**INFORMATION SHEET FOR CONSENT**

**TO PARTICIPATE IN A RESEARCH STUDY (Template)**

My name is name, and I am Title in the Unit at the University of Macau. I am requesting your volunteer to participate in a research study titled “Title.” You were selected as a possible participant because you are Explain. Please read this information sheet and contact me to ask any questions that you may have before agreeing to take part in this study.

**Purpose of the Research Study:** The purpose of this study is to Explain

**Procedures:** If you agree to be in this study, you will be asked to do the following things: List and explain

**Risks and Benefits of Being in the Study:** The study has the following risks. Explain

**Compensation:** You may be compensated for your time and participation in this study. Explain.

**Voluntary Nature of the Study:** Participation in this study is voluntary. Your decision whether or not to participate will not result in penalty or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled. If you decide to participate, you are free to not answer any question or discontinue participation at any time without penalty, or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled.

**Length of Participation:** The study will take Time to complete. If unforeseen circumstances arise such that either you or the researcher cannot complete the interview in one setting, we may arrange a second or subsequent meeting to complete the survey.

**Confidentiality:** The records of this study will be kept private and your supervisor will not have access to your responses. In published reports, there will be no information included that will make it possible to identify you as a research participant. Research records will be stored securely. All data be kept on password protected computers in the researcher’s laboratory. Written documents will be kept in the researcher’s possession. Only approved researchers will have access to the records.

**Contacts and Questions:** If you have concerns or complaints about the research, the researcher(s) conducting this study can be contacted at Tel: Tel number, Email: Email address or at this website: web address. In the event of a research-related injury, please contact the researcher(s). You are encouraged to contact the researcher(s) if you have any questions. If you have any questions, concerns, or complaints about the research or about your rights and wish to talk to someone other than the individuals in the research team, or if you cannot reach the research team, you may contact Information here.

*Please keep this information sheet for your records.* ***By completing and submitting this questionnaire, I am agreeing to participate in this study.***