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# Have an impact on the future of NF1 care.

## **You're invited to participate in a free genetic testing study.**

This important research will study the genes of people with neurofibromatosis type (NF1) to help us understand why some are more likely to develop certain disorders, such as increased cutaneous neurofibromas (skin tumors present in 99% of people with NF1).

## **By participating in this research, you may learn:**

- If you carry any other concerning genetic mutations that could be passed down to your children or shared by other family members.
- If you carry other genetic markers that could impact your health.

## **Who can participate?**

You are eligible if you are **40 years or older**, have been **diagnosed with NF1**, and currently have at least one **cutaneous neurofibroma**. This study is **remote** and you can participate from home anywhere.

If you choose to participate, you will be asked to complete a paper or online survey, send photographs of your skin to us, and provide a saliva sample to be used for genetic testing. You will receive a \$25 Amazon Gift Card for your participation in this study, as well as the option to explore the results of your genetic sequencing.

**For more information about the study, contact: Katya Vera at [katvera@stanford.edu](mailto:katvera@stanford.edu)**

**For any questions about participant's rights, contact 1-866-680-2906.**

**To get started, click [HERE](#) or visit [nf1genetics.org](http://nf1genetics.org)**