



PARTICIPANTS NEEDED TO HELP IMPROVE THE HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE SYSTEM

Are you **older than 65 and living with dementia** or a **care partner** to someone over 65 living with dementia?

If so, we invite you to **participate in our study. We want to hear about experiences** from those living at home, a residence or long-term care.



Our study aims at improving the care of older adults with dementia in four Canadian provinces during and after the COVID-19 pandemic.

We would like you to share your experience with the use of health and social care services during the pandemic. Our study is being developed with the help of persons with dementia and care partners.

You would be invited to participate in a 60-minute interview at a time that is most convenient for you. This would be by phone, or Zoom, as you prefer.

Sharing your experience will help us develop recommendations to improve health and social services that are offered for persons living with dementia and their care partners. We will share our recommendations with health and social care providers, government, and the general public!

TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR STUDY or for more information, **contact:**

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This research has been approved on ethical grounds by the University of Saskatchewan Behavioural Research Ethics Board. Any questions regarding your rights as a participant may be addressed to that committee through the Research Ethics Office: ethics.office@usask.ca; 306-966-2975; out of town participants may call toll free 1-888-966-2975. If you have any questions concerning the research project, please contact Juanita Bacsu at 1 (306) 966-5925.

This study is in Saskatchewan, Ontario, Alberta, and Quebec and has the potential to have a Canada wide impact!

