

Participate in a Research Study: **Sibling Caretakers of Adults with IDD's**

Purpose of the study:

To investigate how the future planning of sibling caregivers influences their relationship satisfaction with their romantic partners

Eligibility requirements:

- Must be currently caring for your brother/sister who has been diagnosed with having an intellectual and developmental disability (IDD)
- Must be in a long-term relationship (i.e., longer than 6 months)
- Must have English as your primary language
- Must be 18 years or older

Protocol Summary:

If you choose to participate in this study, you will complete a survey regarding your perspective on future planning, your experience with caregiving burden and social support, and your satisfaction within your current relationship. Participants will be given the option to complete the survey either online or as a paper copy.

Confidentiality:

- Your responses will remain completely anonymous!
- No identifying information that can link you to this study will be collected (i.e., no names, email addresses, or zip codes)



Participation in this study should only take about **45 minutes of your time, and can be taken in the comfort of your own home at your own pace!**

You will be benefitted with the knowledge that your participation is helping the future of sibling caregivers by helping with this growing area of research.

To participate, go to: tinyurl.com/IDDstudy

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this study, please contact:
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This study has been reviewed by the appropriate ethics committee IRB approval date: 11/5/2021

