## Consent to be included in a student database

Some programs are seeking to collect student data for <u>inclusion in a student database</u> for use in educational research and program improvement. To support this use of data, PAEA accepts applications from member programs to access their own consenting students' identified (i.e., *including* consenting students' names) or deidentified (i.e., *excluding* students' names and other personally identifying information such as ZIP code) MSS responses.

The Physician Assistant Education Association (PAEA) will only release your data to XX with your written consent and if at least 50% of your cohort completes this survey. You have the right to withhold consent without penalty. If you do not consent, PAEA will never release your data to any parties and will store your data according to the standard confidentiality and privacy protections outlined previously. If you choose not to release your data to XX you can still complete the survey and are eligible to win any prizes associated with completing the survey.

If you consent to release your **identified** data to XX, your first and last name will be supplied to your program before being permanently removed from the PAEA database.

If you consent to release your **de-identified** data to XX your PA program will protect this information using the standards and protections detailed in their IRB agreement with their home institution and may not share your data with any external individuals or parties.

If you consent to releasing either your identified or de-identified data, XX will protect this information using the standards and protections detailed in their IRB agreement with their home institution and may not share your data with any external individuals or parties.

Please select an option below to indicate whether you have read the above disclosure and agree to release your data to XX.

I have read and understood the preceding information and freely **agree** that **PAEA may** release identified data to XX for inclusion in a student database.

I have read and understood the preceding information and freely **agree** that **PAEA may release my de-identified data** to **XX** for educational research and program improvement.

I have read and understood the preceding information and choose to **NOT** release my data to **XX** for inclusion in a student database.