

VA Study for Alcohol Problems

Veterans are needed for a research study examining if the **medications prazosin and naltrexone** can help with alcohol use.

(Naltrexone is FDA approved for treating alcohol use.

Prazosin is an investigational drug that is not FDA approved for this.)

You may be eligible if:

- You are a Veteran and have current alcohol problems and want to stop drinking or cut down to safe levels
- You have been drinking alcohol during the last month
- You have a telephone and a stable place to live

Participation is over an 8-week period and involves:

- Screening, enrollment and final assessment at the Seattle VA
- Weekly study visits to American Lake or Seattle VA
- Psychiatric interviews and questionnaires
- Two separate blood draws
- Taking study medications (prazosin, naltrexone, or placebo) 3 times daily for 6 weeks
- Completing brief daily telephone assessments for 8 weeks

You will be paid up to \$344 for your time and effort to participate.

Thank you for your interest in this study! For more information, call Robbie at 206-277-4872