



Sample consent form for HCPs

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Consent

Verbal consent obtained YES NO

Signed _____

Special features

Date _____

If signed for child, name and relationship

Name of interpreter if present

Witnessed (if appropriate)

Name of witness

Relationship of witness

Date _____

I consent to the following for myself/a child for whom I have parental responsibility*

- A medical examination
- Taking forensic samples
- Body diagrams being completed, and presented to the police and to court, if required
- A statement/report to be written for court purposes
- Contacting my GP
- Contacting other relevant services and referral as appropriate (Please specify)

- Access to my summary care record
- Safeguarding referral (note this is mandatory for someone under 18 years)
- My information being used anonymously for audit and/or research
- Information to be shared with other healthcare professionals and custody staff as necessary during my detention

*Delete as appropriate