Genetic Study of Schizophrenia

The Massachusetts General Hospital Schizophrenia Program is conducting a research study to better understand the genes involved in the symptoms of schizophrenia. We are seeking volunteers diagnosed with schizophrenia ages 18 to 70. The study involves one three-hour visit which includes a blood draw for four tubes of blood and a series of interviews and cognitive (thinking processes) testing. If you wish, your psychiatrist may receive a report of the cognitive test results. Payment of $50 is provided for participation. Transportation reimbursement is available. Please contact Daphne at 617-912-7893 or via e-mail at dalgaze@partners.org if you are interested in learning more about this study. IRB # 2001P-000560; DMH Central Office Research Review Committee (CORRC) #16-2001.