

CONSENT FORM
Project G.O.H Post-Intervention Interview

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Title of Research Study: Changing Oral Health Norms and Hygiene Practices among Vulnerable Older Adults (GOH: Good Oral Health)

Expected Duration of Subject's Participation: 1 45-minute visit

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Name of Research Participant: _____

What Is The Purpose Of This Research Study?

This study is collaboration between the University of Connecticut Dental School and the Institute for Community Research. The purpose is to improve the ways older adults and adults with disabilities care for their teeth and mouths.

Why Am I Invited To Participate?

You currently are a participant in the study, Changing Oral Health Norms and Hygiene Practices among Vulnerable Older Adults (GOH: Good Oral Health). You are part of the study that included participation in 2 surveys about your oral health knowledge and behaviors, 2 oral health screenings, a session where an experienced health educator met with you to discuss how to take better care of your teeth and mouth, and/or oral health fairs in your building. We now are inviting you to participate in an interview that will include questions about your experience as a participant in the study.

How Many Other People Do You Think Will Participate?

A total of 134 people have participated in the entire study, including people in other buildings. We estimate that approximately 30 people will agree to participate in these interviews at this building.

What will my participation include?

Your participation will include meeting with a member of our staff to discuss your experiences as a participant in the study. We want to get your feedback on the face-to-face oral health education session, the oral health screenings, the oral health fairs, your oral health behaviors, knowledge you may have gained through participation in the study, and your opinions about how the study was understood and received, in general, by residents in your building. We are requesting your permission to digitally audio record this session. This recording will provide a record of our discussions that will help us learn how to improve the study in the future. If you choose not to have the interview audio recorded, you can still participate and we will write down your responses using pen and paper.

