

Clinical Trial–Specific Details (To be filled MANDATORILY only if the study is a clinical trial) (No editing of form allowed)

1. **Nature of Clinical Trial**
 - ☐ Sponsored
 - ☐ Investigator-initiated / Academic
2. **Funding Status**
 - ☐ Funded (external sponsor / grant)
 - ☐ Intramural / Institutional
 - ☐ Unfunded (purely academic)
3. **Study Setting**
 - ☐ Single-centre
 - ☐ Multicentre – India
 - ☐ Multicentre – Global
4. **Type of Intervention**
 - ☐ New drug / Investigational New Drug
 - ☐ Approved drug – new indication / dose / route
 - ☐ Medical device / IVD
 - ☐ Standard of Care (SOC) comparison
 - ☐ Other (specify): _____
5. **Regulatory Category (as applicable)**
 - ☐ Academic Clinical Trial (as per NDCTR 2019)
 - ☐ Regulatory Clinical Trial requiring CDSCO permission
 - ☐ BA/BE Study
 - ☐ Not applicable
6. **Risk Categorisation (based on benefit–risk assessment: refer to IEC SOP)**
 - ☐ Minimal risk
 - ☐ More than minimal risk
 - ☐ High risk

Brief justification:

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7. **Sponsor / Sponsor-Investigator Responsibility**
 - ☐ External Sponsor identified
 - ☐ Investigator acting as Sponsor-Investigator (academic trial)
 8. **SAE Reporting and Management**
 - I confirm that provisions for **identification, immediate medical management, and reporting of Serious Adverse Events (SAEs)** are described in the protocol and shall be followed in accordance with applicable regulations.
 - SAE reporting shall be undertaken within prescribed timelines to the **IEC, Sponsor (if applicable), and Competent Authority**, as required.
 - Please choose who will bear the cost of SAE management in the event an adverse event is reported:
 - * External Sponsor: _____
 - * Investigator/PI: _____
 9. **Compensation & Financial Responsibility (if applicable)**
 - ☐ Insurance/indemnity available as per CTA
 - ☐ Investigator (academic/non-funded trial)
 10. **Declaration by Investigator**

I hereby declare that for the proposed clinical trial, a clear plan for identification, immediate medical management, documentation, and reporting of Serious Adverse Events (SAEs) has been incorporated in the protocol as per ICMR Guidelines, NDCTR 2019, and ICH-GCP. I confirm that any SAE occurring during the conduct of the study shall be:

 - **Promptly identified and medically managed at no cost to the participant,**
 - **Reported to the Institutional Ethics Committee and other concerned authorities within prescribed timelines,** and
 - **Subjected to causality assessment by the IEC,** in accordance with applicable regulatory requirements.

I further acknowledge that regulatory provisions relating to SAE reporting and compensation, where applicable, shall prevail irrespective of the academic nature, funding status, or standard-of-care nature of the study, and that I shall comply with the decisions and recommendations of the IEC and the institution in this regard.

Signature of Investigator with seal: _____