**EXPLORING THE ATTITUDES OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS TOWARDS MENTAL ILLNESS: CROSS SECTIONAL SURVEY**

 **Informed** **Consent Form**

**Thank you for your time. It won’t take more than 10 minutes.**

**As a participant in the research project entitled “the knowledge & attitudes of university students towards mental illness: cross sectional survey", I, without any coercion or force, freely and voluntarily consent to be a part of this project.**

**This project titled “Exploring the attitudes of university students towards mental illness: cross sectional survey” is being carried out under the supervision of Dr. Farooq Rathore; Assistant Professor and Consultant, CMH Lahore.**

**I know that as a participant in this project, I will be asked to respond to questions about the general demographic information about myself, and answer the questions about mental illness.**

**I understand that my participation in this project is voluntary and all of the responses that I give will remain confidential. My name will not appear on any of the results. Only group findings will be reported. Information obtained during the course of the study will remain confidential, to the extent allowed by law.**

**I have read and understand this consent form.**

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**Signature Date**

**Thank you again for your time and participation in this study.**