

Letter of Informed Consent for Adolescent Interview

Date: 23/4/2018

Dear C.J,

I am completing a BSW degree at Arizona State University-West Campus. Among the assignments for my SWU 303- Human Behavior in Social Environment course is to design and conduct a qualitative interview. This assignment will provide me with an opportunity to practice qualitative interviewing to deepen my understanding of the social dimensions of adolescence.

I am requesting your participation in this interview. The interview questions are open ended. *I am attaching a copy of the questions to this letter.* As discussed, the 25 to 30-minute, interview will take place at your home, on 4/23/2018. Following the interview, I will write a report to complete the assignment.

There is little to no risk involved in participating in the interview. If you agree to be interviewed, your identity will be protected. Neither your name nor identifying characteristics will appear in the paper. While all results will be confidential and anonymous, if you disclose any information about any incidences of physical or sexual abuse, or any other signs of self-harming behavior, I am legally obligated as a Mandated Reporter to share this information with legal authorities, for your protection.

The paper I write will only be seen by me and the professor for this course. The paper will be destroyed after my course grade is recorded at the end of the semester. You may decide not to participate at any time without negative consequences. If you need additional information please contact me.

Sincerely,
Name
Phone
Email

Informed Consent to Participate in Qualitative Adolescent Interview

(Keep this form for your records.)

I have received your letter about participating in a 25 to 30-minute qualitative interview to meet requirements for SWU 303, a required course in your social work program. I understand that the interview is an opportunity for you to gain practice with qualitative interviews. I agree to participate in the interview at a time and place of my choosing. I understand there is little to no risk involved in participating in the pilot interview, that my confidentiality will be protected, and that I may withdraw from the project at any time without penalty or consequence.

Participant Signature

19/4/2018

Parental Consent (Signature)

19/4/2018