Implied Consent form for Exempt Research *(Sample for conducting research using surveys)*

*The implied consent form must be attached to the beginning of the survey or as a letter of invitation for all surveys that are qualified for exempt research.*

**Research Project title**: insert title

**Primary investigator**: John Doe, Assistant Professor, Dept ABC, (585)389-0000; email1@naz.edu

**Faculty Advisor**: Name and contact information, mandatory for student applicants.

**Additional investigators**: if applicable

1. **Purpose of the Research**: The purpose of this research is to gather information on……. This study has been reviewed and approved by the Human Subject Research Committee (HSRC) at Nazareth College.
2. **Description of Procedures**: I will complete 30 questions on a survey.
3. **Duration of Procedures**: The survey will take about 15 minutes to complete.
4. **Statement of Participation**: I must be 18 years old to participate in this study. Participation in this project is voluntary. I will not be paid for the participation. I may withdraw and discontinue participation at any time without penalty or loss of benefits. I have the right to decline to answer any question or stop the survey at any time without penalty or loss of benefits.
5. **Statement of Confidentiality**: Participation in this research is confidential. The survey does not ask for any information that would identify who I am. Electronic surveys will be set not to collect any IP addresses. In the event of any publication or presentation resulting from the research, no personally identifiable information will be shared.
6. **Contacts for questions**: For any questions or concerns regarding this study, please contact the primary investigator (see above contact information).I may also contact the Chair, Human Subjects Research Committee, Nazareth College, if questions or problems arise during the course of the study, *insert name of HSRC Chair and phone number*.

Completion and return of surveys implies that you consent to participate in this survey research.