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## **PCN-CRP Supplementary information and Consent Form**

## PCN-CRP Sub-study 2: Caesarean section scar characteristics to inform care.

This sheet provides more information about PCN-CRP sub-study 2 and should be given to you with the main PCN-CRP participant information sheet v2.0, dated 26/02/2025 and main Consent Form v.2.0 dated 26/02/2025.

Although most women who have had a caesarean section in labour do not have their babies early in future pregnancies, they are more at risk of this happening. This is thought to be because their cervix may have been weakened during the procedure. The position and size of the caesarean section scar can sometimes be seen on ultrasound scan. In this sub-study we want to collect information from these scans. This will help us to understand more about how the differences in scars can affect an individual's chance of preterm birth and whether some treatments might work better than others. If you have had a caesarean section in labour in a previous pregnancy, you may be offered this type of scan. If you took part in this sub-study, you would not have to have any additional tests or treatments. We just ask for your permission to collect information from the scans of your cervix and about you, such as your age and ethnic group, any factors that make you more at risk of having a baby early, the care you have had, and what happens to you and your baby.

Please initial in boxes I confirm that I have read and understand the above information for Sub- study 2: Caesarean section scar characteristics to inform care and have had the opportunity to ask questions.		
I understand that taking part in this sub-study involves collection of information about the pregnancy care I have received during this pregnancy, including ultrasound scans, and I agree to this.		
Signatures		
Name of Participant	Signature	Date
Name of Person taking consent	Signature	Date

When complete: copies - 1 for participant, 1 for researcher site file, 1 to be kept in medical notes.