# Informed consent for VR Training

## What is Virtual Reality?

Virtual reality (VR) is a simulated experience that employs pose tracking and 3D near-eye displays to give the user an immersive feel of a virtual world.

Please review the safety considerations below and confirm that you agree to follow these instructions when engaging in virtual reality.

## **Safe Space**

- Follow instructions (from your Facilitator or on screen) to define your play area or 'guardian system'.
- Clear a safe area all around you and always be aware of your surroundings before starting and while using the headset.
- Never use the headset while outside, running, driving or handling hazardous objects.

#### **Pre Existing Medical Conditions**

- Consult with your doctor before using the headset if you are pregnant, elderly, have pre-existing binocular vision abnormalities or psychiatric disorders or suffer from a heart condition or other serious medical conditions.
- If you had previously had a seizure, loss of awareness or other symptoms linked to an epileptic condition you should speak to your doctor before using the headset.
- If you have a pacemaker or other implanted medical device, consult your doctor before using the headset or controllers.

#### **Online Safety**

- Only use the headsets for accessing software that your institution invites you to engage with.
- Do not use the headset for gaming (unless instructed to do so) or download additional software.

## **Your Agreement to Participate**

I have read the above safety considerations and hereby consent to participate in VR training as outlined above.

Name	Signature
Date	