

Consent Form

Title of the Study:

Coping when your child has been diagnosed with an Autistic Spectrum Disorder (ASD): What are the views and experiences of parents in relation to coping with a diagnosis and receiving post-diagnostic support within Greater Glasgow?

- I confirm that I have read and understood the information sheet for the above project and the researcher has answered any queries to my satisfaction.
- I understand that my participation is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw from the project at any time, without having to give a reason and without any consequences. NB: As the focus group will be voice recorded this means it may be difficult to ensure my data is not included in any evidence or the final dissertation.
- I understand that any information recorded in the investigation will remain confidential and that no information that identifies me will be made publicly available.
- The only exception to this would be if information is disclosed related to serious harm or immediate danger, in which the researcher would need to pass along this information.
- If this should happen, the researcher would discuss this with me at the time.
- I consent to being a participant in the project.
- I consent to being audio recorded. Yes / No

Print your name:

I, _____ hereby agree to take part in this research.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you are choosing to complete this on paper, **please return to the address below alongside the questionnaire:**

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If you are choosing to complete these online, **please return the consent form to the email address below.**

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