

Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Testing Consent Form

The **direct-to-consumer genetic testing consent form** ensures that individuals understand the purpose, risks, and benefits of genetic testing services before proceeding. It provides clear information about data privacy, test limitations, and the handling of sensitive genetic information. This form is essential for ethical compliance and informed decision-making in genetic testing.

1. Purpose of Genetic Testing

The purpose of this test is to analyze your DNA to provide information about your ancestry, genetic traits, and potential health risks. The results are for informational purposes only and are not intended for diagnosis or treatment of any medical condition.

2. Risks and Limitations

- Your test results may reveal sensitive information, including unexpected family relationships or genetic predispositions.
- The test may not detect all genetic variants associated with a particular condition.
- Genetic information may affect insurability, employability, or social relationships.

3. Benefits

- Gain insight into your ancestry, genetic traits, and potential health risks.
- Contribute to scientific research if you choose to share your data.

4. Privacy and Data Security

- Your genetic information will be stored securely and handled with strict confidentiality.
- Your data will not be shared with third parties without your explicit consent except as required by law.
- You have the right to withdraw your consent and have your data deleted at any time.

5. Voluntary Participation

Participation in genetic testing is entirely voluntary. You may refuse or withdraw at any time without penalty or loss of benefits.

6. Contact Information

If you have questions about the testing process, results, or how your data will be used, please contact our genetic counseling team at support@genetictesting.com or call (800) 123-4567.

7. Consent

By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read and understood the information provided above, have had the opportunity to ask questions, and voluntarily consent to undergo direct-to-consumer genetic testing.

Name:

Date of Birth:

Signature:

Date: