Invitation to join our study on nucleotide repeat expansion disorders (DM, DM1, HD, etc.)

Study Title:

Mechanisms of Repeat Instability Diseases

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Interested? To ask questions contact:

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Are you a patient diagnosed with Myotonic Dystrophy, Huntington's Disease, or Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis, or a family member of a patient? Consider participating in our study.

What is the study about?

To understand the molecular mechanisms that contribute to the expansion, as well as the natural progression, of those repeat instability diseases.

Who can participate?

You, as a patient, or your family member.

What's involved?

30 mins of extra time to your routine visit, and sampling of blood, if you are interested, at your clinic site at SickKids or another clinic site.

Are there benefits to participating?

There are no direct benefits to you for participating in this research, but this research may lead to better diagnosis and treatment in the future for patients who have the same or a similar condition as you.