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NAME: _____ **AFFILIATION:** _____

ACTIVITY TITLE: _____ **ACTIVITY DATE:** _____

TOPIC (IF PRESENTER: _____

ROLE: ACTIVITY DIRECTOR CMEAC MODERATOR PANELIST PLANNING COMMITTEE PRESENTER

I reviewed the policy for managing conflicts of interest and agree to report any actual or potential conflict of interest.

I reviewed the policy on content validation and agree to present valid content that is accepted within the profession of medicine as adequate justification for these indications and contraindications in the care of patients.

Disclosure is required to inform course participants that an off-label drug use or an investigational device will be discussed. Do you plan to discuss off-label uses of medications or investigational devices during your presentation?

Yes No N/A If yes, please describe: _____

I agree to state in my presentation(s) that I am referencing unapproved drug or devices. N/A

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NATURE OF RELEVANT FINANCIAL RELATIONSHIP(S)

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Will any of the relationships identified in the chart above cause the information about healthcare products and services in the CME content you control to be commercially biased? Yes No N/A

(Type in your name to electronically sign)

Signature

Today’s Date



CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION | PRESENTER HIPAA COMPLIANCE FORM

PRESENTER'S NAME: _____

ACTIVITY DATE: _____

ACTIVITY TITLE: _____

PRESENTATION TITLE: _____

FROM: BRCAF CME ACTIVITY COMMITTEE

RE: HIPAA COMPLIANCE AND CME ACTIVITY MATERIALS

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I verify I am in compliance with the HIPAA standards to protect the privacy of the patients discussed in my CME Activity(s). I have either received written authorization from the patient, removed any identifiable images or patient records from my presentation, or my presentation does not pertain to patient treatment.

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Presenter's Signature

Today's Date

BRCA CME ACTIVITY COMMITTEE | DISCLOSURE AND CONTENT VALIDATION DECLARATION

EXAMPLE TERMINOLOGY

- **What was received?** Salary, royalty, intellectual property rights, consulting fee, honoraria, ownership interest (e.g., stocks, stock options or other ownership interest, excluding diversified mutual funds), or other financial benefit.
- **Role(s):** Employment, management position, independent contractor (including contracted research), consulting, speaking and teaching, membership on advisory committees or review panels, board membership, and 'other activities (please specify).

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

- **Commercial Interest:** The ACCME defines a "commercial interest" as any entity producing, marketing, re-selling, or distributing health care goods or services consumed by, or used on, patients.
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