



MEMORY AND AGING RESEARCH PROGRAMS

Seeking Individuals Ages 50+ to Help us Examine Everyday Abilities in Real World Settings

Researchers in the Department of Psychology are examining how individuals complete important daily activities from their own homes and what sort of strategies or aids people may use to support successful task completion. Additionally, researchers are evaluating how use of these strategies or aids may differ across cultures.

Who we need:

- Individuals ages 50 and older
- Speak fluent English
- Access to a computer or tablet with a webcam and microphone to participate in meetings via Zoom

Tasks involved if you participated:

- Complete an initial 30-60 minute telephone interview to determine if you are eligible for the study
- Participate in two 3-hour testing sessions via Zoom from your home
- Complete a packet of questionnaires regarding your physical and mental health, everyday cognitive abilities, and use of strategies/aids (1-2 hours)
- Wear a smart watch for two weeks and answer prompts on the smart watch 4x per day (optional)

Payments include an honorarium of \$60 in cash (additional \$40 if wear smart watch) and a neuropsychological report about your cognitive and physical health relative to others of your same age.

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This project has been reviewed and approved by the Washington State University Review Board for human subject participation.