

# National Pulse Survey Information Sheet Form

## Protocol Information

**Attached to Protocol:** IRB-AAAT4200

**Principal Investigator:** Sarah Rossetti (sac2125)

**IRB Protocol Title:** 25 by 5 Task Force to Reduce Documentation Burden

## General Information

**Consent Number:** CF-AACX0175

**Participation Duration:** 5

**Anticipated Number of Subjects:** 10000

**Research Purpose:** The purpose of this study is to understand the levels of perceived excess documentation burden experienced by healthcare professionals across all disciplines and trend changes over time.

## Contacts

Contact	Title	Contact Information
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## Information on Research

We are asking you to take part in a survey to better understand health professional perceptions of excessive documentation burden. The survey is expected to take 5 minutes to complete and can be taken from a mobile phone or from a desktop. This study is from the Department of Biomedical Informatics at Columbia University.

## Risks

The risks associated with the anonymous survey are minimal. A risk of taking part in this study is the possibility of a loss of confidentiality or privacy. Loss of privacy means having your personal information shared with someone who is



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not on the study team and was not supposed to see or know about your information. The study team plans to protect your privacy to the best of our ability.

### **Benefits**

You may or may not personally benefit from this study. Your participation may help us gain valuable data to learn more about levels of perceived excess documentation burden experienced by health professionals across all disciplines.

### **Alternative Procedures**

You may choose not to participate in this study at any time.

### **Confidentiality**

No personal or identifiable information will be collected in the anonymous survey. The only information being collected are your survey responses. There will be an option to provide demographic information which, although not direct identifiers, could cause you to be inadvertently identified. However, no attempts to identify you will be made by the study team. Additionally, you will be given an option to provide your email address for further communication about the annual symposium if you would like to be included. Your email address will be available in Qualtrics but will be deleted from the exported dataset to de-identify you and protect your personal information. To minimize any security or privacy risks, only members of the CUIMC study team, approved by the IRB at CUIMC, and external collaborators from the AMIA 25x5 Task Force will have access to your survey data.

### **Compensation**

There is no compensation for participating in this survey.

### **Additional Costs**

There are no anticipated additional costs to you.



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## Voluntary Participation

Taking part in this study is your choice. You can decide not to take part in or stop being in the study at any time. You may refuse to take part in the study or withdraw from the study at any time without jeopardizing your employment, student status, or any other rights. Your choice to participate or not in this study is voluntary and will have no impact on your employment.

## Additional Information

If you have any questions or concerns about this study, you may contact the principal investigator, Sarah Rossetti, at [sac2125@cumc.columbia.edu](mailto:sac2125@cumc.columbia.edu). For questions regarding your rights or responsibilities as research participants, please contact the Columbia University Human Research Protection Office (HRPO) via email at [irboffice@columbia.edu](mailto:irboffice@columbia.edu) or via phone at 212-305-5883.

## Statement of Consent

By taking this survey you agree that you have read this information sheet and consent to your responses being collected. You also understand the risk of data being potentially identifiable if you share your email.

Please read this information sheet which includes information about the nature and the purpose of the study, as well as a description of study procedures. If you have any questions, please discuss them with the investigator or study staff. The explanation that you are given should mention both the possible risks and benefits to participating in the study and the alternatives to participation. You are free to not participate in the study or to withdraw at any time. Your decision to not participate, or to withdraw from the study, will not affect your employment status.



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