

DOES BRIGHT LIGHT BOTHER YOU?

Help Us Better Understand Light Sensitivity in Albinism



NON-INVASIVE

Painless and safe testing



FAMILY FRIENDLY

All ages welcome (3 to 18)



PEDIATRIC QUESTIONNAIRE

Short visual light sensitivity questionnaire (VLSQ-P)



SHORT EVALUATION

Approximately 20–30 minutes

PARTICIPATION INVOLVES:

✓ Light Sensitivity Testing

You will look at different levels of light while we measure how comfortable or uncomfortable the light feels for your eyes.

✓ Answering a Short Questionnaire

You (or your parent/caregiver) will be asked some questions about how light affects your daily life like reading, school, screen use, and being outdoors.



WHY THIS RESEARCH MATTERS

Many people with albinism are bothered by bright light and glare.

For example:



Bright sunlight



Computer, tablet, or phone screens



Glare from windows or shiny surfaces



Indoor lights such as fluorescent or LED lights

This research will help us better understand light sensitivity and how it affects everyday life for people with albinism. What we learn may help improve future treatment and support for people with albinism.

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Experience the OPA Demonstration

Learn how researchers measure visual light sensitivity and glare discomfort.

INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING?

Speak with a member of our research team at our booth or scan the QR code to learn more.



BRIGHT LIGHT DISCOMFORT

Glare, squinting, and visual strain



Bright sunlight



Glare & reflections



Eye strain & discomfort



Hard to see clearly



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