## Do you suffer from chronic lower back pain?

# If so, you may be a candidate for this stem cell trial

If you struggle with chronic low back pain, you may qualify for a new research study that is offered at select U.S. sites. The study will investigate the use of a single injection of autologous (your "own" cells) stem cells or a sham procedure (placebo) in hopes to relieve the symptoms of Chronic Lumbar Disc Disease. The stem cells may provide anti-inflammatory and reparative actions that may regenerate the disc environment



In the United States, 25 million people suffer from chronic lower back pain each year, half of whom have or will be diagnosed with disc degeneration.

#### You qualify for the study if...

- You are 18 to 60 years of age
- You have had low back pain for at least 6 months and have not responded to other therapies
- You are not pregnant or breastfeeding
- You have been diagnosed with painful disc degeneration
- You have not had lumbosacral spine surgery
- You have not used nicotine products in the last 3 months

### What is involved if I participate?

The study will take approximately 26 months to complete, with most visits taking place in the first six months of participation in the trial.

If you qualify for this study, your doctor will review the complete list of risks and Informed Consent form with you in detail.

#### **Participant Resources:**

- You will receive study-related care from experienced doctors, nurses, and research staff at no-cost.
- The study will include trial-related medical examinations, surveys, and assessments performed by study physicians.
- You may receive reimbursement for transportation and the time required to participate in the trial.



If you are interested in participating or want to learn more visit:

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