Speech Comprehension Study

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- What happens in our brain while we listen to people speak?
- How are we able to understand words, sentences, and stories?
Our study aims to explore this, and you can help!

We are currently seeking adults who are:
- 70-75 years old
- Right-handed
- Native English speakers
- No neurological conditions
- Do not have metal in their bodies/mouth

Participation may include:
- Two visits (totaling 3.5-4.5 hours)
- Storytelling training and audio recording
- Short language assessment
- Brain imaging Scan (MRI) - safe, non-invasive with no x-rays or harmful radiation

Participants may receive:
- Up to $150 upon study completion, plus travel reimbursement
- An image of your brain

For complaints, concerns, or participant’s rights questions, contact 1-866-680-2906.