Healthy Control Subjects Wanted
To Participate in a Research Study
Investigating Balance during Walking

PURPOSE:
The goal of this project is to improve mobility in individuals with chronic spinal cord injury through the development of a novel robotic device aimed at improving balance during walking. If you choose to participate in this research you will be observed as you walk on a treadmill either with or without balance assistance and challenges being created by the rehabilitation robotic device.

ELIGIBILITY:
- Age 18 to 70 years
- No history of significant neurological, orthopedic, cardiorespiratory or metabolic disease which may limit walking ability.
- Ability to walk continuously, without assistance for 10 minutes.

BENEFITS: Participation in this research may help improve current gait rehabilitation practice. However, as this is an experimental study, it is not certain that participating in this study will provide any direct benefit. Healthy controls in this study are not expected to change their walking ability in any significant way.

COMPENSATION: You will be paid $25 per visit for your participation in this research.

TRANSPORTATION/PARKING: Transportation to and from the research site will not be provided. Validated parking for participants will be available two blocks from the research site.

CONTACT: All research will be conducted at the following location:
The Human Agility Laboratory
Northwestern University
645 N Michigan Ave, Suite 1100
Chicago, IL 60610

If you would like more information about participating in this research please contact:
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When approved, the advertisement will be stamped with an IRB Approval Stamp with approval dates