Female volunteers

needed for endometriosis research study





What is endometriosis

A disease where tissue similar to the lining inside the uterus grows outside the uterus.

What we are studying

We aim to compare immune cells of women with and without endometriosis to understand the disease mechanisms and develop a new diagnostic method.

What you will do

- Receive a medical evaluation for endometriosis by a gynecologist
- Collect menstrual blood at home using a provided kit
- 3. Bring the sample to our lab and undergo a blood draw

You may be eligible if:

- You are a woman (any age)
- You have been diagnosed with endometriosis before <u>OR</u>
- you have experienced symptoms similar to endometriosis, such as
- Painful periods
- Pain during intercourse
- Painful bowel movements or urination during periods
- Excessive menstrual bleeding
- Infertility
- Other symptoms (especially before or during periods): fatigue, bloating, diarrhea, constipation, nausea





If you meet the criteria and would like to volunteer, please fill out the form here



Compensation

10,000 Yen will be provided for participation

If you need more information

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