



Do you have Dry, Age-related Macular Degeneration (Dry AMD)?

**Take part in TELESCOPE,
a new genetic screening study
to help advance AMD research!**

Why are we collecting genetic samples?

Your genetic sample will help us see if you have rare variations in specific genes. A recent study showed that people with these specific gene variations are at a higher risk of developing late-stage, dry-AMD disease.

What is required of study participants?

If you agree to provide a genetic sample, you will have 1 study visit at which the research staff will collect a saliva sample.

What if I have the specific gene variation?

If you have the specific gene variation, you may be invited to participate in a separate interventional gene therapy study for dry AMD at an approved investigational site.

If you do not have the specific gene variation, you will be added to a confidential register. You can decide if you agree to be contacted for possible participation in future research studies.

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Will I receive study treatment?

No you will not received any treatment whilst participating in this TELESCOPE study. However, if you have the specific gene variation of interest, you may be invited to participate in a separate interventional gene therapy study for dry-AMD at an approved investigational site.

What are the benefits of participating?

This saliva sample donation for genotyping is for research purposes only. There is no benefit to you in providing this genetic sample. Information we learn from your sample may however be used to learn more about how to help other people in the future.

To learn more about the study and to see if you can take, please contact:

