Consent Report

Study Project: Evaluation of the human carrying angle of the elbow joint with respect to race and inter-epicondylar distance of the humerus

Dear student:

We are conducting a morphological study related to the human carrying angle of the elbow joint and we would like to ask for your voluntary participation. In order to be eligible for participation you must be between 18 and 21 years of age and you must not suffered previous trauma or fractures in your upper limbs.

Please note that the study involves providing some personal information such as nationality, racial background, gender, age, height, weight, and dominant hand. However, for confidentiality, we are not asking for your name or student identification number.

In addition to the personal information, two surface measurements will be applied by a professional medical examiner. Those are; 1) measurement of the elbow carrying angle using a universal goniometer instrument, 2) measurement of the inter-epicondylar distance of the humerus using a manual caliper instrument. Further details about the measurement procedures will be explained by the medical examiner once you decided to participate.

If you decided to participate, then please fill part I (personal data) in the investigation sheet provided on the tables and come forward to one of our medical examiners in the room. Please, do NOT write your name or student ID number anywhere in the investigation sheet.

If you decided NOT to participate, then feel free to leave the room without any further consequences. In addition, you can stop participating in the study at any time if you so decided. Your decision to stop participating will NOT affect your relationship with the researchers.

This study project has been reviewed and approved by the Institutional Research Board (IRB) committee at Jordan University of Science & Technology. In case you have more questions or interested in further information about this research in general, you may contact the main investigator:
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