

What is SUPERB?

SUPERB is a **research study**

It aims to find out what helps people adjust and **get on with life after stroke and aphasia**

Why are we doing the research?

People have **emotional needs** after **stroke** and **aphasia**

We **don't know enough** about these needs

Some people may get support from a team of **professionals**

Some people may attend **stroke groups**

Some people may get **visits** at home

We want to know what **works best**

What will happen?

SUPERB researchers will:

- visit **60 people with aphasia** at **home**
- ask **questions** about how they are **feeling** and how they are **getting on** with things.

Who is on the SUPERB team?

Prof Katerina Hilari is leading the study



Dr Nick Behn is the main researcher



Becky Moss is a researcher



Cecile Bremont is our administrator

Who are we working with?

We are working with four London boroughs:

Camden, Islington, Tower Hamlets and Hackney

We are working with **five hospitals**:

- **Royal London**
- **Homerton**
- **Royal Free**
- **National Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery**
- **UCL**

We are looking forward to working with the staff and people with aphasia involved

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Milestones achieved:

- ✓ **Five workshops with consultants with aphasia** have been held
- ✓ **Our research protocol is finalised**
- ✓ **The protocol was presented at the International Aphasia Rehabilitation Conference**
- ✓ **We have ethics approval and HRA approval**
- ✓ **We have R&D approval from Homerton, Royal Free and Royal London hospitals**
- ✓ **SUPERB has been adopted into the NIHR Clinical Research Network (CRN) Portfolio**
- ✓✓ **AND: we have recruited our first participants!**



We are working on:

R&D approval from UCLH

Training our researchers

Site initiation visits

Recruitment of more participants with aphasia

Setting up a user group

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**Homerton hospital
for most efficient approval process**



Thank you to all our collaborators and participants

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