

Blood Sampling for Research Related to Sickle Cell Disease

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Status	RECRUITING
Sponsor	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK)
Enrollment	250 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (4)

- Patients with sickle cell trait
- Patients with known hemoglobinopathies involving one or two genes for sickle hemoglobin
- Healthy volunteers for control experiments
- Age range: adults greater than or equal to 18 years of age

Exclusion (2)

- Subjects who are unable to comprehend the investigational nature of the laboratory research are ineligible to enroll in this protocol.
- As a safety precaution in handling the blood samples, patients with HIV, Hepatitis B or Hepatitis C will be excluded from the study. HIV, Hepatitis B or Hepatitis C testing will not be done under this study. Participants must be co-enrolled under another NIH protocol where the screening evaluation has been performed.

Locations (1 total)

National Institutes of Health Clinical Center, Bethesda, Maryland, United States