

Does reduced motor cortical excitability cause post-stroke fatigue?

What is it?

TIPS (tDCS in post-stroke fatigue) is a Wellcome Trust and Stroke Association funded study in which we are trying to identify neural correlates of fatigue or tiredness in stroke patients. We think the way in which the brain controls the muscles in the body is different in those with and without fatigue.

How can I help?

We are recruiting people who have had a stroke into the study. It does not matter whether you have fatigue or not. We need to compare stroke survivors with different levels of fatigue.

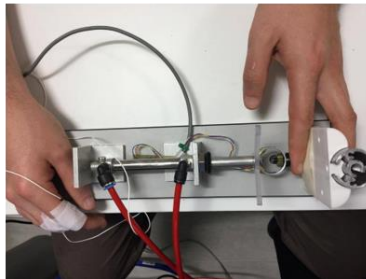
What does my participation involve?

It involves you answering a few questions, completing a few clinical tests as well as:

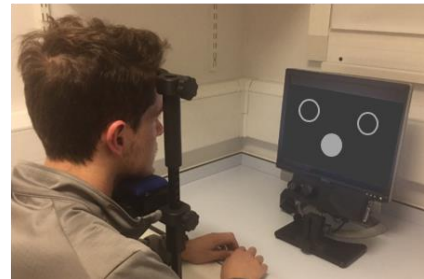
Brain Stimulation



Behavioural Task



Saccade Task



How long will the study take?

You will need to come in on at least 2 occasions. The first session is 1 hour in total and the second session is 3 hours in total with breaks in between.

What do I get out of the study?

Although there will be no direct benefits to you, we expect that this work will lead to a greater understanding of post-stroke fatigue and ultimately therefore to effective treatments and interventions. We will be happy to talk to you about post-stroke fatigue if appropriate.

Where will this take place?

At 33 Queen Square, London, WC1N 3BG

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