

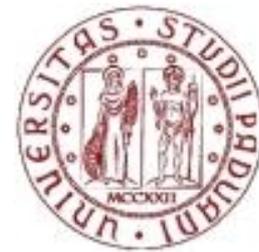
PET nella Malattia di Parkinson e Parkinsonismi

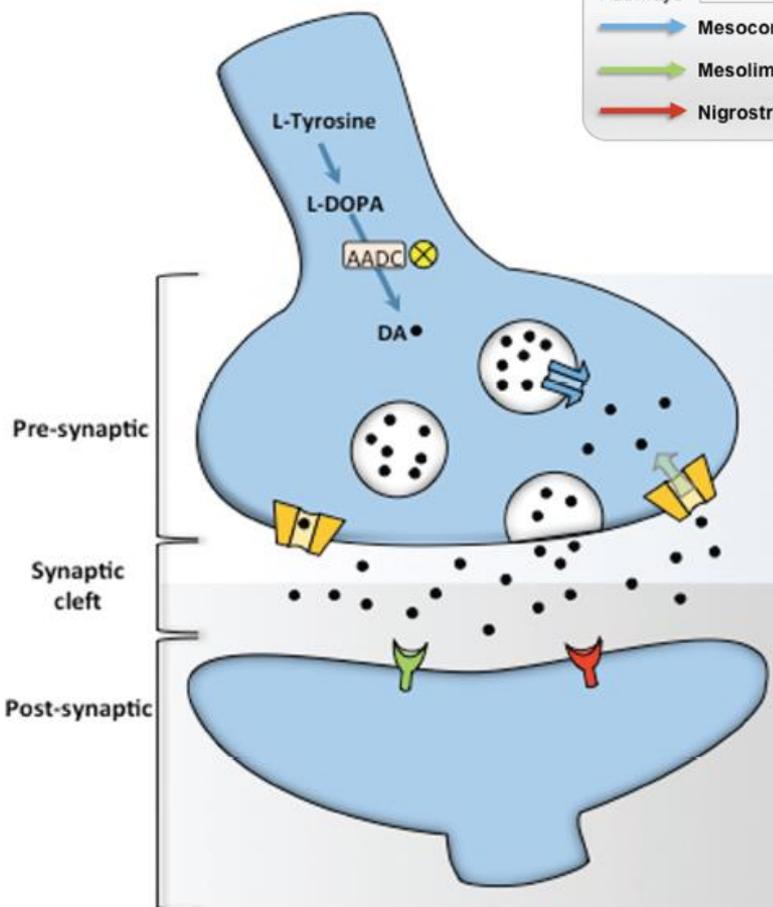
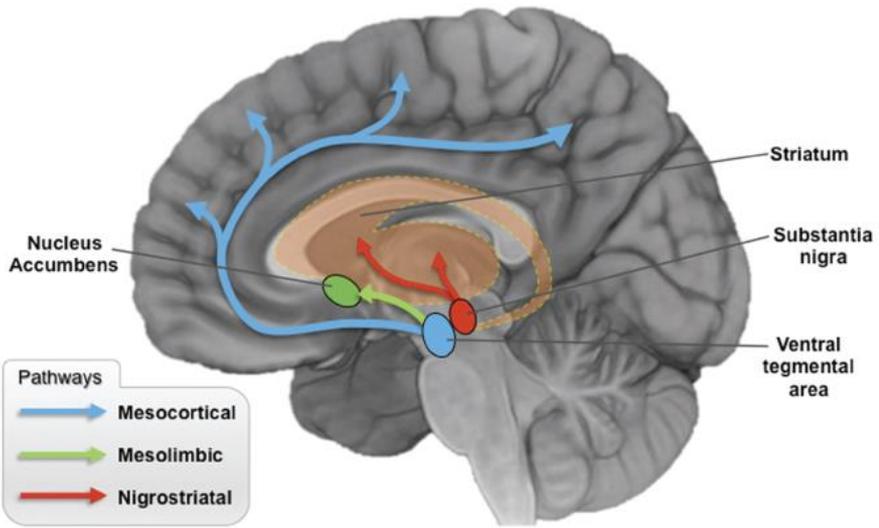
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PET Target	[¹¹ C]	[¹⁸ F]	[¹²³ I]
VMAT2	C-DTBZ	F-DTBZ	
DAT	C-CFT C-RTI 32	F-CFT	I-altropane I-β-CIT I-FP-CIT
DA Synthesis		F-DOPA F-FMT	
D1	C-NNC 112 C-SCH23390	F-Fallypride F-DMFP	
D2/D3	C-Raclopride C-FLB457 C-NMSP C-MNPA C-PHNO C-NPA C-NMB		I-IBZM Epidopride

