

## NIH Office of Intramural Research (OIR)

### Investigator Attestation I

#### *Nontransplantation Research Use of De-Identified Human Fetal Tissue*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, attest that I will be conducting experiments with de-identified human fetal tissue and that I am aware of and will comply with the relevant legal and policy requirements regarding the conduct of research with human fetal tissue.

**I affirm that** (*all boxes must be checked for approval*):

- Informed consent for the use of this tissue for research was obtained as per [NOT-OD-16-033](#)
- This human fetal tissue was not acquired or obtained for valuable considerations, as per [42 U.S.C. 289g-2](#)

**Describe the characteristics, procurement, and procedures for the research use of the human fetal tissue** (*For example, "12-16 week fetal livers will be acquired through an MTA with {SOURCE} to establish primary cultures of fetal hepatocytes."*):

**Justify the use of human fetal tissue by indicating why research goals can't be accomplished using an alternative to human fetal tissue.**

***Signatures***

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**NIH Investigator Signature:**

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**Date:**

**Scientific Director Signature:**

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**Date:**

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