Eligibility Requirements:

- Over 18 years old
- Stroke(s) in the left hemisphere only (with or without language problems)
- Able to understand basic instructions
- Native speaker of English
- No other significant neurological conditions (e.g., MS, dementia)
- No history of learning disability
- No history of psychiatric disease requiring hospitalization
- No pacemaker or magnetic metal in the body

Participants will be reimbursed for their time.

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BUILD after Stroke
(NIH Funded Study)
For stroke survivors
Georgetown University
MedStar Health Research Institute
Did you recover the way you'd hoped? Or not? We are trying to understand why everyone's recovery is different

We are studying differences between people that might explain their individual recovery from stroke, including brain structures, language and speech abilities, speech therapy history, and more.

If you choose to participate:

- You will help us to understand how people recover language after stroke
- You will help us to gather information that may improve treatments for people with language difficulties after stroke
- You can choose to have your evaluations at Georgetown University or MedStar National Rehabilitation Hospital

What is the next step?

1. Call or e-mail us to discuss the study!
2. We will confirm your eligibility
3. Evaluations
   You will perform a series of language, speech, and cognitive activities over several sessions
4. MRI
   We will take pictures of your brain while you perform language tasks

Interested in a Treatment Study?
You may also be eligible for our studies of aphasia therapy. We would be happy to discuss that option with you!