

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ACTIONS TO ADDRESS SOCIAL VULNERABILITY IN CHINESE COMMUNITIES (EM FOR ALL) STUDY RECRUITMENT

We would like to invite members of the Chinese community living in the Greater Toronto Area or Nairobi to an on-line or telephone interview to understand the experience, challenges and coping mechanisms in the face of COVID-19.

PURPOSE

This phase of the project aims to explore social impacts of COVID-19 in Toronto & Nairobi. The end goal is to better understand how emergency management actions can address social impacts of the pandemic by examining how individuals within the Chinese community are understanding and reacting to the disease.

PARTICIPATION

- An interview will be done via a web conferencing software (e.g., Zoom, Google Hangout) or by telephone.
- Interview can be conducted in English, Mandarin or Cantonese.
- Information will be kept confidential.

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TARGET AUDIENCE

- Self-identify as ethnically Chinese
- Live in the Greater Toronto Area or Nairobi and its environs for at least one year

This study has been approved by ethics boards in Canada (York University & Ryerson University), Kenya (NACOSTI), and the USA (University of Nebraska Omaha).