

RECRUITMENT CALL

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Looking for **Patient Partners and People with Lived Experiences** to join the IMPOWER Patient Partner Advisory Group

Eligibility:

Are you currently pregnant, trying to conceive, or have previously been pregnant and are living with an autoimmune disorder, or asthma? If so, we invite you to become a Patient Partner with the IMPOWER Research Lab.

Autoimmune disorders include, but are not limited to: Rheumatoid Arthritis, Crohn's and Colitis, Multiple Sclerosis, Celiac Disease, and Systemic Lupus.

Our Research:

We explore the use of medications in pregnant individuals, and those trying to conceive, who have an autoimmune disorder, or asthma, specifically the decision-making around medication use, and potential influences on the health of mothers and infants during and after pregnancy.

Benefits to you:

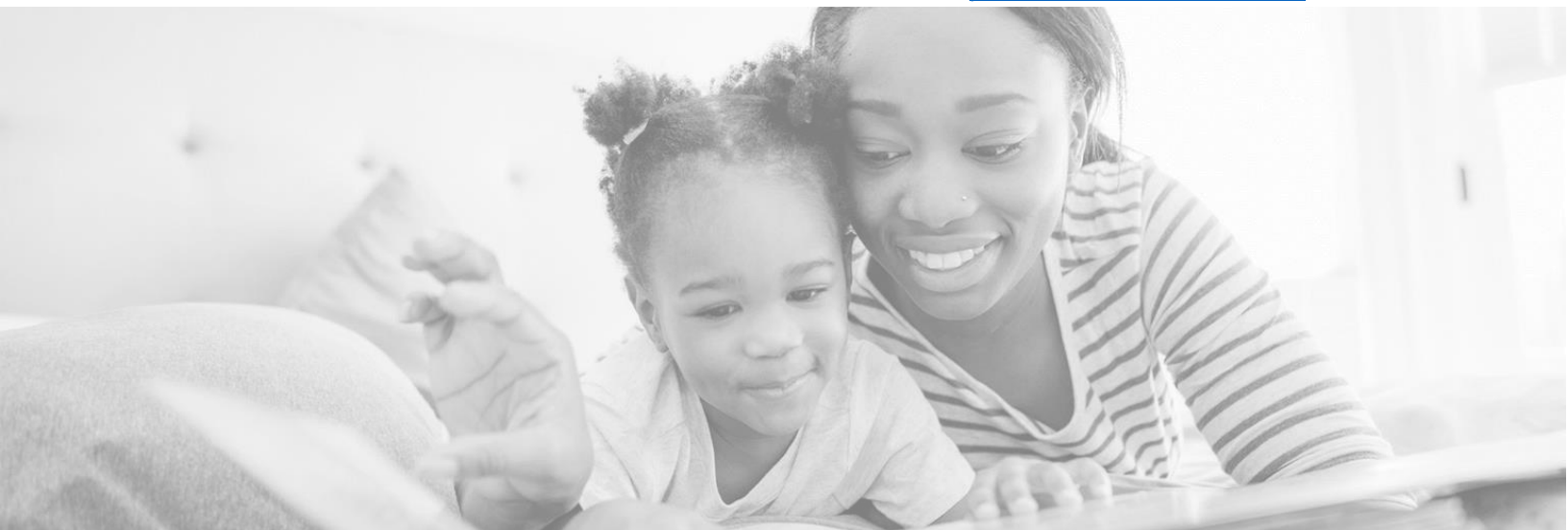
You will have the opportunity to provide feedback and share your own experiences to help us shape research questions, improve how research is shared with the public, and improve healthcare practices.

Patient Partners will be compensated for their time based on the level of engagement.

Interested?

We invite you to join our Patient Partner Advisory Group [here](#).

Need more information? Feel free to contact our research coordinator yanara.marks@sickkids.ca

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