

# Reducing Stress Eating and Food Craving

Cocaine Ecstasy Opiates  
Marijuana Nicotine **Comparison**

## **What is the purpose of the study?**

To see how a research drug, pexacerfont, affects food craving.

## **Who can participate in the study?**

This study is accepting men and women who:

- Are 21 to 65 years of age
- Frequently struggle to diet
- Are in generally good health

## **What will participants be asked to do?**

The study lasts up to 40 days and requires 7 study visits lasting between 2 and 3 hours each

Participants will:

- Take the study medication or a placebo for 4 weeks; placebo looks like the study medication but contains no active ingredients
- Record daily video of themselves taking the study medication
- Complete questionnaires
- Give saliva, blood and urine samples

## **Where is the study taking place?**

The NIDA Intramural Research Program is located on the Johns Hopkins Bayview campus in east Baltimore.

## **Will there be any cost to participate?**

There is no cost for participation.

## **Will I receive payment of some kind?**

All study participants will receive money for their participation in this study.

## **How can I find out if I'm eligible to participate?**

Call 1-800-535-8254 for a confidential screening.