



Dear Candidate:

Pearson Clinical Assessment is conducting a validation study of the *Shaywitz DyslexiaScreen Adolescent and Adult Form*. This is an opportunity for you to participate in the study. You may have friends or family members who are eligible to participate as well.

Pearson is looking for individuals ages 14–65 with and without dyslexia to participate. We are looking for both normally achieving individuals and those who have been identified as having dyslexia (or reading disorder/learning disability in reading/writing).

Would you (or someone you know) like to participate? Do you have questions about the project?

Use the following web address to complete the online consent form and/or request additional information. Please share this link with others who may be interested as well.

www.surveymonkey.com/r/shaywitz

After submitting the online form, you will receive an email from our Pearson team to let you know if you meet the requirements of the study and, if so, to schedule testing.

Frequently Asked Questions

Why am I being asked to participate?

The purpose of this study is to evaluate the new test, not to reach any conclusions about participants. Based on the results of our research, we will create the final version of the test. Your participation helps us to “test” the test.

What will I be asked to do?

You will be asked to complete tasks related to vocabulary, reading, memory, and problem solving. The testing will last about **30-40 minutes** using a **computer video call**. You will need a computer with a camera and internet access to participate. Testing is scheduled at your convenience.

Will I receive compensation for participation?

Yes, you will receive **\$20** in the form of an Amazon.com gift code for participating in the study.

Will I get the test results?

No. We use the information we obtain to select items for the final version of the test.

Is my participation confidential?

Your name and contact information are only collected to schedule the test and process the payment. Your name will not be saved or associated with your scores. We will not share your information with any outside institution.

Does this have anything to do with immigration enforcement?

No. We do not report any personally identifiable information to any government agency.

Thank you for your interest in this project!

Sincerely,
Pearson Dyslexia Research Team