## Bone Regulation of Energy and Male Fertility after SCI RESEARCH PARTICIPANTS NEEDED!

### Bone as Regulator of Energy Balance and Male Fertility after SCI: A Pilot Study

University of Minnesota researchers are seeking participants <u>with or without a spinal cord injury</u> for a clinical trial. We are interested in how bone health affects insulin sensitivity and sperm health in adult males with spinal cord injuries.

Participation in the research will take approximately 5 hours over 3-4 visits. Compensation of \$200 will be provided for participation.



#### Would this study be a good fit for me? This study may be a good fit if:

- Males (18-50 years of age)
- With a spinal cord injury
- Have completed inpatient rehab and are living in the community
- Use a wheelchair

OR

- Males (18-50 years of age)
- Without a spinal cord injury

# What would happen if I took part in this study?

If you decide to take part in this study, you will be asked to:

- A blood collection
- A sperm sample collection
- A DXA bone scan
- Complete surveys

### To participate in this study or for more information, go to Z.umn.edu/SCIBoneStudy or contact us at

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