

## Participants in the ADPC research study will undergo:

- memory testing
- positron emission tomography scan (PET) of the brain
- medical exam
- magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) of the brain
- blood draw
- interview

Participation is free, and compensation will be provided for eligible participants who complete the study. You can choose to have a copy of your results sent to you and/or your health care provider.

### Referral to: Alzheimer's Disease in Primary Care Research Study

I am referring \_\_\_\_\_  
*Potential participant's name*

to the clinical research study "Alzheimer's Disease in Primary Care".

The purpose of this research study is to examine the accuracy of an Alzheimer's Disease blood test for use by primary care providers.

This potential participant is:

- age 65 or over
- memory concerns (per patient, family, health care provider)

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*Signature of health care provider*

Potential participants please contact:

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You must bring this signed referral form with you to your 1st study visit.

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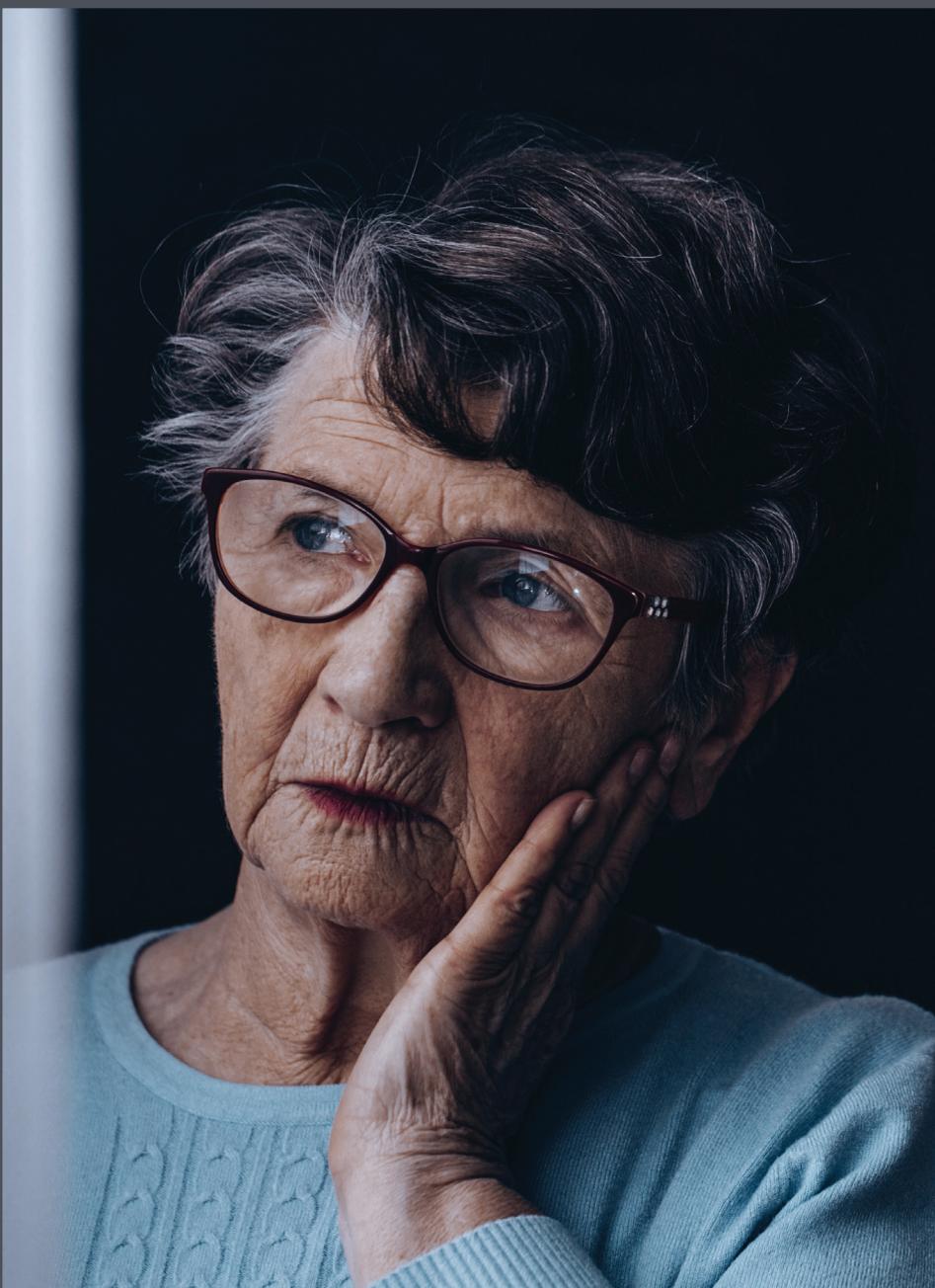


# Alzheimer's Disease in Primary Care

What if we could diagnose Alzheimer's Disease  
with a simple blood test?



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## Are you worried about your memory?

Alzheimer's disease is the most common cause of memory problems as we age. Early diagnosis is one of the keys to slowing the progression of Alzheimer's Disease. However, a simple blood test for primary care health providers for this disease does not exist. The Alzheimer's Disease in Primary Care (ADPC) study was designed to see if a simple blood test can be used to determine if subtle changes in memory and thinking are part of the

normal aging process or indicate a need for extensive work up and diagnosis by a specialist. The ADPC study is also seeking to determine which people with normal memory may benefit from participation in novel clinical trials that will seek to prevent the development of memory issues. If you are experiencing memory problems and have a referral from your health care provider, you may qualify to participate in this research study.

## Signs of Memory Loss

- Forgetting new information
- Difficulty remembering grocery lists
- Frequently misplacing things (e.g. keys)
- Getting lost in familiar areas
- Forgetting recent phone calls and conversations
- Trouble finding words
- Repeating things
- Trouble managing money and paying bills

\* These things are a change from prior ability

\* These changes have been noticed by loved ones