Volunteers Needed For Aging Brain Study (ADRC)

**WHAT:** The Stanford University Department of Neurology and Neurological Sciences are looking for participants with a diagnosis of Alzheimer’s Disease, Parkinson’s Disease, Lewy Body Dementia or Mild Cognitive Impairment to participate in a broad, multidisciplinary research study of memory and aging. The study involves brain imaging (MRI), genetic testing, memory testing, questionnaires and the analysis of proteins in the blood and spinal fluid. Our goal for this research is to develop biological markers to aid in the better understanding, early detection, and treatment of Alzheimer’s Disease, Parkinson’s Disease and other dementias.

**WHERE:** All procedures will be performed at Stanford Health Care and Stanford University.

**COMMITMENT:** Participation will involve 2 to 3 days of participation. These visits may be spread out over a range of 3 months.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Diagnosis of Alzheimer’s Disease, Parkinson’s Disease, Lewy Body Dementia and/or Mild Cognitive Impairment.

**WHAT TO EXPECT IF YOU VOLUNTEER FOR THIS STUDY:** One to two MRI scans, a neurological exam, questionnaires, a neuropsychological assessment (memory tests), a lumbar puncture (spinal fluid draw), and a blood draw. We might ask you to participate in other tests and studies.

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