Title:

Examining intersectional experiences with weight stigma among diverse Canadians

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Description of Study:

This study is an anonymous qualitative survey. The purpose of the research is to better understand how people in Canada experience weight stigma, and how weight stigma is experienced alongside other forms of marginalization, including ableism, racism, homophobia, sexism, and classism.

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Project Start Date: January 1, 2024

Project End Date: Data collection to end on or around June 30, 2024

Inclusion Criteria:

18 years or older and living in Canada

Ethics Approval: UVic REB #23-0202

Participation:

Complete survey: https://www.surveymonkey.ca/r/6RCTSRD

Survey participants will be able to enter a draw for 1 of 20 \$50 gift cards.

We recognize that writing about experiences with weight stigma may be difficult. A link to CAMH is provided, for those who may wish to seek out mental health services, if needed.

This survey is anonymous and demographic data will be presented in aggregate. Identifying information will be removed from qualitative data. The incentive entry and consent for contact for

follow-up research is a separate survey link and this information will be kept separate from the survey data.

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