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 **Participant Agreement Form** Full title of project: (“the Project”) Evaluating AI-Driven XR Healthcare Simulation Using the DASEX Framework: A Pilot Validation Study.

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To be completed prior to data collection activity

**Section A: Agreement to participate in the study**

You should only agree to participate in the study if you agree with all of the statements in this table and accept that participating will involve the listed activities.

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| I have read and understood the Participant Information Sheet (66081 version 1) and have been given access to the BU Research Participant [Privacy Notice](https://intranetsp.bournemouth.ac.uk/documentsrep/Research%20Participant%20Privacy%20Notice.pdf) which sets out how we collect and use personal information (<https://www1.bournemouth.ac.uk/about/governance/access-information/data-protection-privacy>). |
| I have had an opportunity to ask questions. |
| I understand that my participation is voluntary. I can stop participating in research activities at any time without giving a reason and I am free to decline to answer any particular question(s). |
| I understand that taking part in the research will include the following activity/activities as part of the research: |
| * Orientation to the VR equipment and explanation of the study. * Completing a short AI-driven XR simulation scenario. * Providing feedback immediately after the simulation through: * DASEX checklist * NASA-TLX cognitive load survey * System Usability Scale (SUS) * Short open-ended questions about the simulation * Optionally completing a follow-up questionnaire 3 weeks later by email. |
| I understand that, if I withdraw from the study, I will also be able to withdraw my data from further use in the study **except** where my data has been anonymised (as I cannot be identified) or it will be harmful to the project to have my data removed. |
| I understand that my data may be used in an anonymised form by the research team to support other ethically approved research projects in the future, including future publications, reports or presentations. |

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|  | **Initial box to agree** |
| **I consent to take part in the project on the basis set out above (Section A)** |  |

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| Signature  Signature | | | | |  |
| Name of participant  (BLOCK CAPITALS) |  | Date  (dd/mm/yyyy) |  |
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| Name of researcher  (BLOCK CAPITALS) |  | Date  (dd/mm/yyyy) |  |
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Once a Participant has signed, **please sign 1 copy** and take 2 photocopies:

* Original kept in the local investigator’s file
* 1 copy to be kept by the participant (including a copy of PI Sheet)