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**Sample Consent Form – all headings/content must be included in a Consent From**

**Title of Evidence Based Practice or Research Study:**

**Invitation:**

**Why are you being asked to be in this study?**

**Why are we doing this study?**

**What will be done during the study?**

**What are the possible risks of being in this research study?**

**What are the possible benefits to you?**

**What are the alternatives to being in this research study?**

**What will being in this research study cost you?**

**Will you be paid for being in this research study?**

**How will health information about you be protected?**

**What will happen if you decide not to be in this research study?**

**What will happen if you decide to stop participating once you start the study?**

**Documentation of informed consent:** You are freely making a decision whether to be in this research study. Signing this form means that:

* You have had the consent form explained to you.
* You have read and understand this consent form.
* You have had your questions answered.
* You have voluntarily decided to participate in this research study.
* If you have questions, you have talked with or been directed to talk to one of the investigators listed below on this consent form.
* You will be given a dated and signed copy of this consent form to keep.

If at any time you have questions concerning your rights as a research subject or about this study, you may call the Methodist Hospital Institutional Review Board (IRB) at 402-354-4035.

I acknowledge that I have received a personal dated and signed copy of this \_\_\_ page

Consent form. Copy received: \_\_\_\_ **(Initials)**

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Signature of Subject Date

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Signature of Investigator obtaining consent Date

**Primary Investigator: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Secondary Investigators: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

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