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# Participants needed!



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Participants aged **55 years or older**, are needed to take part in an online study for a Master's Student who is studying Psychology at the University of Sheffield.

The study is interested in how **emotion recognition is impacted by age and loneliness**. I am passionate about the inclusion of older adults in psychological research and have a keen interest in understanding loneliness.

Participants must class themselves as 'healthy' in that you do not rely on others to care for your day to day needs. You do not need to classify yourself as lonely to take part.

Please do not take part if you have a clinical diagnosis of anxiety, cognitive impairment, dementia or Alzheimer's disease.

Participants must also have perceived normal or corrected to normal vision.

The session is expected to take around 45 minutes. Any participation would be greatly appreciated as not only are participants contributing valuable knowledge to the field, but you would also be aiding me in completing my Master's research project. This study takes place online, please note all tasks are computer based. You will need access to a computer or laptop with a keyboard in order to complete.

For further information contact the lead researcher Ella Ryall at [eryall1@sheffield.ac.uk](mailto:eryall1@sheffield.ac.uk)

To take part in the study and to read the in-depth information sheet please follow the link:

<https://tinyurl.com/bddrwx>