

HEALTH CARE Human Research Protections Program



## **Consenting Process & Documentation Checklist**

Subject Name		DOB	Subject ID	
Study Title				
Instructions: Review each consent form and answer the following questions to ensure your consent process was performed and documented*. Only research staff that have completed required training, received MHC IRB approval and delegated by the primary investigator can perform the consenting process.				
Consent Process Actions MHC_RP0115				
Subject has a LAR: Subject is a child and the parent is consenting for child <u>AND</u> child is assenting if age appropriate with IRB approved assent form. Parent(s) name:				
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR was given a copy of the most recent IRB approved ICF and HIPAA authorization to read?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR offered to take ICF/HIPAA authorization home to read and return for a later discussion?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR was given adequate time to read the ICF/HIPAA authorization in a quiet location:			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR was given time to discuss the study with others who were present during the consent process. Persons allowed by subject/LAR to be present:			
□Yes □ No □ NA	The consent was reviewed with the subject/LAR page by page, in a language the subject could understand? The following items were reviewed with the subject, but were not limited to: <ul> <li>Purpose of the study, including the investigational nature and follow-up requirements</li> <li>Risks and benefits</li> <li>Alternative options of treatment</li> <li>Right to withdraw without penalty</li> <li>Participation voluntary</li> <li>Confidentiality and HIPAA privacy authorization</li> </ul>			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR was directed to section on ICF about contacting the IRB and Principal Investigator should he/she later have questions and/or complaints?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR was questioned for understanding using open-ended questions and was consented in a private area in order to maintain confidentiality?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	All of the subject/LAR questions were answered?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Subject/LAR voluntarily agreed to participate in research study without undue influence?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	ICF/HIPAA authorization was signed and dated (and initialed and timed if indicated on consent) by the subject and/or legally authorized representative and approved study personnel?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	If ICF has a signature line for witness, the witness signed and dated ICF? [the witness must be impartial (someone not connected with the research or the study team]			
Yes No NA	ICF/HIPAA authorization has no modifications or strike-through. The research staff did not hand-write or adds to ICF/HIPAA to reflect change in content of IRB approved forms.			
□Yes □ No □ NA	A copy of the signed completed ICF/HIPAA authorization was <i>given</i> to the subject/LAR?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	Consent process was completed before any study procedures performed?			
□Yes □ No □ NA	The date the subject, witness, and person authorized to obtain informed consent signed the ICF was the same date? If not, please explain*			

Attach additional notes if necessary.



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Signature and Title of Person Obtaining Consent

Date