

BIRTH TO TEN: FIVE YEAR QUESTIONNAIRE 1995

STATEMENT BY RESEARCHER

I have fully explained the procedures, identifying those which are investigational, and have explained their purpose. I have answered any questions that have arisen regarding these procedures to the best of my ability.

Signed by:

Investigator/Researcher:

Date:

1995

**STATEMENT BY THE PARENT/GUARDIAN
OF THE BTI CHILD**

I have been fully informed as to the procedures to be followed, including a blood sample and blood pressure measurement.

In signing this consent form I agree to this investigation on my child and understand that I am free to refuse or withdraw this consent regarding my child's participation in the study at any time. I understand that any questions I may have at any time will also be answered.

BTI ID NUMBER:

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Full Name and Surname

Signed by Parent/Guardian:

Date:

1995

Witness:

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CONSENT FORM

When you and your child entered the Birth to Ten study in 1990, you gave consent for your participation in the study until your child is 10 years old. All the conditions set out in that form still apply.

At the 5 year examination, we would like to ask consent from you to do some additional measurements and ask some additional questions of your child. These have not been done before and include the following:

1. Some questions on smoking.
2. Measure your child's blood pressure.
3. Take a blood sample to determine your child's blood fat profile.

These results will be made available to you if there are any abnormalities. The research team will also suggest what you should do about these findings.

This data will be used with the other data gathered to monitor your child's growth, physical development and his/her understanding of some health issues.

Participation in this study is voluntary. You are free to refuse or withdraw your consent regarding your child's participation in the study at any time. A signed copy of this consent form will be made available to you. All information will be treated as confidential.

This study was passed by the University of the Witwatersrand's Ethics Committee.