

Informed Consent Statement

Study Title: Screening for Asymptomatic Chlamydia and Gonorrhea in Adolescent Males in an Urban Pediatric Emergency Department

Name of Journal: World Journal of Clinical Pediatrics

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I declare that all participants, or their legal guardian, provided informed written consent prior to study enrollment

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Megan Maraynes', with a stylized flourish above the name.

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