INFORMED CONSENT

1. PROJECT’S TITLE
EVALUATION OF THE LEVEL OF HEALTH AND HEALTHCARE ASSESSMENT OF IMMIGRANT POPULATIONS OF BANGLADESH, INDIA AND PAKISTAN.

This document describes the study in which we invite you to participate. Please, read it carefully.

In the end, the researcher will ask you if you accept to participate. Whenever you have questions, feel free to put them to the researcher. If new questions about the study arise after the interview, you may contact the researcher to clarify them.

2. WHAT IS THE AIM OF THIS STUDY?
This study aims to acknowledge the health status and the provision of healthcare to immigrant populations living in Portugal. With this study we expect to improve the access to healthcare and to adequate health services for immigrants living in Portugal.

3. HOW WILL THIS INTERVIEW BE?
We will undertake one face-to-face interview with the duration of about 20 minutes. In this interview, we will address you only questions about your health status, health practices and habits.

All data registered on the questionnaire is strictly confidential and anonymous and will only be used according to this study’s objectives. The results of this study are not about individuals but about groups of people. Thus, you cannot identify who decided or not to participate, from the results of this study.

This study has no commercial nor profit objectives.

4. WHAT DO I WIN IN PARTICIPATE?
People who participate help doctors and other health professionals to have better knowledge and better guidance for health-related decisions and to take actions that will help immigrants to have better health. There are neither fees nor special services in any medical situation.

Your participation in this study is voluntary and you can withdraw at any time from this research process, through the contacts below. This refusal carries any penalty or loss of rights. If you have any questions or need further clarification before your participation, you can contact:

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