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**INDividualised EXercise approach for people with chronic low back pain (INDEX study): The development of an enhanced EMG biofeedback app**

**Consent Form**

If you are happy to participate, please complete and sign the consent form below.

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|  | **Activities** | Initials |
| 1 | I confirm that I have read the attached information sheet (**Version XX, Date dd/04/2022**) for the above study and have had the opportunity to consider the information and ask questions and had these answered satisfactorily. |  |
| 2 | I understand that my participation in the study is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw at any time without giving a reason and without detriment to myself. I understand that it will not be possible to remove my data from the project once it has been anonymised and forms part of the data set.  I agree to take part on this basis. |  |
| 3 | I agree to the **interviews** being **audio / video recorded (delete as appropriate)**. |  |
| 4 | I agree that **pictures of my face** may be used **in/for** **publications/conference presentations/teaching purposes**. |  |
| 5 | I agree that any data collected may be included in anonymous form in **publications/conference presentations.** |  |
| 6 | *[Data sharing: if you will be sharing anonymous data you MUST include ONE of the below statement, and this should be explained in more detail in your PIS, otherwise please delete]*  I understand that a fully anonymised dataset will be deposited in an open data repository at the end of the project.  **OR**  I agree that any anonymised data collected may be made available to other researchers |  |
| 7 | I understand that data collected during the study may be looked at by individuals from The University of Manchester or regulatory authorities, where it is relevant to my taking part in this research. I give permission for these individuals to have access to my data. |  |
| 8 | I understand that there may be instances where during the course of the research information is revealed which means the researchers will be obliged to break confidentiality and this has been explained in more detail in the information sheet. |  |
| 10 | I agree to take part in this study. |  |

**The following activities are optional, you may participate in the research without agreeing to the following:**

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| 11 | I agree that any **personal** data collected may be made available to other researchers |  |
| 12 | I agree that the researchersmay contact me in future about other research projects. |  |
| 13 | I agree that the researchers may retain my contact details in order to provide me with a summary of the findings for this study. |  |

**Data Protection**

**The personal information we collect and use to conduct this research will be processed in accordance with UK data protection law as explained in the Participant Information Sheet and the** [**Privacy Notice for Research Participants**](http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=37095)**.**

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Name of Participant Signature Date

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Name of the person taking consent Signature Date

1 copy for the participant and 1 copy for the research team (original).