]		28 January 2016
Research protocol or project proposal [STAR protocol]	1.0	27 January 2016
Summary CV for Chief Investigator (CI) [CI CV]		01 May 2015
Validated questionnaire [ATRS]		
Validated questionnaire [EQ-5D]		

You should ensure that the sponsor has a copy of the final documentation for the study. It is the sponsor's responsibility to ensure that the documentation is made available to R&D offices at all participating sites.

<b>16/SC/0109</b>	<b>Please quote this number on all correspondence</b>
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Yours sincerely



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