

Immune-mediated Pathogenic Mechanisms of Neuro-PASC in Veterans

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Status RECRUITING
Sponsor VA Office of Research and Development
Enrollment 200 participants

Key Eligibility Criteria

Inclusion (5)

- Eligible participants will:
- have a history of SARS-CoV-2 infection 4 weeks prior to enrollment, defined as a positive PCR or home antigen test
- be able to give informed consent as determined by brief cognitive exam and evaluation of understanding of the risks, benefits, and voluntary nature of the study
- Additionally, participants enrolled as part of the neuro-PASC group must also:
- currently experience neuro-PASC symptoms, not present prior to infection, as confirmed by the "Long COVID-19 Symptom Assessment" scale, a self-report measure that consists of 46 common COVID-19 sequela symptoms

Exclusion (4)

- diagnosed with dementia, traumatic brain injury, a neurological syndrome (e.g. Parkinson disease, Alzheimer disease), or other progressive cognitive disorder before SARS-CoV-2 infection
- diagnosed with a mood or psychotic disorder before SARS-CoV-2 infection
- history of fibromyalgia or chronic fatigue syndrome prior to SARS-CoV-2 infection
- unstable medical conditions or active uncontrolled autoimmune or inflammatory conditions

Locations (2 total)

VA Portland Health Care System, Portland, OR, Portland, Oregon, United States
James H. Quillen VA Medical Center, Mountain Home, TN, Mountain Home, Tennessee, United States