The Huntington Study Group (HSG), founded in 1993, is organized as an independent, nonprofit network of scientific investigators and clinicians who conduct research at their affiliated institutions and organizations. This network is comprised of scientific investigators and clinicians largely from academic and research centers who are committed to the cooperative planning, implementation, analysis, and reporting of controlled clinical trials and of other research studies aimed at improving the treatment of Huntington disease (HD) and related disorders. To this end, the HSG aims to advance knowledge about the cause(s), pathogenesis, and clinical impact of HD and related disorders, and to develop and implement scientific strategies to examine promising therapeutic interventions.

The HSG is committed to the principles of open and full scientific communication, peer review, full and open disclosure of potential conflicts-of-interest, and democratic governance of its organization and activities. The HSG is dedicated to educating professionals, including its membership, and the public about HD and related disorders. The HSG will work with other professional and family organizations and with government and industry sponsors to develop substantive treatments for patients and families affected by Huntington disease. All activities of the HSG are conducted in support of its mission of seeking treatments for those affected by Huntington disease.

By signing below, we are agreeing that our site, if approved as an HSG research site, will be dedicated to upholding the aforementioned HSG principles and will conduct HSG research in compliance with all HSG policies and standards.

On behalf of the HSG Credentials Committee and Executive Committee, I thank you for your interest in joining the Huntington Study Group and dedication and commitment to seeking treatments that make a difference for those affected by Huntington disease.

Sincerely,

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