

## University of Galway February 2025

<b>Conditions for consent requirements under GDPR checklist</b>	<b>Choose Yes/No for each</b>  <b>[If you are not able to say yes then you need to amend your form so as to fulfil the consent requirements under GDPR]</b>
Are you able to demonstrate that the data subject (research project participant) has consented to processing of his or her personal data?	
If the data subject's (research project participant) consent is given in the context of a written declaration which also concerns other matters, is the request for consent presented in a manner which is clearly distinguishable from the other matters, in an intelligible and easily accessible form, using clear and plain language?	
Have you given the data subject the right to withdraw his or her consent at any time.? <p>[Please note that the withdrawal of consent shall not affect the lawfulness of processing based on consent before its withdrawal. Please note that prior to giving consent, the data subject must be informed, and it must be as easy to withdraw as to give consent.]</p>	
Has the consent been freely given? <p>[Please note that the element “free” implies real choice and control for data subjects. As a general rule, the GDPR prescribes that if the data subject has no real choice, feels compelled to consent or will endure negative consequences if they do not consent, then consent will not be valid. When assessing whether consent is freely given, account must be taken of whether the performance of a contract, including the provision of a service, is conditional on consent to the processing of personal data] that is not necessary for the performance of that contract.</p>	