



RESEARCH ON CURRENT LOCAL CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 EPIDEMIC

**WE ARE SEEKING PARTICIPANTS
AGED 2 to 80 YEARS OLD
FOR A RESEARCH STUDY TO
UNDERSTAND AND DEVELOP TREATMENTS FOR
SEVERE COVID-19 INFECTION**

Individuals aged 2 to 80 who have been diagnosed with COVID-19 infection (at any time), or who have recovered from COVID-19, are invited to participate in a research study that will work to identify risk factors for severe COVID-19, to characterize the virus, and to identify parts of the immune response that could help us identify treatments. In addition, adults, health-care workers and non-health care workers, who have had a significant exposure to a patient with COVID-19 (contact at distance of less than 6 feet without personal protective equipment) and have remained asymptomatic for 5 days and up to 21 days following exposure will be recruited.

ELIGIBLE STUDY PARTICIPANTS WITH CURRENT INFECTION WILL BE ASKED FOR A BLOOD DRAW, A THROAT SWAB, A NASAL SWAB, AND A SAMPLE OF URINE. BREAST MILK SAMPLES MAY ALSO BE PROVIDED.

PARTICIPANTS WHO HAVE ALREADY RECOVERED FROM INFECTION WILL BE ASKED FOR A BLOOD SAMPLE. BREAST MILK SAMPLES MAY ALSO BE PROVIDED.

ALL SAMPLES WILL BE PROCESSED AT TULANE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
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