

Sydney Memory & Ageing Study

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Summary

Setting:	Sydney, Australia
Start Date:	2005
End Date:	Ongoing
Participants:	1037 individuals aged 70+ years
Assessment Schedule:	2 year intervals, with intervening year telephonic review
Measures:	(1) Neuropsychiatric assessments assessing dementia, MCI and cognitive decline; (2) Broad range of sociodemographic, lifestyle and cardiac, physical and mental health factors; (3) Blood samples and genotyping; (4) Subgroups with MRI scans (structural and functional) and for studies of falls and balance, inflammatory and metabolic markers, and prospective memory.

Further Information

- [Sydney Memory and Ageing Study](#)
- [Sachdev et al. The Sydney Memory and Ageing Study \(MAS\): methodology and baseline medical and neuropsychiatric characteristics of an elderly epidemiological non-demented cohort of Australians aged 70-90 years. *Int Psychogeriatr* 2010;22:1248-64 \(637kb, PDF\)](#)

