

PARTICIPANTS NEEDED FOR VETERAN HEALTH RESEARCH

Traumatic Brain Injury & Military Occupational Exposure

Have you experienced a head injury or blast exposure during military service? Researchers at Brunel University London are conducting a study to understand how different types of exposure may affect long-term neurological health. This research is being conducted as part of PhD research, with full ethical approval.

About the Study

Military roles can involve different types of physical forces and exposures, including:

- Repeated low-level blast exposure (e.g., breaching, weapons training)
- Heavy weapons overpressure (e.g., artillery)
- Explosions or improvised explosive devices (IEDs)
- Vehicle shock and acceleration forces (land, air, or maritime)
- Impact head injuries

This study explores whether symptoms vary depending on the type of exposure and occupational role.

Who Can Take Part?

We are looking for veterans from any branch or role (e.g., Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Special Forces) who have experienced head injury or operational exposure during service. This includes individuals from a wide range of roles, including combat, training, technical, aviation, maritime, and support positions. This is not open to serving personnel.

Eligibility

You may participate if you:

- Are aged 18 or over
- Veteran of the UK, U.S., or Canadian armed forces
- Are willing to complete an anonymous online questionnaire

What's Involved?

- Online questionnaire (15–20 minutes)
- Fully anonymous
- Voluntary participation
- No payment, financial compensation, gifts, or incentives are offered for participation

Interested?

Participation is voluntary, and you may stop at any time before submission. Because responses are anonymous, they cannot be withdrawn after submission. This study is independent of any military organisation or healthcare provider. The survey includes a Participant Information Sheet and consent form on the first page.

👉 **Survey Link:** https://brunellifesc.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_26jTnECsr9aw6OO



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Thank you for considering taking part in this research.