

## Volunteer Research Assistant (RA) Positions

Working in collaboration with Mount Sinai Hospital, the Columbia University Couples Lab is exploring how fluctuations in facilitators and barriers influence medication adherence post allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT).

Medication non-adherence after allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplantation has severe consequences, including elevated risks for morbidity and mortality. Although there are currently no data on HSCT patients' rates of non-adherence after transplant, indirect evidence strongly suggests they will have difficulties with adherence.

We are examining what factors play a role in helping and hindering patients in taking their prescribed medications through the use of electronic pillboxes, self-report, and drug blood plasma levels, in hopes of developing future interventions to address these patient needs.

We are looking to add to our current team of researchers. Volunteer Research Assistants would need to be willing to commit to at least 10 hours per week for a minimum of three months. Additional opportunities are available for fluent Spanish or Mandarin speakers.

No previous research experience is necessary.

If you are interested in learning more about becoming a Research Assistant on this research project or at The Couples Lab, please email a copy of your CV and a brief letter of intent to our Lab Manager, Matthew Riccio, at coupleslab@psych.columbia.edu.

Thank you very much!