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Please utilize these two forms to request to waive documentation of informed consent (page 1) or request to waive informed consent (page 2). While documentation of informed consent may be granted, the IRB still requires researchers to submit the consent language that they will be providing subjects.

Title of Study:	
Principal Investigator:	**Co-Investigator:**
WAIVER OF DOCUMENTATION OF INFORMED CONSENT: Please note to waive this requirement **at least one** of the criterion must be met (see 45 CFR 46.117(c)(1)). **N/A** ☐	
☐	The only record linking the subject to the research would be the consent document and the principal risk of the research would be a potential harm resulting from a breach of confidentiality. **Note**: If this criterion is met, each subject must still be asked whether the subject wants to document consent and the subject's wishes must govern.
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
☐	The research presents no more than minimal risk of harm to subjects and involves no procedures for which written consent is normally required outside of the research context (e.g., diagnostic tests).
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
☐	If the subjects or legally authorized representatives are members of a distinct cultural group or community in which signing forms is not the norm, that the research presents no more than minimal risk of harm to subjects **AND** provided there is an appropriate alternative mechanism for documenting that informed consent was obtained.
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
Principal Investigator's Signature:	**Date:**

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WAIVER OF INFORMED CONSENT A waiver can only be granted if all of the following criteria are met (see 46.116(f)(3)). **N/A** ☐	
☐	The research involves **no more than minimal risk** to subjects
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
☐	The research **could not practicably be carried out** without the waiver or alteration
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
☐	If the research involves **using identifiable private information or identifiable biospecimens**, the research could not practicably be carried out without using such information or biospecimens in an identifiable format
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met: ☐ **N/A**
☐	The waiver or alteration **will not adversely affec**t the rights and welfare of the subjects
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
☐	Whenever appropriate, the subjects or legally authorized representatives will be provided **with additional pertinent information** after participation
	Please provide rationale for how this criterion is met:
Prinvipal Investigator's Signature:	**Date:**