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USING REDCAP FOR E-CONSENTING e-Consent Framework & PDF Snapshot

We are excited to announce that REDCap is updated with new and enhanced **e-Consent Framework** and **PDF Snapshot** features. These updates are designed to improve the functionality, compliance, and user experience of electronic consent processes in your research projects.

The **e-Consent Framework** allows for the digital capture and storage of participant consent, whether conducted in person or remotely. It provides standardized tools to obtain consent and store consent documentation with a certification screen and a storage function which automatically generates a “hard-copy” PDF of the signed form. The **new and enhanced e-Consent Framework** now offers many options to allow customization to your specific needs. You may optionally provide consent forms as either an inline PDF or rich text that will be displayed on the consent survey itself. The consent forms can be context-specific if you are using MLM languages and/or Data Access Groups so that it displays the correct consent form for a participant with a specific language set and/or assigned to a specific DAG. For more information:

- [Changes to eConsent Framework \(effective 8/29/2024\)](#)
- [What is the eConsent Framework?](#)
- [eConsent Framework and PDF-Snapshot Guide](#)
- [Tutorial Video: eConsent Framework and PDF-Snapshot](#)

We ask that projects that are currently utilizing the e-Consent Framework to please verify the functionality of your e-Consents post-transition by running a test record. Document this test and its results for compliance.

For other helpful tips and tricks: [UCH REDCap website](#).