



A Research Study on Boys with Down Syndrome

Who: Boys, ages 3-12, with Down syndrome to participate in a behavioral and genetic research study.

What: We will be testing learning skills, behavior, and measuring physical and motor development. We will also obtain a small blood sample for future genetic studies. We would like parents to complete cognitive testing as well, to help us understand more about their child.

Participants will receive **free lunch** on each day of testing. In addition, a detailed report based on your child's performance will be sent to you 6-8 weeks after your visit. There is no cost associated with joining this study. Reimbursement for travel will be provided.

Where: At the Kennedy Krieger Institute, Center for Genetic Disorders of Cognition & Behavior



When: The study takes place over the course of two consecutive days, each lasting about 5 hours. We will try our best to accommodate your schedule!

Why: To learn about the behavioral and cognitive features of children with Down syndrome, and to look specifically at the diagnosis of autism spectrum disorders within Down syndrome.

How: **Join today!** If you are interested in participating, please contact us!

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