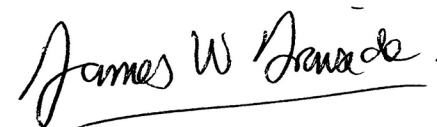


NHS Research Scotland (NRS) Lothian  
**CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION**  
**01/02/23-31/01/26**

We confirm NRS Lothian Biorepository working on behalf of NHS Lothian has met the NRS Accreditation Standards. The Accreditation period lasts for 3 years and is subject to an Annual Declaration of Compliance.



Stephen Kelly PhD,  
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Professor James Ironside,  
Chair, Independent Expert Panel

*Human Tissue legislation in Scotland differs from that in the rest of the UK. The NRS Biorepositories are therefore accredited by an Independent Expert Panel using criteria comparable to those for research tissue bank licensing in England, Wales and Northern Ireland by the Human Tissue Authority.*