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Letter of consent

Title: A descriptive study of children's exposure to domestic violence as a predisposing factor for revictimization in adulthood

The letter serves to grant my consent to complete and participate in an individual interview with the interviewer. It is a self-reported questionnaire regarding my experience of domestic violence in childhood (if any) as well as currently experienced. The objective of the study is to explore if women who were exposed to domestic violence in their childhood are predisposed to a domestic violent relationship in adulthood. I am aware that I may withdraw from the study at any time should I not feel comfortable discussing the topic. I understand that the information is private and will be managed by the interviewer, confidentially and anonymously.

I understand that I give consent that the information gathered during the interviews will be typed and anonymously presented in research reports and publication articles.

This letter was and signed onday ofmonth of the year.....

Signature of interviewee.....