

# Histiocytic Disorders Follow-Up Study

**A Study for Patients with Histiocytic Disorders (Erdheim-Chester disease, Langerhans cell histiocytosis, Rosai-Dorfman disease, etc.)**

Histiocytic disorders are a rare group of blood diseases that can have diverse manifestations and can affect any organ system of the body.

## Participate!

If you or your loved one have ever been diagnosed with a histiocytic disorder, you are eligible for this study.

Earn up to \$25 for participating!

## Why are we doing this study?

This study is led by the University of Alabama at Birmingham (Dr. Gaurav Goyal). This study will help us better understand the long-term health problems that people with histiocytic disorders suffer from. This study aims to identify people at risk for these complications in order to help personalize treatments in future. Findings from these studies will also help identify those that need to be followed more closely or those that need preventive measures to ensure a healthy life free of complications.

## What happens if I join?

- You will be asked to complete a survey about your or your family member's health (45-60 minute)
- You will become a member of the largest study of its kind ever conducted

## How will it benefit me?

- You will contribute to our understanding of the healthcare needs of patients diagnosed with histiocytic disorders.
- You may have a chance to take part in studies designed to help survivors reduce the risk of complications.

## What else should I know?

If you sign up and change your mind later, you can stop being in the study at any time.

## Next Steps

If you are interested in participating or have any questions, contact our study staff:

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