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**Guidance Document:
Consent for Continued Participation in a Research Study
By a Young Adult Who Has Reached Age 18**

The age of majority in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is 18. For participants who enrolled on a study as a minor and who has now reached the age of majority, the DFCI IRB has approved the use of a generic informed consent form to provide consent for continued participation in the research study. Please find this generic informed consent form along with guidance for investigators on the OPRS website.

To access this site directly from the DF/HCC internet:
<http://www.dfcc.harvard.edu/clinical-research-support/office-for-the-protection-of-research-subjects-oprs/forms-and-instructions/consent-forms/>

Please contact OPRS with any questions.

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