CANADIAN FIRST RESPONDERS

YOUR EXPERIENCES MATTER



You are invited to participate in a research study exploring the experiences of Canadian first responders and the meaning they make of potentially morally injurious events (PMIEs) in their work.

ABOUT THE STUDY

This study seeks to understand how Canadian paramedics/EMRs/EMTs, firefighters, and police officers experience and make meaning of events that challenge or conflict with their deeply held moral beliefs, values, or sense of right and wrong in the context of their frontline work.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

- 18 years of age or older
- Currently serve or have previously served as a first responder in Canada for a minimum of one year
- Paramedics/EMRs/EMTs, firefighters, or police officers
- Served in a public-facing frontline role where you engage directly with the public in your community
- Able to complete the interview in English

WHAT PARTICIPATION INVOLVES

- One confidential, one-on-one virtual interview (approximately 30–60 minutes)
- A conversation about your experiences and the meaning you make of them
- Your participation may help inform better support, training, and resources for Canadian first responders.

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This study has been reviewed by the Regent University Research Ethics Board.
Participation is voluntary. Your privacy and confidentiality will be protected.

SCAN FOR STUDY INFORMATION

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