

Canberra Longitudinal Study

<https://neurodegenerationresearch.eu/ro/cohort/canberra-longitudinal-study/>

Cohort Acronym

Cohort type

General population-based cohort

Disease

Dementia (unclassified), Parkinson's disease

Participant type

No diagnosis

Profile

Recruitment Period 1990

Sample size at start or planned sample size if still recruiting

Estimated Current Sample Size 0 to 4,999

Age at Recruitment ?70

Gender Male and Female

Abstract

The Canberra Longitudinal Study is a 12 year study into the health and memory of older people which commenced in 1990, with subsequent waves in 1994, 1998 and 2002. The 2002 wave was the last time that participants were approached for interviews – the youngest participant in 2002 was 82 years of age.

Country Australia

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Variables Collected

Brain related measures:

N/A

Functional rating:

Individual physiological, Individual psychological

Anthropometric:

Weight

Physical:

Cardiovascular, Hearing and Vision, Musculoskeletal, Respiratory

Biological samples:

Other

Genotyping:

N/A

Brain imaging:

N/A

Brain banking:

N/A

Lifestyle:

Alcohol, Dietary habits, Physical activity, Smoking

Socio-economic:

Education, Ethnic group, Family circumstances, Income and finances, Informal support, Marital status, Occupation and employment, Unpaid care

Health service utilisation:

Formal health and social care service utilisation including private care