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# Guidance for comments to the NACG pan-Nordic clinical consent framework for genetic testing

The NACG pan-Nordic clinical consent framework for genetic testing has produced two draft forms: an information form and a consent form. In addition to a review session at the NACG workshop in November, the documents are open for public review and comment.

Please keep the following in mind when reviewing:

- The two documents are the result of collaborative work of multiple stakeholders in legal, clinical, laboratory, and industry and are currently being revised. The documents are expected to change significantly.
- These documents are intended for use within hospital settings when conducting genetic testing for adults for clinical purposes.
- The documents are intended for use in the Nordic countries.
- The documents will have sections customizable for the healthcare institution (e.g., how secondary findings are managed), where these sections will consist of multiple choice answers or open text.
- The information sheet is meant to be used together with the healthcare provider when discussing genetic testing.
- The consent form is meant to be used for documenting the patient's consent together with the healthcare provider.
- The documents are designed to be editable and downloadable for application in the healthcare setting.
- At the conclusion of this project, the documents will be translated into the Nordic languages.

Please send your comments to [serena.elizabeth.marshall@dnvgl.com](mailto:serena.elizabeth.marshall@dnvgl.com) with the following:

- Name
- Organization
- Role (clinical, researcher, laboratory, patient) and if you have direct contact with the clinical consent process or not
- Specify if your comments apply to the information sheet or consent form
- We welcome any and all comments! Don't be shy.