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National Initiative for the Care of the Elderly
Initiative nationale pour le soin des personnes âgées

We need your thoughts! **Participate in a Telephone Research Interview about the Mistreatment of Older Adults (ages 55+)**

Older adults (55+) are invited to participate in a telephone research interview where they will be asked questions about their personal safety and experiences with mistreatment (abuse and neglect).

This research is being conducted by researchers from the University of Toronto, Sherbrooke University, and Westat Corporation, in collaboration with researchers from other institutions across Canada and internationally. The study is funded by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (HRSDC).

English and French speaking participants from all backgrounds are welcome, particularly older adults from the Aboriginal, South Asian, Chinese, Caribbean and African communities. Participants should be living in non-institutional settings. Given the survey topic, individuals who have experienced abuse or neglect are encouraged to participate; however, this is not a requirement. The only exclusion criteria are cognitive impairment and inability to participate by telephone.

Nous sommes à la recherche de participants pour des entrevues téléphoniques, dans le cadre d'une étude nationale sur la maltraitance envers les personnes âgées canadiennes. Pour plus d'informations en français sur cette étude, ou pour participer à une entrevue téléphonique en Juin 2011, s'il vous plaît contacter Madame Cynthia Brunet à (819) 780-2220 x 45621, ou par courriel à Cynthia.Brunet@usherbrooke.ca.

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