

Multiple Sclerosis Research Seeking Participants:

Microaggressions Experienced in the Workplace

Researchers at Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) are conducting a research study designed to learn about microaggressions experienced in the workplace by people living with multiple sclerosis (MS). Microaggressions are subtle, verbal or nonverbal, slights (that may be intentional or unintentional) towards individuals based on their membership to a specific group. The goal of this study is to gather information on these experiences, to better understand how they affect employment turnover, and to consider how personal strengths and values can help to cope with these experiences.

Participation in this study involves a 90-120 minute informal focus group at Illinois Institute of Technology. To participate in the focus group, you must be (a) 18 years old or older, (b) employed part-time or full-time, and (c) living with MS. Participants will receive a \$50 gift card for participating. If you are interested in participating, please contact Eun-Jeong Lee, PhD at 312-567-5202 or by email at elee20@iit.edu.