

Name of Organization: Wake Forest School of Medicine

Event Name: Wake Forest University School of Medicine Clinical Research

Event Date and Time:

Two visits spaced 4 months apart, totaling four hours of service

Testing is completed at dates/times as convenient to volunteers; testing is first-come first-serve until our quota for athletes is met (45).

We have a strong preference for volunteers to complete visit #1 by early to mid-February.

Address of event:

Wake Forest School of Medicine, Biotech Place - 575 N. Patterson Ave Suite 530, Winston Salem, NC 27101

Are there any age restrictions on volunteers?

Participants must be male, ages 11-16 and must currently play a non-contact sport (i.e., no history of football/hockey), no history of head injury

Brief description of what the volunteers will be expected to do:

Eligible volunteers will attend two study visits and complete an assessment of brain health consisting of point-andclick computer tasks and 2 balance tasks at each. Volunteers of the study can accrue service hours upon completion of the study visits and receive gift card compensation at each visit.

Name and Email address of person to be contacted by students for additional information or to volunteer:

We ask that interested participants complete the following interest form for screening here & if eligible our study coordinator will contact for scheduling:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1RQ8fZyNNQbOmxkmcja8tNirbpm-2gIU-s-DSRIOSy5k

The interest form is preferred but volunteers may contact sportsstudies@wakehealth.edu or call 336-713-1263 if they choose.

Additional Information:

The goal of this study is to identify changes in the brain associated with participation in contact and non-contact sport. Greater understanding of these relationships will aid in improving sports safety.