

Student mENtal health SurVEy (SENSE): consent form

Thank you for considering taking part in this research. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns before you decide whether to participate (contact details below).

This study has been approved by the UCL Research Ethics Committee. Project ID number: 8227/002.

By selecting 'Yes' to each statement below you are consenting to that element of the study. If you do not indicate 'Yes', it will be assumed that you DO NOT consent to that part of the study. This may make you ineligible for the study.

		Consent	
		Yes	No
1.	I confirm that I am a UCL student, aged 18 years or older.		
2.	I confirm that I have read and understood the Participant Information Sheet (above) for this study. I have had the opportunity to consider the information and ask questions, which have been answered to my satisfaction.		
3.	I understand that my data will be kept confidential, stored securely, and all efforts will be made to ensure I cannot be identified. I acknowledge that my anonymised information will be used in scientific publications, research and reports. I understand that I will be able to withdraw my data up until February 2021 by emailing the researchers.		
4.	I understand that my email address is required to participate in this study. This is so that we can invite you to participate in three future time points of the survey (one per term). I understand that should I not wish to answer any other questions, I am free to leave them unanswered. I understand that according to data protection legislation, 'public task' will be the lawful basis for processing my personal data.		
5.	I agree that my pseudonymised research data (email address removed, identified by a study ID number only) may be used for future research. <i>(optional)</i>		
6.	I agree to participate in this study (SENSE).		

Please indicate below whether you would like your contact details to be retained, so that you can be contacted in the future by UCL researchers affiliated with the SENSE team who would like to:

- invite you to participate in follow up studies to this project*
- invite you to participate in future studies of a similar nature*

<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes, I would be happy to be contacted in this way
<input type="checkbox"/>	No, I would not like to be contacted

Further information:
www.sensestudy.co.uk

General study enquiries:

SENSEstudy@ucl.ac.uk

Researchers to contact:

- Tayla McCloud, PhD student and SENSE study lead, Division of Psychiatry (t.mccloud@ucl.ac.uk)
- Kirsty Nisbet, Research Coordinator, Division of Psychology and Language Sciences (k.nisbet@ucl.ac.uk)
- Principal Researcher (for any complaints): Professor Glyn Lewis, Psychiatrist and Professor of Epidemiological Psychiatry (glyn.lewis@ucl.ac.uk)

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Accessing Registry data

To address our research questions, we need to collect demographic information and details about your course. To keep the survey as short as possible, we want to access the demographic and course information you have already provided to the UCL Registry.

To do this, we need your consent and your Student ID number. This is not compulsory for your participation but it does make the survey shorter.

The Registry data we will receive does not include your name. It covers routine data collected by the registry office from students on enrolment and includes demographic information such as date of birth, ethnicity, nationality, faculty and programme of study. Full details are in the information sheet [here](#).

If you consent to this, none of your data or survey responses will be shared with UCL. We will only request data from UCL, not share any of your data with the University.

If you do not consent to us collecting this information from the UCL Registry, you will be asked to complete this information yourself. As with the rest of the survey, none of these questions are mandatory.

You can withdraw this consent at a later date if you change your mind, up until the end of the main study (February 2021). If you have any questions, please email the researchers at SENSEstudy@ucl.ac.uk.

	I consent to allow the researchers to access my data held by the UCL Registry.
	I do not consent to the researchers accessing my data held by the UCL Registry. (You will be asked to complete your demographic and course information.)