

APPENDIX III
CONSENT FORM

Supplemental Heat Study Consent Form

As part of an investigation of the activity of proteins affected by heat I agree to allow researchers at the University of Washington to take cells from the urine sample which I will already have provided for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters'(UBC). No additional samples will be taken.

Currently there is no health benefit to knowing the activity level of these proteins, known as heat shock proteins, and therefore individual results will not be available to me. I understand that these investigators will never know my identity. They will not be able to connect any information about my urine cell proteins to my name.

If I leave a name and mailing address below, Dr. Takaro, the Principal Investigator at the University of Washington will provide summary information at the conclusion of the study describing what was learned about protein activation under heat stress with the information pooled from all participants. Leaving my name below will not affect the confidentiality agreement in the paragraph above.

I agree that my urine, discarded following analysis for the UBC Heat Study may be used for the heat shock protein investigation noted above and for no other purpose. I understand that I may withdraw this consent at any time.

My name is (please print)

Witness's name (print)

My signature

Witness's signature

Date

Date

Optional: Please mail summary results to me at this address:

Street address or P.O. Box

City, State, Zip

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