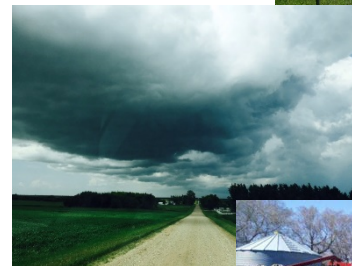


# Farmers Back Study

## Data Collection Update 2015

- ✦ The Farmers Back Study was funded by the Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation in 2012
- ✦ The research team collected data at farms throughout central Saskatchewan from March-November 2015
- ✦ Thanks to all the participants!
  - ✦ 22 farms participated
  - ✦ 54 Farmers and farm workers participated - most people participated for 2 or 3 days
- ✦ We were able to measure:
  - ✦ Posture for 98 days
  - ✦ Vehicle vibration for 80 rides
  - ✦ Video recordings for 48 farm tasks
  - ✦ End-of-day questionnaires on work tasks for 98 days
  - ✦ Comprehensive winter questionnaire for 32 people
  - ✦ Interview on Safety modifications with 23 people
  - ✦ Interview on Back Health experience with 19 people
- ✦ It will take us a while to analyze all the data, so we plan on sending a report in 2017



### Want more information?

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