**Participant Screener—Phone**

**FDA Healthcare Professional Interviews:**

**Risk Processing for Newly Promoted Prescription Drugs**

RECRUITMENT CRITERIA

1. Recruit *n* = 120
	1. Prescribers
2. Inclusion Criteria:
	1. Healthcare professionals:
		1. Primary care physician (PCP)
		2. Specialists: endocrinologist or neurologist
		3. Nurse practitioner (NP)
		4. Physician assistant (PA)
		5. Soft quotas:

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| **Location/Description** | **Sample Size** | **Total** |
| PCP | Specialist | NP | PA |
| **Urban** MedStar Washington Hospital Center located in Washington, DC | 10 | 10 | 18 | 16 | 54 |
| **Suburban** MedStar Southern Maryland’s HospitalClinton, MD | 10 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 38 |
| **Rural** MedStar St. Mary’s HospitalLeonardtown, MD  | 10 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 28 |
| **Total** | **30** | **30** | **30** | **30** | **120** |

* 1. Spends substantial time on direct patient care (≥ 50% for PCPs, NPs, and PAs; ≥ 20% for specialists)
	2. Must not have participated in research-related focus groups or interviews in past three months

THANK AND TERMINATE MESSAGE

* If ineligible, please say:

“Thank you for your time. You do not qualify to participate in the current study. Please continue to check for opportunities to participate in research through the MedStar Health System.”

**[INTRO TEXT FOR COLD CALL]**

Hello, I am [NAME] with [ORGANIZATION]. I’m calling for [PARTICIPANT NAME] regarding an opportunity to participate in a new research study.

This project is aimed toward understanding how prescribers process prescription drug information. This is not a clinical study; it will involve looking at prescription drug information and includes an eye-tracking component. If you choose to participate, your session will be scheduled for one hour during [TIME FRAME] at [LOCATION]. You will be paid for your participation. The tasks you will be asked to perform will take place in a simulated environment and you will not be asked to perform any tasks on yourself or a patient. We will also be using audio and video equipment to record the session for the purposes of data collection.

Are you interested in participating?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No -> THANK AND TERMINATE

**[INTRO TEXT FOR FOLLOW-UP CALL AFTER PARTICIPANT HAS EXPRESSED INTEREST VIA RESPONSE TO EMAIL/FLYER]**

Hello, I am [NAME] with [ORGANIZATION]. I’m calling for [PARTICIPANT NAME] regarding their interest in participating in a new research study.

Thank you for your interest. This study will involve looking at prescription drug information and involves an eye-tracking component. You will be paid for your participation. The tasks you will be asked to perform will take place in a simulated environment and you will not be asked to perform any tasks on yourself or a patient. We will also be using audio and video equipment to record the session for the purposes of data collection.

[Please record answers for all questions]

First, I need to ask a few questions to see if you qualify for the study.

Prescriber. Are you currently a primary care physician, specialist, nurse practitioner, or physician assistant with prescribing authority?

 [ ]  Yes, primary care physician. (Go to TimePtCare)

 [ ]  Yes, specialist. (Go to Specialist)

 [ ]  Yes, nurse practitioner. (Go to TimePtCare)

 [ ]  Yes, physician assistant. (Go to TimePtCare)

 [ ]  No -> THANK AND TERMINATE

Specialist. What is your medical specialty? [DO NOT READ OPTIONS ALOUD]

[ ] Endocrinology

[ ] Neurology

[ ] Other-> THANK AND TERMINATE

TimePtCare. About how much time do you spend on direct patient care? [DO NOT READ OPTIONS ALOUD]

[ ] Less than 20%

 [ ] 20–50%

 [ ] 50–70%

 [ ] More than 70%

If the participant is a **PCP, NP,** and **PA,** he or she must spend **at least 50%** of time on direct patient care to qualify.

If participant is a **specialist**, he or she must spend **at least 20%** of time on direct patient care to qualify.

OTHERWISE, THANK AND TERMINATE.

Glasses1. Do you require glasses for reading?

 [ ] Yes (Go to Glasses2)

 [ ] No (Go to PriorResearch)

Glasses2. Can you wear contacts to the session rather than reading glasses? For the eye-tracking portion, we have more successful calibration when participants do not wear glasses.

[ ] Yes

 [ ] No

**[NEW SCREEN]**

PriorResearch. When, if ever, was the last time you participated in an interview or focus group? [DO NOT READ OPTIONS]

[ ] Within the past three months -> THANK AND TERMINATE

 [ ] More than three months ago

 [ ] Never

[IF INELIGIBLE: THANK AND TERMINATE]

Thank you for your time. You do not qualify to participate in the current study. Please continue to check for opportunities to participate in research through the MedStar Health System.

[IF ELIGIBLE: SCHEDULE (see calendars)]

You are eligible to participate in the current study.

[For PCPs:] You will be paid $150 for your participation.

[For specialists:] You will be paid $175 for your participation.

[For NPs/PAs:] You will be paid $100 for your participation.

This one-hour section will be conducted at [LOCATION] on [DATE] at [TIME].

You will also receive a call or email two days before the study date to remind you of the upcoming session. At this time, may I collect your email address and verify your phone number?

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions. My phone number is [PHONE NUMBER] and again my name is [NAME].

Thank you very much! We appreciate your time and look forward to seeing you soon.