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Participant Agreement
Summer Student Research Program

The BC Children's Hospital Research Institute (BCCHR) invests significant resources for each Summer Student Research Program (SSRP) participant. As program space is limited, students and BCCHR Investigators are required to acknowledge the following program requirements.

Student Responsibilities

As a participant, I acknowledge that:

- Based on my current education level and experience, I believe the SSRP aligns with my research goals. *The SSRP is intended for students who have limited research experience and are looking to build foundational research skills.*
- I understand that expectations of me extend beyond my research placement, and involves actively participating in the education program. I understand that I will need to complete at least 8 hours of education program activities including:
    - Completing the minimum 8 hours of activities by July 23, 2027.
    - Completing at least 4 of these 8 hours by June 30, 2027.
- I understand only participants who successfully complete at least 8 hours of education program activities by July 23, 2027 will be eligible to present their research at Poster Day and receive a SSRP certificate of completion.
- I understand that while some education program activities will be offered virtually and/or recorded, attending these sessions in-person at BCCHR will maximize hands-on engagement.
- I will regularly read and respond to program emails and announcements.
- I will contribute to an inclusive, respectful, and supportive learning environment for all.
- If I'm unable to continue participating, I will notify both my supervisor and the Research Education Team (reseduc@bcchr.ca) as soon as possible.

Failure to meet the program requirements may mean removal from the SSRP and, if applicable, withdrawal of funding.

Student Name:	Signature:

BCCHR Investigator Responsibilities

As a research supervisor, I acknowledge that:

- I have reviewed the Summer Student Research Program requirements and support the student's involvement in both their research placement and the education program activities.
- I will work with the participant to develop a schedule that enables them to complete at least 8 hours of education program activities by July 23, 2027.
- I will provide the appropriate supervision and resources for a safe research environment throughout the placement.
- I'm responsible for ensuring the student completes all required onboarding, orientation and safety training needed for their research placement.

BCCHR Investigator Name:	Signature: