



Improving Black Health Outcomes (IBHO) BioResource

What is it?

The IBHO BioResource is a new research initiative dedicated to studying health conditions that affect people from Black communities in the UK. The project is part of the NIHR BioResource, a re-contactable resource that connects health research volunteers to a wide range of research studies.



We are inviting volunteers with and without health conditions, who match the following criteria:

- From Black communities
- Lives in England
- We are also inviting Sickle Cell patients from any ethnic background to join the IBHO BioResource

What will I have to do?

- Read the Participant Information Sheet
- Once you are happy with the information, sign the consent form
- Provide a blood or saliva sample
- Fill out a Health and Lifestyle questionnaire. This helps researchers better understand how genetics and lifestyle affect health
- Be open to receive invitations to take part in further research studies. You are free to decline when invited

Who funds us?

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