## School of Public Health and Health Systems University of Waterloo

## PARTICIPANTS NEEDED FOR RESEARCH ON THE EXPERIENCES OF

## **COPING DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

## FOR ADULTS LIVING WITH 22q11DS

We are looking for adult (18+) volunteers to take part in a qualitative study that will explore how adults living with 22q11DS experience and adapt to the lifestyle changes from the COVID-19 Pandemic. Parent's perspectives on how their adult son/daughter is doing is also welcomed. Volunteers from Ontario are especially welcomed but if you are interested from another province or territory in Canada please let us know.

As a participant in this study, you would be asked to participate in an open-ended phone or online interview of approximately 60 minutes (either in one interview, or two shorter interviews of about 30 minutes). The questions will focus on better understanding participants' experiences with physical distancing, and other measures, during the COVID-19 pandemic.

For more information about this study, or to volunteer as a participant for this study, please contact Professor Sue Horton who will be supported by Research Assistant Jeremy Paulus.

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This study has been reviewed by, and received ethics clearance, from a University of Waterloo Research Ethics Committee ORE-45124

