

Suggested Verbal Summary 'Predicting Antidepressant Response' Study

This study is looking at how people respond to new courses of antidepressants, by measuring changes in the way people think about emotional information. The purpose of this study is to understand whether it might be possible to predict whether an antidepressant will work shortly after taking it, in order to improve the effectiveness of antidepressant treatments.

If you choose to take part in the study, you will be asked to complete some questionnaires and a short cognitive task online at four different times over the first 8 weeks of your treatment. This takes about 30 to 45 minutes to complete each time. The questionnaires ask about your current treatment and your mood. The task involves choosing between some positive and negative words to describe yourself and some other people. As a thank you for your time, you will be given a £10 amazon voucher each time you complete the questionnaires and task.

If you are interested in taking part I can pass your contact details on to the study team who can then give you more information before you decide.