

SLAS

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Summary

Setting:	South East and South West Region of Singapore
Start Date:	2003
End Date:	Ongoing
Participants:	2804 (SLASI) and 2796 (SLASII) individuals aged 55+ years
Assessment Schedule:	Baseline, follow-ups including 1-2 and 4 years
Measures:	(1) Neuropsychiatric and neuropsychiatric assessments assessing dementia, MCI and cognitive decline; (2) Broad range of socioeconomic, psychosocial, behavioural, biological, clinical and nutritional factors; (3) Blood samples and genotyping; (4) Subgroups with structural and functional brain imaging.

Further Information

- <http://www.nuhs.edu.sg/research/programmatic-research/som-registered-programmes/gerontology-research-programme.html>
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