



## Consent Not Requiring Signature: Participation in a Research Study

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**Title of Study:** *Perceptions and Attitudes of Coronavirus, IRB # 20-200E*

**Principal Investigator:** Richard Harris, Ph.D.

### ***Purpose of the Study and Your Involvement:***

You have been asked to participate in a research study about the novel coronavirus pandemic. The purpose of the study is to understand your perceptions and attitudes about the coronavirus pandemic. We invite you to take part in a research study because you are 18 years or older and a resident of Bexar County and/or San Antonio, Texas.

### ***Participation in the Study:***

- Whether or not you take part is up to you.
- Participation is totally voluntary.
- You can agree to take part in the study and later change your mind.
- Your decision not to participate will not be held against you.
- You may ask all the questions you want about the study before you decide.

### ***Contact Information:***

If you have questions, concerns, complaints, or think the research has harmed you, you may talk to the research team at: Richard Harris, Ph.D. or Roger Enriquez, J.D. at [psc@utsa.edu](mailto:psc@utsa.edu) or 210-458-2691.

This research is being overseen by an Institutional Review Board (“IRB”). You may also talk to them at (210) 458-6473 or [IRB@utsa.edu](mailto:IRB@utsa.edu) if you have questions regarding your rights as a research participant or other questions, concerns, or complaints.

### ***Participant Role in the Research Study:***

If you agree to participate in this study, you will be asked to participate in a one-time 5 minute online survey. We will be asking about your attitudes and perceptions on the coronavirus pandemic and demographical information. Identifying information will not be collected.

### ***Risk, Benefits, Costs, and Compensation for Participation:***

There are no reasonably expected risks associated with participation. There are no costs or compensation for participation.

### ***Participant Privacy and Research Record Confidentiality:***

The data will not contain anything to connect your identity with your information. Your research records will not be released without your consent unless required by law or a court order. Your records may be viewed by the Institutional Review Board, but the confidentiality of your records will be protected to the extent permitted by law. The data resulting from your participation may be used in publications and/or presentations but your identity will not be disclosed.

**This form is yours to keep.**