

Play your part: Join the Orchestra Clinical Research Study in early-stage Parkinson's disease

Clinical research studies (also called clinical trials) are critical for identifying new ways of treating medical conditions and diseases. All medications must be tested in clinical research studies before they can be approved and prescribed to patients.

By joining a clinical study you might have the opportunity to better understand your condition, have your Parkinson's disease closely monitored, and contribute to finding out whether potential new treatments are well tolerated and effective in helping other people with Parkinson's disease in the future.

What is the Orchestra Study?

- The **Orchestra Study** is a clinical research study for people with **early-stage Parkinson's disease**.
- The study aims to find out whether an investigational medication called **UCB0599** might be able to slow down the progression of the disease and, as a result, its symptoms as well.
- The study will also check the safety and tolerability of **UCB0599**.
- If you join the study, you will receive either **UCB0599 or a placebo** (which looks like the study medication but does not contain any medicinally active ingredients).

You could take part in the Orchestra Study if you:

- Are aged **40–75 years**
- Have been **diagnosed with Parkinson's disease** in the **past 2 years**
- Experience **slowness of movement** and **muscle stiffness/rigidity** and/or **tremor/shaking**
- Have only **mild symptoms**
- Have not taken any **medications to treat your Parkinson's disease motor symptoms** (symptoms related to your movement) and are **not expected to need any such medications in the next 6 months**.

There are other criteria to meet, which will be discussed with you.

About the investigational study treatment

- The study medication (**UCB0599** or placebo) will be provided to you as **two oral capsules to be taken together, twice a day** (approximately 12 hours apart) for **18 months**.

Who will be joining?

It is planned that around **300 people** in North America and Europe with early-stage Parkinson's disease will enrol in the **Orchestra Study**. Participation in the study is expected to last around **21 months** in total. At the end of the 18 months of treatment, you can either stop treatment or possibly switch to an extended version of the study.



What will be involved?

Throughout the study, you will:

- Have regular scheduled appointments (some will be at the study centre while others will be at your home via a video call or a visit from a nurse).
- Undergo medical procedures and tests during these visits. This will include imaging tests to assess changes inside your brain, sampling of your spinal fluid (if you agree), body function tests, and questionnaires that ask about your symptoms, quality of life and activities. You will also have the option to wear a digital device (like a watch) to monitor your movements and motor symptoms.

We will reimburse your reasonable travel expenses and overnight stays as appropriate. You will not have to pay for any study drug, or any tests or medical procedures you undergo as part of this study.



How do I find out more?

For more information about the **Orchestra Study**, please contact:



Alternatively, please visit www.orchestra-study.com, or scan the QR code



Joining this study is completely voluntary – you may choose not to take part in the **Orchestra Study**, or you can change your mind at any time and choose to leave the study for any reason without penalty or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled. Whether or not you decide to participate in this study will not affect your current or future relationships with your doctors.