[Date]

Dear [Ms./Mr. NAME],

**The information below tells you about the study that might interest you. You can learn more or speak with the research team to decide if it is a good match for you.**

**Study Name:** Validating A Measure of Quality of Life for NF2 Clinical Trials

**What we are studying:** We would like your help validating a new quality-of-life questionnaire.

**Who might qualify:** We are looking for people ages ≥15 who have NF2 and live in the United States, Canada, United Kingdom, or Australia.

*These may or may not apply to you.*

**What you are asked**

**to do in the study:** This study involves completing an online survey that may take up to 30 minutes to complete. This study does not involve a drug or other intervention, and no travel is required. You will receive a $20 gift card (or local currency equivalent for international participants) as a thank you for your time.

**To learn more about THIS study:** Contact the study coordinator, Sophia Carias, at 617-643-8267 or [sccarias@mgh.harvard.edu](mailto:sccarias@mgh.harvard.edu) or the principal investigator Vanessa Merker at 617-724-6544 or [vmerker@mgh.harvard.edu](mailto:vmerker@mgh.harvard.edu).

After you learn more, you can decide to join or not. We may also find out that you do not qualify for the study. Whether you join the study or not, it will not change the medical care you receive here at Mass General Brigham.

Thank you in advance for considering this research study.

Sincerely,

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