

Instructions for EGID Partners consent:

When you are on the consent page, please read the consent, and then scroll all the way to the bottom of the consent to read the entire thing and active the “Agree” box and “Next” button:

Thank you for your interest in participating in EGID Partners, a patient-centered research study. “Patient-centered research” means that patients and researchers partner with each other and work as a team. Your input is critical to the research process. Working together, patients and scientists hope to improve the quality of life for patients with eosinophilic GI diseases (EGIDs) like eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE), gastritis (EG), gastroenteritis (EGE), and colitis (EC).

This survey is intended for patients with EGIDs who are adults (18 years or older), parents or caregivers of children with EGIDs (younger than 18 years), or people without EGIDs who would like to help by participating as healthy controls. Participation is voluntary. If you choose to participate, we will ask you to provide information about your disease and treatment by completing an online survey. If you do not feel comfortable answering a survey question, you do not have to answer it. You can stop at any time and continue where you left off later. We will also touch base with you periodically to let you know about the progress of the program and to provide information about EGIDs. Every 6 months, we will ask you to do an additional survey to provide an update about your treatments and health. From time to time, we will let you know about additional research studies for which you might be eligible, and you can choose whether to accept or decline participation at that time.

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All data that you enter will be stored in a secure manner. The information you provide is completely confidential, and no personal information will be released to an outside party or disclosed publicly; however, de-identified health data may be used for research purposes. Completing the confidential baseline survey should only take 20-30 minutes of your time. The survey is implemented by the EGID Partners Data Management Center at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC). Your email address is linked to your survey so we can contact you in the future. Your information is kept completely confidential on UNC’s secure servers. There is no cost to you. For details, please [click here](#) to see our Privacy Policy and Data Security Measures.

Thank you for helping us and becoming an EGID Partner. We believe this project has excellent long-term potential to improve our understanding of EGIDs. By clicking “I agree” below, you are consenting to be part of this study and will be taken to the initial page to begin with EGID Partners. If you have any further questions regarding your rights as research participants please contact the University of North Carolina Institutional Review Board (email: irb_questions@unc.edu, phone: 919-966-3113). If you have any questions related to EGID Partners, please contact the Research Team (info_edigpartners@unc.edu).

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Again, thank you for your time and participation in this study.

Sincerely,
Evan Dellon, MD, MPH, and the EGID Partners Team

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