

CRITERIA AND PARTICIPATION

A study regarding 'Barriers to Employment and Coping Efficacy for Veterans' (BECES-V)

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Participation criteria

- ✓ Canadian Armed Forces member
- ✓ Experienced or is experiencing mental health problems (ex. depression, PTSD)
- ✓ has the intention to seek civil employment in the future
- ✓ Is over 18 years of age
- ✓ Speaks French and/or English

Steps toward participation (role of our collaborators = 1, 2, 3, 4)

- 1. The Collaborator (Case Manager) informs the veteran about the study.**
- 2. The Collaborator gives him the letter of invitation, the consent to release contact information, and the consent to participate form.**
- 3. If the veteran is interested in participating, he signs the consent forms and give them to the Collaborator.**
- 4. The Collaborator sends the consent documents (signed) by email at Maud.Mazaniello.CEMTL@ssss.gouv.qc.ca (or by fax).**
- The Research Coordinator contacts the participant to explain the study and answer his questions.
- They set a date for the administration of the BECES-V* questionnaire, sociodemographics and motivation to find a job questionnaires (Step 1).

Timeline

Basic level Step 1	+ 2 weeks Step 2	+ 6 months Step 3
By phone, with the Coordinator; administration of the following questionnaires: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• BECES-V*• Sociodemographics (ex. gender, age)• Motivation to find a job ≈ 45 minutes	Second administration of the BECES-V questionnaire, (random selection process, 15% of participants). To test the temporal stability of the tool. ≈ 30 minutes	Short phone interview with the Research Coordinator to learn more about the possible return to work of the participant. ≈ 5 minutes

* Barriers to Employment and Coping Efficacy for Veterans (Corbière, 2012)