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Informed consent statement: All study participants, or their legal guardian, provided informed written consent prior to study enrollment and it was performed in accordance with the ethical standards laid down in the 1964 Declaration of Helsinki.

Signature

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Maria Goretti Moreira Guimarães Penido', written over a horizontal line.