Study for healthy old adults and adults with diabetes peripheral neuropathy:

We are looking for healthy old adults and old adults with diabetes peripheral neuropathy (DPN) age 65 years or older to examine the effect of peripheral neuropathy on risks of falling.

Older adults with diabetes peripheral neuropathy are at higher risk of falling due to damage to peripheral mechanoreceptors. This research seeks to identify the effect of DPN on neuromuscular and biomechanical characteristics to help in designing of rehabilitation programs.

Participant will participate:
1. One session data collection
2. The session will last for three hours
3. Perform normal daily living tasks like sit to stand and stand to sit

For more information

If you are interested in participating in this study please contact Mohsen Alighanbari at

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Location

University of Texas at Austin
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Fifth floor, Right Wing, Movement and Cognitive Rehabilitation Lab

Are you eligible?

→ Age 65 or older
→ Lack of neurological disorders
→ Healthy or have Diabetes with peripheral neuropathy
→ Ability to walk or stand independently
→ Do not have foot ulcer.