



ASSENT

You are invited to participate in a research study that is being conducted by Kimberly Kaminski and Alla Shatskov who are Post-Doctoral Pharm.D. Fellows in the Pharmacy Practice Department at Rutgers University. The purpose of this research is to determine the various clinical information resources pharmacy, medical and nursing students use for self-education and clinical decision making. The link below contains a brief seven question survey which will assess drug information collection preferences and resources when obtaining information regarding dosing, adverse events, drug interactions and disease state information.

This research is anonymous. Anonymous means that I will record no information about you that could identify you. This means that I will not record your name, address, phone number, date of birth, etc. If you agree to take part in the study, you will be assigned a random code number that will be used on each test and the questionnaire. Your name will appear only on a list of subjects, and will not be linked to the code number that is assigned to you. There will be no way to link your responses back to you. Therefore, data collection is anonymous.

The research team and the Institutional Review Board at Rutgers University are the only parties that will be allowed to see the data, except as may be required by law. If a report of this study is published, or the results are presented at a professional conference, only group results will be stated. All study data will be kept for three years.

There are no foreseeable risks to participation in this study. In addition, you may receive no direct benefit from taking part in this study.

Participation in this study is voluntary. You may choose not to participate, and you may withdraw at any time during the study procedures without any penalty to you. In addition, you may choose not to answer any questions with which you are not comfortable.

If you have any questions about the study or study procedures, you may contact:

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If you have any questions about your rights as a research subject, you may contact the IRB Administrator at Rutgers University at:

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Institutional Review Board for the Protection of Human Subjects  
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You will be given a copy of this assent form for your records.

If you are 18 years of age or older, understand the statements above, and will consent to participate in the study, click on the "I Agree" button to begin the survey. If not, please click on the "I Do Not Agree" button which you will exit this program.

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