

**State Science and Engineering Fair of Florida**  
**Verification of Informed Consent Form (VICF)**  
**For a Human Participants Research Study**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ verify that \_\_\_\_\_  
(Adult Sponsor) (Student Researcher)

has collected \_\_\_\_\_ accurately signed and dated informed consent/assent forms for the research project for the \_\_\_\_\_ academic year.

**Attached is a photocopy of the earliest signed consent form with the names and signatures blacked out, but with dates showing.**

**Storage:**

All consent forms will be stored by the Adult Sponsor for a period of three years as follows: (choose one)

- \_\_\_ Electronic copies will be stored on a password protected external drive.
- \_\_\_ Physical copies will be stored in a locked storage cabinet.

**Disposal:**

After three years all consent forms will be destroyed by (choose one):

- \_\_\_ Deleting the files and emptying the trash
- \_\_\_ Shredding of physical copies
- \_\_\_ Incineration of physical copies

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Student Researcher Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Adult Sponsor Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**