

AUSTRALIAN EYE AND EAR HEALTH SURVEY

**CONSENT FORM - ADULT PROVIDING OWN CONSENT**

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<b>Title</b>	The Australian Eye and Ear Health Survey
<b>Short Title</b>	Australian Eye and Ear Survey
<b>Protocol Number</b>	TBC
<b>Project Sponsor</b>	Australia Government, Department of Health
<b>Principal Investigator</b>	Professor Paul Mitchell
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<b>Primary Organisation</b>	The Westmead Institute for Medical Research
<b>Site No.</b>	---

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**Declaration by Participant**

I have read the Participant Information Sheet, or someone has read it to me in a language that I understand.

I understand the purposes, procedures and risks of the research described in the project.

I have had an opportunity to ask questions and I am satisfied with the answers I have received.

I freely agree to participate in this research project as described and understand that I am free to withdraw at any time during the study without affecting my future health care.

I understand that I will not receive any payment for participating in this study.

I understand that the results of this study may be published in a public or other forum.

I understand that no culturally-restricted information will be collected during my participation.

I understand that I will be given a signed copy of this document to keep.

I consent to:

- 1 Participating in the eye/vision survey  
 2 Participating in the eye/vision survey AND hearing survey

**2. Receiving feedback about the results of this study:**

- 1 Yes     2 No

If you answered **Yes**, please provide the following information:

Name	
Contact Number	
Email Address	
Postal Address	

Could you please provide the name and address of one person we could contact to get a forwarding address for you if you move?

Name	
Relationship to you	
Contact Number	
Email Address	
Postal Address	

**3. Being contacted about a follow up study:**

1 Yes     2 No

Participant's Name (printed) .....

Signature..... Date .....

**Witness** (where required – see Note for Guidance on Good Clinical Practice CPMP/ICH/135/95 at 4.8.9)

Name of Witness\* to Participant's Signature (printed) .....

Signature .....Date .....

\* Witness is not to be the investigator, a member of the study team or their delegate. In the event that an interpreter is used, the interpreter may not act as a witness to the consent process. Witness must be 18 years or older.

**Declaration by researcher\*:** I have given a verbal explanation of the research project, its procedures and risks and I believe that the participant has understood that explanation.

Researcher's Name (printed) .....

Signature ..... Date .....

\* A member of the research team must provide the explanation and provision of information concerning the research project.

*Note:* All parties signing the Consent Form must date their own signature.