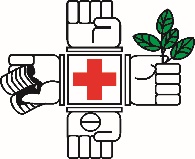
**CONSENT FORM FOR PARTICIPANTS IN RESEARCH STUDIES**

**Please complete this form after you have read the Information Sheet and/or listened to an explanation about the research.**

**Title of Study:** Practices, regulation and accountability in the evolving private healthcare sector: lessons from Maharashtra State, India

**King’s College Research Ethics Committee Ref:** 4659

**Anusandhan Trust Institutional Ethics Committee**

Thank you for considering taking part in this research. The person organising the research must explain the project to you before you agree to take part. If you have any questions arising from the Information Sheet or explanation already given to you, please ask for clarifications from the researcher before you decide whether to participate. You will be given a copy of this Consent Form to keep and refer to at any time.

**Please tick or initial**

**I confirm that I understand that by ticking/initialling each box I am consenting to this element of the study. I understand that it will be assumed that unticked/uninitialled boxes mean that I DO NOT consent to that part of the study.**

1. I confirm that I have read and understood the information sheet dated 03/05/17 for the above study. I have had the opportunity to consider the information and asked questions which have been answered satisfactorily.
2. I understand that I will be able to withdraw all or part of my information up to 30/06/18
3. I consent to the processing of my interview for the purposes explained to me. I understand that any personal information will be handled in accordance with the terms of the UK Data Protection Act 1998.
4. I understand that my information may be subject to review by responsible individuals from King’s College London and SATHI Pune, for monitoring and audit purposes.
5. Anonymity is optional for this research. Please select from the following options which are explained in the information sheet:
   1. I agree to be fully identified
   2. I agree to partial identification
6. I agree that the research team may use my data for future research and understand that any such use of identifiable data would be reviewed and approved by a research ethics committee.
7. I consent to my interview being audio recorded.

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**Name of Participant Date Signature**

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**Name of Researcher Date Signature**