Volunteers are needed for a research study comparing brain function in non-alcohol dependent people to people who are alcohol-dependent.

Study visits will include interviews, surveys, MRI brain scans, and tests of concentration, memory, and problem solving. Participation will last for 5 – 7 visits over about 4 months.

Participation is strictly voluntary and confidential. Participants are paid about $290 in the form of gift cards over 5 - 7 study visits.

For more information, contact Holly or Laura in Dr. William Hoffman’s lab at 503-721-7964.

To participate, you should:

- be between 18 and 55 years old
- have a recent history of alcohol dependence
- be currently involved in a substance abuse treatment program
- have not used drugs or alcohol for at least one week
- currently smoke cigarettes or have never been a regular smoker
- have no foreign metal objects in your body (except metal from medical procedures)

This study is for research purposes and is not treatment. This study is being conducted at the VA Portland Health Care System, 3710 SW US Veterans Hospital Road, Portland, OR 97239. You do NOT need to be a veteran to participate.

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