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Statement of Consent for Semi-Structured Aptitude Questionnaire

PURPOSE

You are invited to take part in an evaluation project conducted by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Division of Global Migration and Quarantine (DGMQ), which houses the Panel Physicians' Quality Assessment Program (QAP).

The purpose of this evaluation is to assess our educational materials. In particular, we will look at ways to improve access to information and technical instructions for vaccines, tuberculosis, mental health, and sexually transmitted infections guidelines. We will also assess the content of our materials and the Panel Physician Portal.

PROCEDURES

The pre-knowledge aptitude survey will be administered to collect basic demographic information. It should take no longer than 15 minutes to complete online. You do not have to answer any question that you feel uncomfortable with.

RISKS / DISCOMFORTS

There is little, if any, risk to you by taking part in this evaluation. Your contact information will be stored separately from any collected data. We will not include any identifying information, such as your name, in any documents related to the evaluation. You will not be named in any reports that are written on the basis of this research. Only the members of the research team will have access to this information, and they will not be allowed to share it with anyone else. Your status as a panel physician will not be affected by your choice to participate or not participate in this evaluation.

BENEFITS

The benefit of the present evaluation is that it will help the CDC improve reference materials for panel physicians and it will help us learn more about effective methods for communicating complex health information to physicians,

VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION

You do not have to agree to be in this evaluation. Participation is completely voluntary and you may change your mind or withdraw at any time. Your status as a panel physician will not be affected by participation or non-participation in this evaluation. Your responses will remain confidential and anonymous.

Call or email the Principal Investigator, Erica Felker-Kantor, at 1-404-639-7278® or wvh1@cdec.gov if you have questions or concerns about being in this evaluation.

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