

# **A Study of Brain Activity in People with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)**

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**Study:** Dr. Lisa Shin and colleagues in the Department of Psychiatry at the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) are conducting a research study to examine brain activity in individuals who have posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

Participation will take up to 5 hours of your time. It will involve undergoing a psychiatric assessment, filling out questionnaires, and lying in a scanner while “pictures” of your brain are taken using functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI). Participants will be paid \$100 for their time.

**Who is Eligible:** Individuals who are:

Age 18-45

Right-Handed

Not Pregnant

Without metal implants, such as pacemakers and aneurysm clips

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