



RESEARCH OPPORTUNITY

NAMI is committed to improving the lives of people impacted by mental health conditions through effective treatments, equitable public policies, and greater knowledge and understanding in society. Research is essential to advance each of these goals. When NAMI is approached to be involved in research of any type, at any level, we take it very seriously. NAMI's Chief Medical Officer Dr. Ken Duckworth and Chief Program Officer Dr. Teri Brister thoroughly review the research protocols and methodology and the documentation that the study has been approved by an Institutional Review Board (IRB) to assure the safety of those involved.

NAMI does not accept financial compensation for recruiting research participants. NAMI also does not endorse any products or treatments. We share these research opportunity notices with you, our field leaders, to distribute at your discretion if you believe that members of your community may be interested in participating in these studies. If you have questions about research at NAMI, please visit [NAMI.org/research](https://www.nami.org/research) or email research@nami.org.

WHAT IS THE STUDY?

This study is an assessment of a new educational tool for individuals who may be at risk for developing tardive dyskinesia and their family members/caregivers. To determine how effective the tool is, researchers need to understand 1) how much users learn from participating in the educational module and 2) how that learning affects their future behavior.

Participants will be asked to complete a brief online educational module, followed by a survey about what they learned and how they may choose to use this knowledge in the future. Total participation time is approximately 15 minutes. Participants who complete the survey will receive \$10 compensation in the form of a digital gift card.

Participants will also be asked to complete surveys 6 months and 12 months after completing the educational module to determine if they have chosen to take any action as a result of what they learned (for example, speaking to a doctor or seeking treatment for tardive dyskinesia). Additional compensation will be provided for each follow-up survey completed (\$10 per survey).

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

Approximately 1,000 people will be participating in this study. Participants may be eligible for this study if they:

- Are aged 18 years or older
- May be at risk of developing tardive dyskinesia due to a mental health condition, or are the family member/caregiver of an individual who may be at risk

WHERE IS THE STUDY TAKING PLACE?

This study will take place entirely online. To participate as an individual or a caregiver of an individual with a mental health condition, please visit this [link](#).

HOW DO I LEARN MORE?

The documents attached have additional information about the study. If you have questions or would like more information, please refer to the following [link](#).