## Consent Form

To the Director of the Tohoku University Hospital

I have read the following information, or it has been read to me. I have had the opportunity to ask questions about it and any questions that I have asked, have been answered to my satisfaction.

- 1. About clinical trials
- 2. Background of this clinical trial
- 3. Red blood cells transfusion
- 4. Research content and period
- 5. Other treatment options if participation from this clinical trial is withdrawn
- 6. Freedom to participate in this clinical trial and withdraw consent
- 7. Protection of personal information and handling of research results
- 8. Research funds and conflicts of interest
- 9. What to do if this research causes health problems
- 10. About a case where participation in research is canceled
- 11. Possibility of using the data for future research and providing it to other research institutes
- 12. Research costs
- 13. Recommendations that are to be followed
- 14. Method of disclosing information and viewing research materials
- 15. Consultation counter

| I voluntarily give my consent to participate in this research.        |                              |
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| Printed Name of Participant   |                              |
| Signature of Participant  | Date                         |
| Printed Name of Representative  |                              |
| Relationship with Participant   |                              |
| Signature of Representative   | Date                         |
| I have accurately explained the information of this clinical trial to | o the potential participant. |
| Printed Name of Researcher  |                              |
| Signature of Researcher   | Date                         |