





PARTICIPANT CONSENT FORM – INTERVIEW

Please tick the boxes below to show that you consent to the following:

I confirm that I have read and understood the information sheet about the study. I have had the opportunity to think about the information, ask questions about the research and the Research Team have answered these questions satisfactorily				
I understand that my participation is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw before the conclusion of the research without giving any reason. I understand I must withdraw within 90 days from the interview and should communicate this decision via email to the research team. After this date, you may withdraw from the research but some information might have been published. However, we shall remove all data from any remaining subsequent publications from the date you confirm your withdrawal.				
I agree to take part in an interview for this project and consent to the University of Birmingham keeping an audio record of the group discussion. I understand that the data will be stored on an encrypted device and then transferred to the University of Birmingham's secure server. The University of Birmingham will destroy my personal data 10 years after the completion of the project (September 2018)				
I understand that the personal details I provide will remain confidential. I also understand that the interview I am about to take part in will be transcribed and potentially used in the research report and future research-based publications, however the Research Team will treat data confidentially so quotes cannot be attributed to me personally.				
I understand that the personal data provided by me will not be used for any other purpose and that the University of Birmingham will not disclose my personal data to any third parties.				
I consent to the processing of the information I give you for the purposes of this research study. I understand that such information will be treated as strictly confidential and handled in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998.				
I understand that if I have any concerns or complaints about the study, I can contact the Head of Department who is not involved in this project.				
I understand that this project has been reviewed by, and received ethics clearance through, the University of Birmingham Research Ethics Committee.				
Participant				
Name:	Signature		Date:	
Name of person taking consent				
Name:	Signature		Date:	
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Respondent ID (office use only)