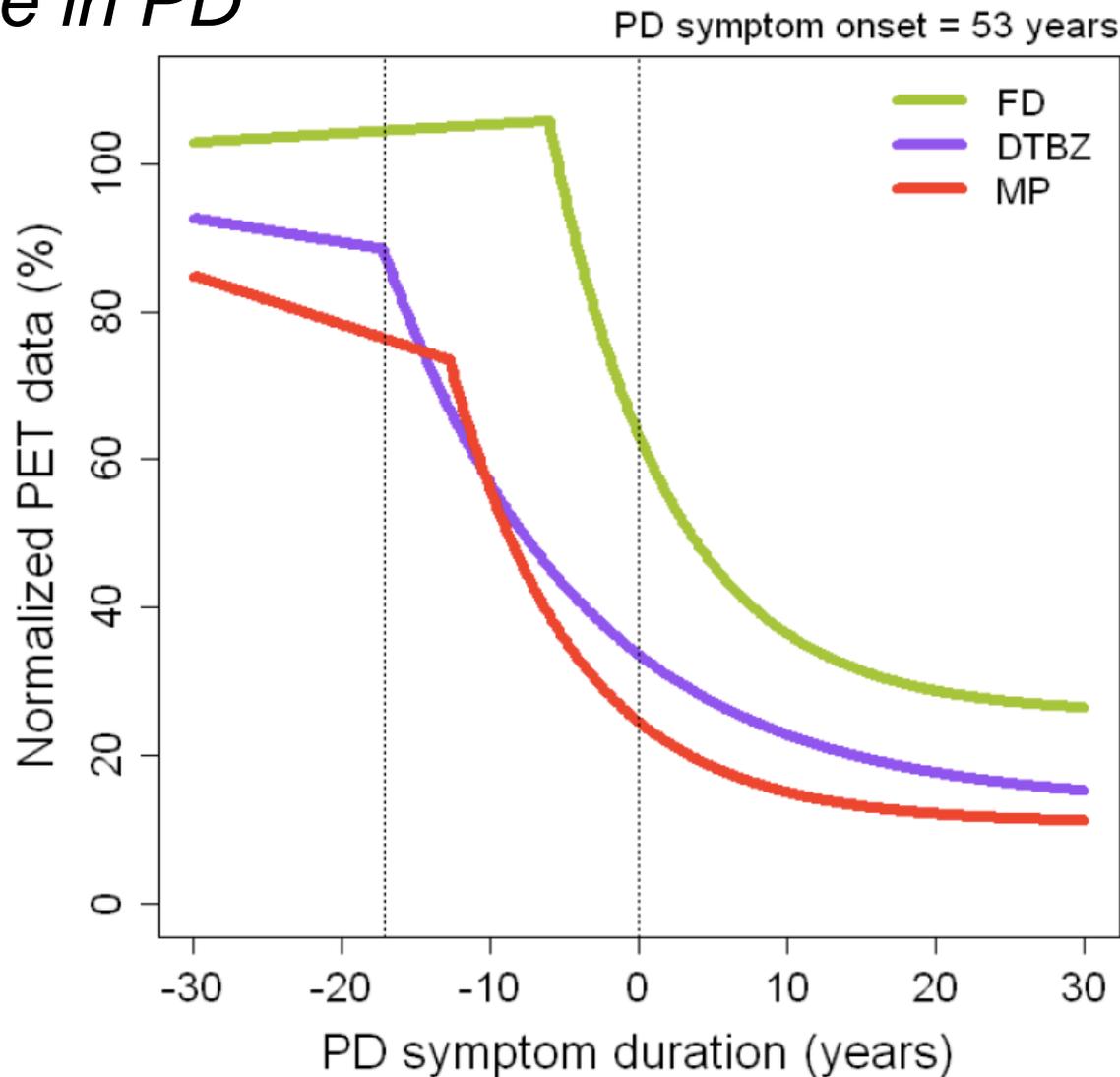
Complementary Positron Emission Tomographic Studies of the Striatal Dopaminergic System in Parkinson's Disease

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Paul R. Maguire; John Missimer, PhD; Klaus L. Leenders, MD

Table 2. FDOPA, RACLO, and FDG Values in Patients With PD and in Healthy Controls*

