# Attention & Working Memory in People with Schizophrenia

### What is the purpose of the research?

To better understand the problems that people with schizophrenia have with concentration, memory, and problem-solving.

#### Who can participate?

This study is accepting men and women who:

- Are 18 to 55 years of age
- Are in good physical health
- Have a current diagnosis of Schizophrenia or Schizoaffective Disorder.

## \*Healthy volunteers who have no mental illness are also needed for this study\*

#### What will participants be asked to do?

The study usually consists of 3 - 4 visits, each visit is lasting approximately 1-3 hours.

Participants will typically:

- Complete paper and pencil tasks and questionnaires
- Complete computer-based thinking tasks.

Where is the study taking place?

The MPRC-ORP research facility, located on the Spring Grove Hospital Center Campus in Catonsville, Maryland

How much does it cost?

There is no cost for participation.

Will I receive payment of some kind?

All study participants will be compensated on an hourly basis for their time.

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

Call 410-402-7145 for a confidential screening.