



Males' Reflections on Being Raised by Parents with Psychotic Illnesses and Protective Factors that can Lead to the Development of Resilience

About the Study

We are conducting interviews with men aged 25 and over who were raised by a parent with a psychotic illness to understand the impact that being raised by such a parent had on them. Little previous research has been conducted in this area and the researcher hopes to help shed light on this important subject to inform healthcare providers.

Requirements to Take Part

- Male
- Aged 25 and over
- Raised by one or more parents with a diagnosed psychotic illness (e.g. Schizophrenia or Bipolar Disorder) for a total of at least 10 years (between the ages of 0-18).

What will it Involve?

An interview will be conducted over the Zoom platform that should last between 45-60 minutes. There will be between 10 and 15 questions and you will be welcome to talk for as long as you wish. Some questions will ask for basic demographic information regarding your age and ethnicity whilst others will ask more generally about your childhood experiences. You will also be asked questions regarding whether or not it was difficult growing up in such an environment and what helped you navigate through this and develop resilience.

What Will I Receive for Taking Part?

You will be given a £10 Amazon voucher as compensation for your time once completing the study.

Who Should I Contact if I Want to Take Part?

If you wish to take part, please contact the principal researcher, Jordan Behnam, for further details. Email: jordan.behnam@city.ac.uk

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This study has been reviewed by, and received ethics clearance through the Psychology Committee, City, University of London. If you would like to complain about any aspect of the study, please contact the Secretary to the Senate Research Ethics Committee on 020 7040 3040 or via email: Anna.Ramberg.1@city.ac.uk

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