**Sunway Medical Centre Independent Research Ethics Committee (SREC)**

**GENETIC RESEARCH CHECKLIST**

*(This Checklist need not be submitted when submitting application)*

**additional checklist for research projects involving genetic tests**

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|  | **Element** |  | |
|  |  | Yes | No |
| 1 | Does the trial carry significant psychological and/or social risks? |  |  |
| 2 | Does the trial carry risks to insurability? |  |  |
| 3 | Does the trial carry risks to family life?  *(e.g.: incidental generation of information about paternity)* |  |  |
| 4 | Does the trial carry risks to life plans?  *(e.g.: from discovery of previously unknown but possibly stigmatizing conditions)* |  |  |

Note: If you answered ‘Yes’ to any of these questions, please clearly delineate the risks in the proposal or protocol, and address how you will seek to minimize them.