

<u>Randomised controlled trial of EA</u>rly transjugular intrahepatiC por<u>T</u>osystemic stent-shunt in <u>A</u>cute <u>V</u>ariceal <u>B</u>leeding <u>REACT-AVB</u> Trial

## **RECOVERED CAPACITY: PATIENT INFORMED CONSENT FORM**

Patient trial number:

Principal Investigator:

|    | Please "initial" inside each box to confirm   | n consent |
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| 1. | I confirm that I have read (or had read to me) and understood the Patient Information<br>Sheet, version numberO dated / / / / for<br>the <b>REACT-AVB</b> trial. I have had the opportunity to consider the information and ask<br>questions, and have had these answered satisfactorily.   |           |
| 2. | I understand that my participation is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw from the trial at any time, without giving any reason, and without my medical care or legal rights being affected. I understand that even if I withdraw from the <b>REACT-AVB</b> trial, data collected up to my time of withdrawal may still be used.   |           |
| 3. | I understand that relevant sections of my medical notes and data collected during the trial may be looked at by individuals from the <b>REACT-AVB</b> trial research team, representatives of the sponsor, from regulatory authorities, or from the NHS Trust, where this is relevant to my taking part in this research.   |           |
| 4. | I have read (or had read to me) and understood the information in the Patient<br>Information Sheet about what happens with my personal data collected for this trial.   |           |
| 5. | I agree to my GP being informed of my participation in this trial.  |           |
| 6. | I understand and acknowledge that data collected that identifies me by name, on the<br>Informed Consent Form, will be transferred from where it is collected and stored at the<br>University of Birmingham.   |           |
| 7. | I understand that the information collected will be used for medical research only and that I will not be identified in any way in the analysis and reporting of the results. I understand that even if I withdraw from the trial, information already collected about me may be included in the final analysis after being anonymised.   |           |
| 8. | I understand that the information collected about me will be used to support other related research in the future, and may be shared anonymously with other researchers.  |           |
| 9. | I understand that the information held and maintained by NHS Digital and other central UK NHS bodies may be contacted to provide information about my health status using my NHS number/ Community Health Index (CHI) or Health & Care number (H&C). Information held and maintained by the University of Birmingham may be sent to NHS Digital and other central UK NHS bodies to link my information these organisations hold and maintain. |           |

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| 10.     | I agree to take part in the <b>REACT-AVB</b> trial. |  |

To participate in the **REACT-AVB** Trial you MUST consent to all the points above and **initial** the corresponding boxes.

## If you are the patient completing this form, please provide your signature below

| Name of Patient (Printed) | Signature | Today's date |
|---------------------------|-----------|--------------|

## Witness is only required if patient is physically unable to sign the form but has the capacity to give consent. By signing below:

I witnessed accurate reading of the consent form to the potential patient, who could ask any questions and got satisfactory replies. I confirm they gave their consent freely.

| Name of patient<br>(Printed)                               | Name of Witness<br>(Printed) | Signature | Today's date |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Person taking consent, please provide your signature below |                              |           |              |  |  |  |  |  |

| Name of Person taking Consent<br>(Printed) | Sig | gnature | Į | Today's date |
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**Once completed:** Original to be kept in Investigator Site File, one copy for the patient, REACT-AVB Trial Office and in medical notes.

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