

Employment and Spinal Cord Injury Research Study

Participation Deadline: December 15th, 2010

CPA Ontario Employment Services, University of Toronto and a group of Australian Researchers are conducting a province-wide research study to learn about reasons for job loss following return to work after an SCI. The study is funded by the Ontario Neurotrauma Foundation and Victoria Neurotrauma Initiative (Australia).

The researchers will be working with participants in the SCI community, employers and service agencies to develop services that could have a positive impact on unnecessary job loss following return to work.

The goal of this study is to come up with practical solutions that will have a positive impact on employment rates for people with an SCI.

This is where we need your help. We're currently looking for participants throughout Ontario who meet the eligibility requirements below:

- Sustained a spinal cord injury
- Are of workforce age
- Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- Have employment experience after their injury
- Are able to participate in a 30 to 60 minute interview either in person or over the telephone

Your participation in this study is confidential. Only the researchers at University of Toronto will know who participated and have access to participant responses.

If you are interested in participating in the study, please follow this link
www.surveymonkey.com/s/employment_and_sci

For more information **or to participate via phone**, contact the University of Toronto researchers at:

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