STAFF Informed Consent Form v2.0

Full study title: Feasibility of developing personalised treatment pathways for relief of plantar heel pain using a sequential multiple assignment randomised trial (SMART) study design

Please initial boxes

I have been consulted about participation in this research project. I have had the opportunity to ask questions about the study and understand what is involved.	☐
I confirm that I have read and understood the STAFF Information Sheet version 1.1 dated 09/04/2024 for the above study. I have had the opportunity to ask questions which have been answered fully.	☐
I understand that I can withdraw from the study at any time, without giving any reason and without my employment or legal rights being affected.	☐
If I decide to withdraw or I am withdrawn from the study, I agree that the information collected about me up to the point of my withdrawal will be used in the data analysis for this study.	☐
I consent to the processing of my personal information (name, email) for the purposes explained to me. I understand that such information will be held in accordance with all applicable data protection legislation and in strict confidence, unless disclosure is required by law or professional obligation.	☐
I understand who will have access to my personal information, how my data will be processed and stored, and what will happen to the data at the end of the research project.	☐
I understand that an audiovisual recording of my interview may be shared securely with an approved external transcription company.	☐
I understand that anonymised excerpts and/or verbatim quotes from my transcript may be used as part of research reports, publications, or presentations. I understand that I will have the opportunity to check my transcript before it is used in this way.	☐
I agree to participate in this research study.	☐

Name of STAFF participant	Date	Signature

Name of researcher	Date	Signature

When completed: Original copy to be saved in Trial Master File; 1 copy for participant.