

## ATTESTATION FOR ETHICAL CONSIDERATION

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_ Author/s' name \_\_\_\_\_ hereby attest that:

1. I/We have conducted this research in accordance with the ethical principles of beneficence, non-maleficence, respect, honesty, integrity and transparency.
2. I/We have obtained the necessary approvals and permissions from relevant authorities (author/s may enumerate).
3. I/We have ensured the confidentiality, anonymity and privacy of all the participants, and have protected their personal data in accordance with the relevant laws and regulations.
4. I/We have avoided any harm or risk to participants and have ensured that they have provided informed consent prior to participating in the research.
5. I/We have accurately reported the methods, procedures, and results of the research and have not engaged in any form of falsification, fabrication or plagiarism.
6. I/We have acknowledged the contributions of all individuals who have assisted in the conduct of this research.

I/We understand that any breach of these principles may result in serious consequences, including but not limited to loss of credibility, damage to reputation, and disciplinary action.

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(Researcher/s' Signature over printed name/Date signed)

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