Attachment 3b Multi-Site HIV Testing in Mental Health Settings: Consent Questionnaire

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INTERVIEWER: ASK THESE QUESTIONS OF ALL PARTICIPANTS AFTER REVIEWING THE INFORMED CONSENT FORM BUT <u>PRIOR</u> TO SIGNING IT.

Now I'm going to ask you a few questions about the consent form to make sure that everything I described was clear.

- 1. <u>The purpose of this study is to better understand:</u>
 - a. How medications work
 - b. Find out more about offering rapid testing for HIV.
 - c. How people get along with their family members
- 2. <u>If I agree to participate, I am agreeing to:</u>
 - a. Get tested for HIV and complete an interview
 - b. Participate in five interviews
 - c. Participate in an in-depth interview
- 3. <u>I can refuse to answer any questions that make me feel uncomfortable.</u>
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 4. If I agree to participate my treatment may be affected
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 5. <u>The interview will take:</u>
 - a. 10 minutes
 - b. 45 minutes
 - c. Four hours
- 6. <u>I know that I can withdraw at any time without penalty</u>
 - a. True
 - b. False

- 7. <u>I know that a positive HIV test will result in my name being reported to the Health</u> <u>Department</u>
 - a. True
 - b. False

SCORING:

Question Number	Correct Initially? (Y/N)	Number of times re-explained? (0-2) **	Competent? (Y/N) **
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** Interviewer: If on any question the content is re-explained two (2) times and the respondent still does not answer correctly then the respondent is incompetent to proceed and should not be interviewed at this time.

Signature of Staff Member

Date