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Dear Nueces County Residents:

The University of Michigan and Corpus Christi/Nueces County Health District are doing a study sponsored by the US National Institutes of Health called “Brain Attack Surveillance in Corpus Christi-Cognitive (BASIC-Cognitive)” (HUM00133485). By chance your address and phone number have been selected to be part of this study. The study is looking at how the brain functions during the aging process and is open to everyone 65 and over.

Due to the COVID-19 situation, the BASIC-Cog project has temporarily suspended in-person contact with the community. **We encourage you to contact us** at 361-826-1564 or by email, umhs-basiccognitive@med.umich.edu to hear more about our project to help older Americans. This can be done entirely by phone at this time. We want to reassure you that we are NOT soliciting nor are we selling anything, and your participation is completely voluntary.

You may also contact us to let us know that there is no one 65 and older living at your residence or that you do not want us to contact you at all. Please let us know if you prefer an in-person appointment and we can set that up for a future time (once we resume in-person contact). If we do not hear from you, we may also call you or stop by once the COVID-19 restrictions have been lifted.

In order to capture a true assessment of this important health issue, we hope that everyone will participate. Learn more about this study at www.basiccog.org.

Sincerely,

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Estimados residentes del Condado de Nueces:

La Universidad de Michigan y el Distrito Público de Salud de Corpus Christi/Condado de Nueces están conduciendo un estudio patrocinado por el Instituto Nacional de la Salud de EU llamado “Estudio BASIC Vigilancia de Ataque Cerebral en Corpus Christi-Cognitivo (BASIC-Cognitivo)” (HUM000133485). Por casualidad hemos escogido su casa y número de teléfono para ser parte de este estudio. El estudio está investigando cómo funciona el cerebro durante el proceso de envejecimiento y está abierto a todos 65 años y mayores.

Debido a la situación con el COVID-19, el proyecto BASIC- Cognitivo ha suspendido temporalmente el contacto en persona con la comunidad. Le recomendamos que se ponga en contacto con nosotros al 361-826-1564 o por correo electrónico, umhs-basiccognitive@med.umich.edu para escuchar más sobre nuestro proyecto para ayudar a los estadounidenses mayores. Esto se puede hacer completamente por teléfono a este momento. Queremos asegurarle que NO estamos solicitando ni estamos vendiendo nada y su participación es completamente voluntaria.

También puede llamarnos para informarnos que no hay residentes de 65 años o mayores viviendo en su residencia o si no desea que nos comuniquemos con usted en absoluto. Por favor, háganos saber si prefiere una cita en persona y podemos programarla para un tiempo futuro (una vez que resumamos el contacto en persona). Si no nos contacta, también podríamos llamarle o pasar una vez que se hayan levantado las restricciones del COVID-19.

Para captar una verdadera evaluación de este importante problema de salud, esperamos que todos participen. Aprendan más acerca de este estudio en www.basiccog.org.

Sinceramente,

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