~Research Study~

Project Title: Capacity to Consent to Research on Bipolar Disorder
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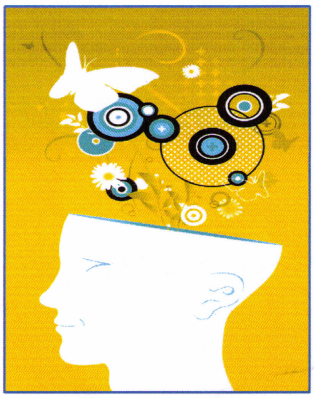
- **What is the purpose of our study?**
  - To understand how thinking abilities and psychiatric symptoms affect a patient's ability to make decisions

- **What's involved?**
  - One screening visit (questions about your history of psychiatric symptoms and substance use) ~ 1-3 hours
  - Four follow-up visits (tests of thinking abilities- memory, attention, and decision making) ~ 2-3 hours
  - $30 compensation for first 4 visits, $50 compensation for final visit; ($170 total)



- **Do I or my family member(s) qualify?**
  - Diagnosis of Bipolar Disorder
  - 18 years or older
  - Fluent in English

Please call us at 858-535-5795 for more information.

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