

CHAPTER IV

ETHICAL CONSIDERATION

As both levels of each factor (using or not using PNS/vecuronium and pancuronium) are currently used in anesthetic practice in Thailand, there is no ethical problem in randomization of the interventions. Even though the cost of each intervention will be different but all these cost will be born by the research fund or the hospital, so these will not be the burden for the patients.

The knowledge gained from this study will be useful especially in Thai anesthetic practice as we are in the position that we can evaluate the new technologies (new drug and equipment) before accepting them.

This study is approved by Committee on Human Rights Related to Research Involving Human Subjects, Faculty of Medicine, Siriraj Hospital, Mahidol University (Documentary No. 14/1994).