**Waking Up Anna**

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**Part 7: Beyond Waking Up**

Access to adequate quantities of the drug presents a practical problem for Flumazenil to be considered as a cure for hypersomnia. Anna is the only one person in the world who has taken the drug for an extended period of time. Ongoing research is focused on learning more about Anna’s condition and figuring out alternative ways to treat it.

Q1 (2 pts). How would you design the next experiment to figure out if the mechanism that you are proposing can explain Anna’s recovery from hypersomnia (with Flumazenil treatment)?

Q2 (2 pts). Briefly describe in 3-4 sentences what experiments you would do and why?