

What to Expect with the **New IDEAS** Research Study



The purpose of the New IDEAS study is to learn if your PET brain scan results help guide your memory care doctor in diagnosing and treating your memory loss.

Taking part in New IDEAS is up to you. You can leave the study at any time.

If you have any questions about the study, please be in touch!

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iDEAS
Brain Imaging Study
for Memory Loss

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First Study Visit

When: During a regular memory care visit

What to expect:

Your memory care doctor will help you decide if the study is right for you.

If you join the study, you will:

- answer some questions about yourself
- review your medical history and current care plan
- be given instructions for:
 - mailing in 1 saliva sample
 - having 1 **optional** blood draw at a local Quest laboratory (to be stored for future research)

Two More Visits

When: 2 months and 5 months after your first visit

What to expect:

You will have 2 visits:

- 1 visit for an amyloid PET brain scan
- 1 follow-up visit with your memory care doctor to review your scan results and create a personalized treatment plan

After you finish these 2 visits:

- You will continue seeing your doctor for your care.
- The study team will gather information from your health records, such as changes in diagnosis or medications you take for your memory loss. This will:
 - **not** take any additional time for you or your family
 - happen over the next 1-3 years
 - help us see if the PET scan results lead to better memory care for you

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Study Updates & Findings

When: throughout study/end of study

What to expect:

We will share study updates and final study results on the New IDEAS website: Ideas-Study.org/PatientHome.

Study Costs:

- PET scan cost is covered by Medicare
- You will be responsible for:
 - PET scan deductible and copay
 - Copays for visits with your memory care doctor

Compensation:

- There is no compensation for the overall study.
- If you choose to have the optional blood draw, you will receive \$75.