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## **PARTICIPANT INVITATION LETTER**

### **A randomised controlled trial of the effectiveness of PDSAFE to prevent falls among people with Parkinson's: Main Trial**

Dear

I am writing on behalf of Dr, to invite you to take part in a research trial, 'A randomised controlled trial of the effectiveness of PDSAFE to prevent falls among people with Parkinson's. This research is being led by Professor Ann Ashburn, Professor of Rehabilitation at the University of Southampton. We are considering new ways of helping people with Parkinson's to maintain safe balance and walking and we have chosen to do this by studying the benefits of exercises and strategies designed to help people to improve the way they move about. I enclose an Information Sheet that explains more about the trial. If you have any questions that are not answered in the Information Sheet please feel free to contact me using the details above.

If you are interested in taking part in this trial and would like further information, I would be most grateful if you would complete the 'reply slip' enclosed and return it in the pre-addressed Freepost envelope provided. This will not commit you to taking part in the trial.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

<Contact details for Local Assessor for the PDSAFE Trial>