

RECRUITING PARTICIPANTS FOR RESEARCH STUDY ON

Counseling/Therapy Experiences of

Women of Color Survivors of Child Maltreatment

This study seeks to understand the counseling/therapy experiences of women of color who are survivors of child maltreatment. We are particularly interested in understanding what is helpful and not helpful about women of color's experiences in counseling/therapy.



CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPATION

1. Be 18 years of age or older.
2. Identify as a woman of color.
3. Assigned female at birth.
4. Experienced child maltreatment (abuse and/or neglect) between the ages of 5 and 18 years old.
5. Currently undergoing or have undergone therapy in the past to improve your psychological well-being as a survivor of child maltreatment.

PROCEDURES OF STUDY

If you volunteer to participate in this study, your participation includes:

1. Completion of a brief telephone screening to confirm your eligibility for this study.
2. Formally consenting to participate in this study and understanding confidentiality.
3. Completion of a brief demographic form.
4. Participating in an interview about your experiences that is between 45 and 60 minutes long (to be held at a confidential location of your choice or on the phone).
5. Review of your interview transcript for accuracy.

This study is conducted with IRB approval through the University of Georgia. If you are interested in participating in this study, please email Ciera Scott (cvscott@uga.edu) for more information. Ciera Scott is a second-year doctoral student in the Counseling Psychology program at UGA. Dr. Anneliese Singh, Assistant Professor with the Community Counseling program at UGA, serves as the primary investigator for this study.