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Sent: Monday, September 12, 2005 12:04 PM
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Subject: RE: terminology

DSS:

2 diff variables [(mg/24h) and (mg/cig)] as defined in Sections 8.10.3.3.1 and 8.10.3.3.1.1. Talk to Maureen or Eileen if still confusing.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Studnitz, Erica Von [mailto:Erica.Von.Studnitz@mdsinc.com]
Sent: Friday, September 09, 2005 5:23 PM
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Barbara:

Please excuse my ignorance in this regard but I see 2 terms used in the report:

NE Ae_{24h} (mg/24hr)

And

cigarette-adjusted NE Ae_{24h} (mg/cig)

are these 2 different variables, or should the first be changed to the later?

Again I would suggest that the specific variable terms be added to the list of biomarkers and included in the description of the analytical methods. Let me know what you think

Thanks

Erica

From: Barbara.K.Zedler@pmusa.com [mailto:Barbara.K.Zedler@pmusa.com]
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Erica, the correct term is highlighted below. I am unsure to what you are referring re creat. Perhaps that and the last issue will be clarified when reading this latest version I just sent you. If NOT, pls call me so we can discuss. Thanks.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Studnitz, Erica Von [mailto:Erica.Von.Studnitz@mdsinc.com]
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Barabara:

I could use some clarification from you regarding the correct naming of terms in the results section of the report.

You had requested "cigarette-adjusted NE Ae_{24h} (mg/cig)" [changed from "NE Ae_{24h} (mg/cig)"] however, elsewhere (in your memo for example) I have seen the term "cigarette-adjusted NE Ae_{24h} (mg/24hr)" So is the parenthesis part of the term (mg/cig) or (mg/24hr)? If it can be either depending on the context can you help clarify for me the proper contextual usage?

Also for the creatinine results I see several different terms used in the text and tables. Please let me know which is correct/preferred so I can make the corrections accordingly.

Also I wonder if we should not include the precise terms for this data in the Statistical Methods section of the report so it is clear which variables were analyzed. As a new reader it is not entirely clear to me although I am sure it is to those that have worked extensively on the study.

Thanks for your feedback.

Hope you have an enjoyable holiday.

Erica