



CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY FOR WOMEN WITH STRESS URINARY INCONTINENCE

Are you one of the many American women 18 and older who experiences stress urinary incontinence?

If so, and you have tried medications and other therapies that have not worked, you may be a candidate for the **AMDC-USR clinical research study: Autologous Muscle Derived Cells for Urinary Sphincter Repair.**

WHAT IS THE AMDC-USR CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY?

The AMDC-USR clinical research study will evaluate the safety and effectiveness of an investigational product in which **your own muscle cells** are collected from your thigh, processed, and re-injected into your urethra — the tube connected to the bladder that releases urine.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE AMDC-USR CLINICAL RESEARCH STUDY?

- Women with symptoms of stress urinary incontinence (accidental loss of urine due to physical activity)
- At least 18 years of age or older

Women who participate in this study will be asked to attend in-person visits and provide thigh muscle biopsy, participate in telephone calls and symptom questionnaires, and complete voiding diaries during five follow-up visits over the course of two years.

For more information about the AMDC-USR clinical research study, please contact the clinical research coordinator at **412-647-5907** or **connellyc@upmc.edu**.

Patients will be seen at the Kaufmann Medical Building Urology Clinic, Suite 801, and will be compensated for their participation.