**Project Title**

**Participant Consent Form**

(one copy to be retained by the Research Participant and one copy to be retained by the Researcher)

I (participant’s name) consent to being a participant in the above named research project, and I attest to the following:

1. I have been fully informed of the purpose and aims of this project
2. I understand the nature of my participation
3. I understand the benefits that may be derived from this project
4. I understand that I may review my contribution at any time without penalty
5. I understand that I will be treated respectfully, fairly, and honestly by the Researcher(s), and I agree to treat the other participants in the same way
6. I understand that I will be offered the opportunity to debrief during, or at the conclusion of this project
7. I have been informed of any potentially harmful consequences to me of taking part in this project
8. I understand that my participation in this project is voluntary and that I may withdraw from the project at any time (without any penalties)
9. I understand that my anonymity and privacy are guaranteed, expect where I consent to waive them
10. I understand that information gathered from me will be treated confidentially, except where I consent to waive confidentiality
11. I agree to maintain the anonymity and privacy of other participants, and the confidentiality of the information they contribute
12. I understand that the information gathered may be used for publication i.e., journal, conference

Participant:

Date:

Principal Researcher:

Date: