### INFORMED CONSENT FORM

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| PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR |  | | | | |
| PROJECT TITLE: |  | | | | |
| COLLEGE: |  | | | | |
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| I understand the aim of this research study is **“insert aim here”.** I consent to participate in this project, the details of which have been explained to me, and I have been provided with a written information sheet to keep. | | | | | |
| I understand that my participation will involve an *(insert consent item here, e.g.* interview, questionnaire and focus group*)* and I agree that the researcher may use the results as described in the information sheet. | | | | | |
| I acknowledge that: | | | | | |
| **IF A LOW RISK STUDY WITH NO RISK OF DISTRESS– THIS DOT POINT IS NOT REQUIRED**   * any risks and possible effects of participating in the ***(insert consent item here)*** have been explained to my satisfaction; | | | | | |
| * taking part in this study is voluntary and I am aware that I can stop taking part in it at any time without explanation or prejudice and to withdraw any unprocessed data I have provided; | | | | | |
| * that any information I give will be kept strictly confidential/anonymous and that no names will be used to identify me with this study without my approval; | | | | | |
| * confidentiality cannot be assured in focus groups. **(Please remove if not relevant)** | | | | | |
| *(Please tick to indicate consent)*  **EXAMPLES ONLY: PLEASE DELETE ITEMS NOT RELEVANT TO YOUR PROJECT AND INSERT ITEMS WHICH ARE RELEVANT** | | | | | |
| **I consent to be interviewed** | |  | **Yes** |  | **No** |
| **I consent for the interview to be audio taped** | |  | **Yes** |  | **No** |
| **I consent to complete a questionnaire** | |  | **Yes** |  | **No** |
| **I consent to participate in a focus group** | |  | **Yes** |  | **No** |

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| **Name:** *(printed)* | |
| **Signature:** | **Date:** |