**Radiation Risk Study**

We are conducting a research study to test your level of knowledge of radiation risk/exposure. For that purpose, we have created a written survey for which we will ask you to answer a series of questions about your background and what you perceive your radiation risk to be from having CT scans. This survey will take approximately 5 minutes of your time.

Your participation in this survey is completely voluntary and will have no effect on your relationship with CHRISTUS Spohn Hospital Corpus Christi--Memorial as a patient. There will be no financial benefits for participating in this survey. Please know that I will do everything I can to protect your privacy. I will not identify you and all information that is recorded will be stored in a secure location.

Do you agree to voluntarily be a subject of this research study? **\_\_\_\_\_\_YES\_\_\_\_\_\_NO**

1. Sex: Male1 Female2
2. Age in years: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **(If over 85 check here only)**
3. Ethnicity/Race: Caucasion/White1 Hispanic2 Native American3 Asian4 Non-Hispanic/Black5 Other6
4. What is your household’s yearly annual income (estimate)?  (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)

          $0-$20,0001       $20,001-$40,0002     $40,001-$60,0003     $60,001-$80,0004     $80,001 or more5

1. What is the highest level of education you completed in school?

Less than High School1       High School Graduate2      Vocational/Tech School Graduate3

Some College4    College Graduate5      Any Post Graduate Work6

**How much do you agree with the following statements?**

Please use a scale of 0-10  **(PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)**

**0= I Don’t Understand the Question 1= Completely Disagree    5= Neither agree or disagree    10 = Completely Agree**

1. A single CT scan of the Abdomen/Pelvis is the same as the amount of radiation the average person gets in 5 years from the sun/atmosphere.
2. **1 2 3 4 5         6 7 8 9 10**
3. Having 7 CT scans of the Abdomen/Pelvis over a lifetime will increase your risk of cancer.
4. **1 2 3 4 5         6 7 8 9 10**
5. A single CT scan of the Abdomen/Pelvis is the same as the radiation dose of over 200 single view chest x-rays.

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