

# **Informed Consent Statement for Research Participation**

**Title of the Study:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Principal Investigator:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Introduction**

You are being invited to participate in a research study. Before you decide, it is important for you to understand why the research is being done and what your participation will involve. Please read the following information carefully and ask questions if you require more details.

## **Purpose of the Study**

The purpose of this research study is to \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Procedures**

If you agree to participate, you will be asked to:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

## **Risks and Discomforts**

The potential risks and discomforts include: \_\_\_\_\_

If you experience any discomfort, you have the right to withdraw at any time.

## **Benefits**

The potential benefits of participating include: \_\_\_\_\_

However, there may be no direct benefit to you.

## **Voluntary Participation & Withdrawal**

Your participation is completely voluntary. You may withdraw from the study at any time without penalty or loss of benefits.

## **Confidentiality**

All information collected in this study will be kept strictly confidential. Your identity will not be revealed in any reports or publications resulting from this study.

## **Contact Information**

If you have any questions or concerns about this research, please contact:

**Researcher Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Consent**

I have read and understood the information provided above. I voluntarily agree to participate in this research study.

Participant Name

Date

Signature

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### **Important Notes:**

- This document should always be written in clear, easily understood language.
- Participants must be given sufficient time to review and ask questions before signing.
- Informed consent is an ongoing process, not a one-time event.
- Consent forms must comply with relevant institutional and legal requirements.
- A copy of the signed document should be provided to the participant.