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לשכת מנהל המרכז הרפואי

To All Members of the Staff of the Medical Center:

The Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center (TASMC) and the Medical Research and Infrastructure of TASMC (FUND) strongly encourage research projects within the medical center and fully appreciate their importance to the development of innovative medical approaches and the striving for medical excellence for the advancement of patient care.

In order for the medical research to achieve its goals, it is of utmost importance to perform all steps of the research with painstaking accuracy. Conducting research according to less than the highest possible standards reflects poorly on the reputation of our Medical Center and Medical Research Fund, affecting both our contractual obligations to third parties and, even worse, our credibility towards our patients.

The medical scientific community cannot tolerate any misconduct in medical research, such as alteration of results, misuse of data, fraud, non-reporting of data, use of information or expertise of others without their prior consent, or any other behavior which is not in accordance with the law or the highest scientific standards.

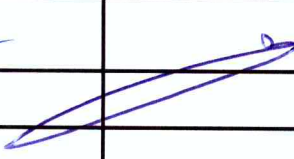
We wish to emphasize that any knowledge or cover-up of inappropriate behavior is no less serious as actually being guilty of performing it.

TASMC and FUND expect that all those working in research do so honestly, fairly and according to the highest standards of scientific integrity, without exception. Furthermore, members of the staff of TASMC and FUND are required to immediately notify the Research & Development Division of TASMC about any suspicion of misconduct as described above. Misconduct is considered a breach of confidence towards TASMC, the FUND and the patients in our care.

TASMC and FUND will take any and all active measures that are feasible and within their legal rights, to flush out acts of misconduct and call to account those guilty of committing them as well as those concealing such acts. TASMC and FUND may also bring to a halt the research activity of an individual found to have acted inappropriately or to have concealed inappropriate activity, and take active steps as defined in the regulations by the Ministry of Health, such as terminating employment, filing a lawsuit for damages, or reporting of the misconduct to other research institutes and, if applicable, to regulatory and legal agencies.

The TASMC and FUND management wish to make it abundantly clear that they have full confidence and enormous pride in the members of their research staff. This circular is meant to make the management's position clear, and is not the result of the receipt of any information of wrongdoing

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