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RE: Notice of JH AITC Pilot Funding Confirmation

Dear Philip Cola,

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that your pilot application entitled, "Feasibility and Acceptability of a Robotic Assistant for Early-Stage ADRD Care" has been approved by NIA for funding. ***Please be aware that acceptance up to this point does not mean the award and contract is finalized by Johns Hopkins University Research Administration. Do not begin work on this project until you receive your finalized welcome package signed by University officials.*** Please note that this process can take up to several weeks (or more) depending on your cooperation and completion **of sending all required documentation as required upfront**. Our Financial Manager, Lauren Pobletts, will be reaching out to walk you through the steps to finalize your cost reimbursable agreement/contract.

As a stipulation of receiving and maintaining this award, **please note that you are required to:**

1. Meet with the AITC Pilot Core A or B mentors to review the expectations and procedures and to discuss engagement with the AITC resource cores.
2. Submit a quarterly written progress report based on the aims defined in your proposal and the measurements of success defined by the AITC.
3. Attend AITC research and educational forums, including the national AITC symposium in April, 2025 in Boston, MA.
4. The development of a case study that includes an impact statement to report on the developments from this study.
5. The development of a plan for further external funding.
6. Participation in pre-competitive, non-proprietary data sharing through a Collective-controlled data commons of de-identified clinical and biomedical source data (not algorithms) for AI inference.

Your study must receive full IRB approval before study initiation. Please review IRB instructions and send confirmation of IRB approval to the AITC Research Coordinator (ccosard1@jh.edu). If your study involves human subjects, you are also required to provide and adhere to a study-specific Data Safety Monitoring Plan, and you will need to follow the proper reporting guidelines to AITC leadership, the IRB, and the NIA Program Administrator.

For any manuscripts, grants, posters, presentations or publications that result from your grant, the AITC must approve and should be acknowledged as follows: Funds to support this AITC study were provided by the Johns Hopkins University AITC under award number P30AG073104. NIH Public Access Policy (<http://publicaccess.nih.gov>) requires scientists to submit final peer-reviewed journal manuscripts that arise from NIH funds to PubMed Central immediately upon acceptance for publication. Please send all information, including

PMCID or NIHMS number (indicating compliance), for all publications to us for inclusion in the annual progress reports for this grant.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Ann Wiker, AITC Research Program Manager at 410-550-4798 or by email at [awiker@jhu.edu](mailto:awiker@jhu.edu). We look forward to working closely with you.

Sincerely,



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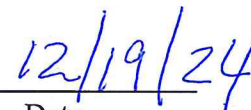
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To be completed by the awardee and emailed to [awiker@jhu.edu](mailto:awiker@jhu.edu):

I have carefully reviewed and I accept the conditions of this award, as outlined in this Notice of Award letter.

  
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Signature of awardee

  
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Date