What You Need to Know Before Participating:

PARTICIPANT BILL OF RIGHTS

Anyone who is thinking about giving consent to participate in clinical research or on behalf of someone else has the following rights:

- To be told the purpose of the clinical trial or study
- To be told all the potential risks, side effects, or discomforts
- To be told of any potential benefits
- To be told what will happen in the trial, including treatments they might get and what procedures might happen
- To be told if any procedures, treatments, or devices are different than those that are used as standard medical treatment
- To know how long a trial is expected to last
- To be told about all options available and how they may be better or worse than being in a clinical trial
- To ask any questions about the trial before giving consent and at any time during the trial
- To be told of any medical treatments available if medical problems occur during the trial
- To be told about any potential costs or payments
- To bring a trusted friend or family member to meetings with trial staff
- To receive materials in the language they prefer and to ask for an interpreter
- To receive a signed and dated copy of the informed consent form
- To refuse to participate, for any reason and at any time, before and after the trial starts
- To take their time deciding whether or not to participate

CISCRP

CISCRP is an independent non-profit organization dedicated to engaging the public and patients as partners in the clinical research process.

CISCRP does not recruit patients for clinical trials and does not conduct clinical research. CISCRP is also known as the Center for Information and Study on Clinical Research Participation.

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