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Research Volunteers Needed! Help Us Improve Healthy Aging for Women (50+) After Incarceration

12/2/2025

This study is designed to develop a tool to assist women with healthy reentry following incarceration. (It is the Women Initiating Support for Healthier Aging (WISHA) Study)

You May Qualify If You:

Are a woman 50 years or older with past incarceration of at least a year, and are not on supervised probation

OR

If you work in the community, or provide social or health services, where you assist women with reentry from incarceration.

What you will do: Complete online survey forms, and participate in one 2-hour interview on Zoom (or do the interview in-person, if you choose).

Benefit? You help to build a tool that may help women cope during reentry.

Your data and privacy are protected and kept confidential.

Compensation for you? Yes.

To participate email: athimmesch@kumc.edu or provide your information at <https://redcap.kumc.edu/surveys/?s=XWFW74MHRK3WX>

Thanks!

For more information

Call: (913) 538-1357 , or email bschuster@kumc.edu

Your family can help shape the future of health by joining the All of Us Research Program

11/19/2025

At the All of Us Research Program, our mission is simple: to speed up health research so that someday, everyone can get personalized health care to prevent and treat disease. Part of the National Institutes of Health, All of Us is changing how health research is done.

Adults from all backgrounds are sharing their health information to help researchers make discoveries. Now, children aged 4 years and younger can join All of Us, too. You can join All of Us online. You can also choose to enroll in person with the All of Us team at the University of Kansas Medical Center, Delp GH08 (walk-ins are welcome). As participants, you and your child will be able to choose how much you would like to participate. You can decide to:

- Share your electronic health records.
- Answer health surveys.
- Come in for an in-person visit to provide physical measurements (such as height and weight) and give a blood or saliva and urine sample.*

As an adult participant, you also may be able to mail a saliva sample from home. To get started, you will need to create an account at Participant.JoinAllofUs.org and consent to join. Then, contact our office and we will turn on the tile that allows you to create an account for your child. Visit JoinAllofUs.org to learn more about the program, its privacy safeguards, the benefits and risks of joining, and how data will be used. Questions? Contact us at (913) 588-2888 or email allofus@kumc.edu.

*As an adult participant, you will receive \$25 after completing an in-person visit to provide your samples and physical measurements. You also will receive \$25 at the end of your child's in-person visit when they provide their samples and physical measurements. Your child will receive a small thank you gift. Participants who do not complete an in-person visit will not receive \$25.

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For more information

Call: (913) 588-2888 , or email allofus@kumc.edu

Healthy Volunteers Needed for Pediatric Study (ages 5-17)

9/30/2025

1 hour and involves 1 visit. Complete a physical function assessment and timed function tests. Each child will receive \$50 for completing the visit.

For more information

Call: (913) 574-0008, or email Atenney@kumc.edu

Whey Protein Study in Older, Pre-frail Adults

9/9/2025

The Whey Protein Study is currently enrolling participants who are interested in joining a study to determine how whey protein may affect brain health and physical function.

What will I do?

- Consume either 1 serving of whey protein powder or placebo powder daily for 3 months
- Attend 4 study visits that include height, weight, waist circumference, body composition, physical function measures, food records and questionnaires.
- Perform 2 successful MRI scans

Am I Eligible?

- Age 65-85
- Pre-frail, determined by phone/online screener and first in-person visit
- Good general health, no diagnosis of acute/chronic kidney disease or recent cardiac event
- Not diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or dementia
- Not allergic to dairy or avoiding dairy for other reasons
- Not already consuming whey protein (over the past 30 days)
- Be able and willing to complete MRI scans

Contact

Call Caitlin at 913-588-6254 or email the (SullivanNutritionRes@kumc.edu) for more details.

For more information

Call: (913) 588-6254, or email SullivanNutritionRes@kumc.edu

Gender Diverse Persons Needed for Research Study!

6/4/2025

Are you a non-cis gendered person who is not using HRT? Consider joining our research study!

You may be eligible if you are between 18-50 years old and have access to an internet-capable device for web-based surveys.

Please reach out to our team at FACELab@kumc.edu or 913-588-7630.

For more information

Call: (913) 588-7630 , or email facelab@kumc.edu

Control Participants Needed for Early PKD Observational Cohort (EPOC) Study

5/1/2025

Observational clinical research study for the development of a biorepository of blood and urine samples. Polycystic Kidney Disease (PKD) researchers will use the samples to discover and monitor biological markers that are associated with cyst growth and kidney damage.

Currently enrolling normal control participants male or female 30 to 38 years of age with normal kidney function (no history of renal disease and have normal values for blood urea nitrogen and creatinine). This clinical research study takes place at the University of Kansas Medical Center. If eligible to participate, the study will consist of a single hour-long clinic visit where a blood and urine sample and relevant medical information will be collected. This clinical study will not administer investigational drug.

Inclusion for Normal Volunteers:

- Age 30 to 38 years of age
- Male or female with no history of kidney disease, and no family history of monogenic or inherited kidney diseases such as PKD, Fabry's Disease, Alport Syndrome, Tuberos Sclerosis, FSGS
- Participants must be continent (capable of controlling urination) and able to provide a urine sample for the study visit
- All races and ethnic groups
- Normal creatinine and/or normal GFR

Exclusion:

- Non-insulin or insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus
- Systemic illness, such as systemic lupus erythematosus, vasculitis etc.
- Unable to provide written informed consent

Compensation will be provided for participating in this clinical research study.

Contact study coordinator, Jordan Elliott at 913.588.7691 for more information and to learn if you qualify to participate!

For more information

Call: (913) 588-7691 , or email jelliott11@kumc.edu
