



## Participants Sought for Research Studies in Cognition

### What is the purpose of the research?

We are recruiting healthy, control participants in several research studies. We will compare data from controls with data from people with mental illness to better understand the problems psychiatric patients have with concentration, memory, and problem-solving.

### Who can participate?

Men and Women who:

- \* Are 20 to 55 years of age
- \* Are in good physical health
- \* Have no mental illness

### What will participants be asked to do?

Participants will typically:

- \* Make 4 – 5 study visits to the Maryland Psychiatric Research Center (MPRC), each visit is about 1-3 hrs
- \* Complete paper and pencil tasks , questionnaires
- \* Complete computer tasks assessing working memory, attention, and decision making
- \* Some studies involve EEG and MRI scans

### Where is the study taking place?

The MPRC research facility, located on the Spring Grove Hospital Center Campus :

55 Wade Avenue, Catonsville MD 21228

### How much does it cost?

There is no cost for participation

### Will I receive payment of some kind?

Study participants will receive \$20/hr.

### How can I find out if I'm eligible to participate?

Call 410-402-6100 for a confidential screening

OR email [jnudelman@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:jnudelman@som.umaryland.edu) with your contact information

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