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ARTICLE DETAILS

TITLE (PROVISIONAL)	Body composition and chemotherapy toxicity in women with early breast cancer (CANDO-3): Protocol for an observational cohort study
AUTHORS	Durkin, Kesta; Heetun, Adam; Ewings, Sean; Munday, Richard; Wootton, Stephen; Turner, Lesley; Copson, Ellen; CANDO-3, Steering Group; Cutress, RI

VERSION 1 – REVIEW

REVIEWER	Ye Won Jeon
REVIEW RETURNED	04-Aug-2021

GENERAL COMMENTS	The relationship between Body composition and Breast cancer (incidence, treatment related toxicity, and outcomes) is an emerging topic in breast cancer research. This study protocol is suitable for the research that explores the relationships between body composition measured through segmental bioelectrical impedance analysis (sBIA; using the Seca mBCA 515) and chemotherapy toxicity.
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REVIEWER	Brenda Cartmel Yale University School of Public Health
REVIEW RETURNED	11-Aug-2021

GENERAL COMMENTS	This is a very well written protocol paper. I have no comments.
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