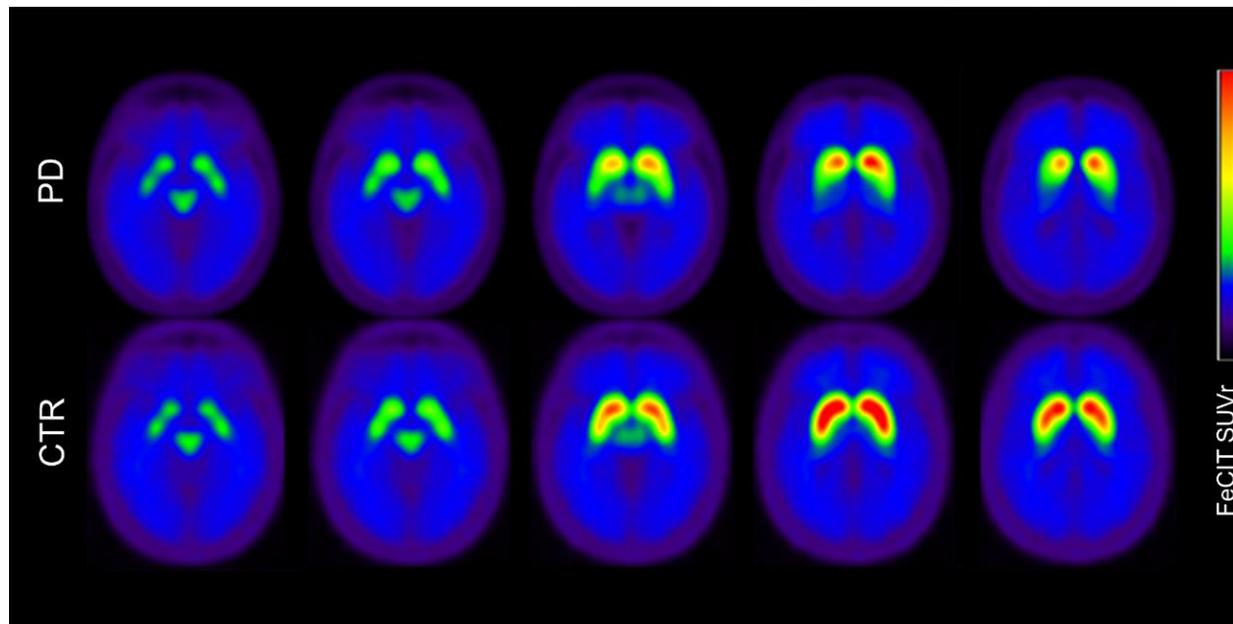
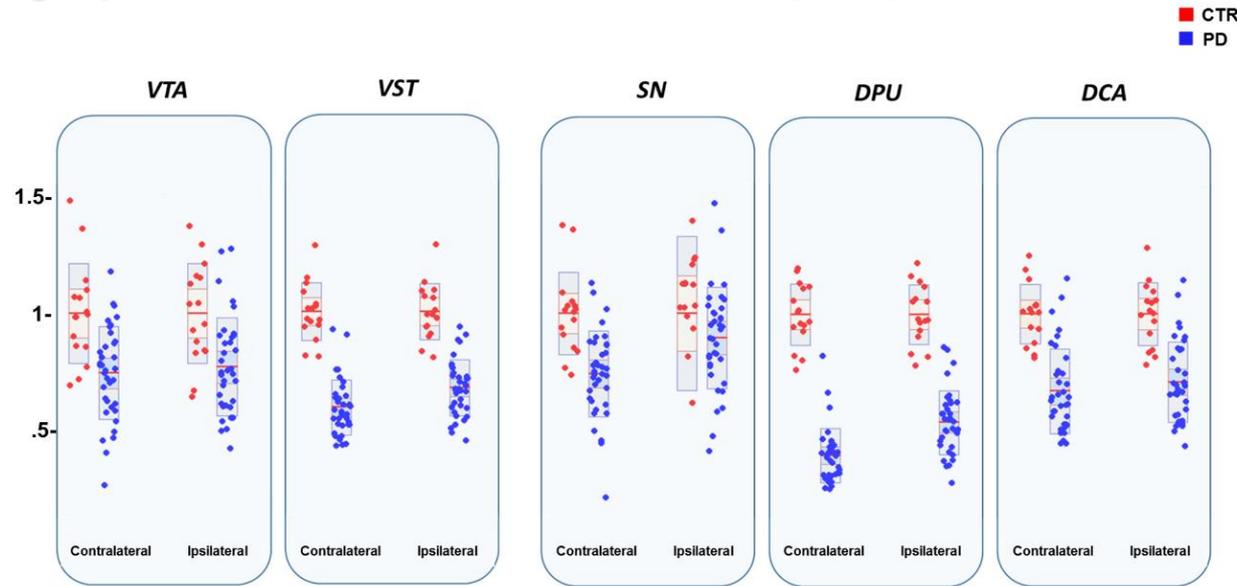
Patient No.	FDOPA $K \times 10^{-3}$		RACLO Index		FDG GMI	
	Caudate	Putamen	Caudate	Putamen	Caudate	Putamen
HY-I-II PD						
1	9.58	6.67	2.78	3.43	1.28	1.36
2	8.52	7.54	2.57	2.77	1.19	1.31
3	11.67	7.95	3.03	4.03	1.09	1.10
4	12.97	8.71	2.64	3.28	1.14	1.25
5	11.00	7.56	2.03	2.37	1.22	1.36
6	11.44	5.25	2.21	2.61	1.24	1.33
7	9.61	5.84	2.80	3.41	1.17	1.25
8	5.93	4.61	1.90	2.55	1.16	1.36
9	6.27	4.60	2.92	3.27	1.18	1.40
10	6.67	4.69	2.76	3.45	1.28	1.36
HY-I-II (n=10) mean \pm SD	9.37 \pm 2.47 ^a	6.34 \pm 1.54 ^b	2.56 \pm 0.39	3.12 \pm 0.52 ^d	1.20 \pm 0.06	1.31 \pm 0.09 ^e
Percent of control mean	64	45	112	136	102	105
HY-III-IV PD						
11	5.23	4.62	1.59	2.32	1.15	1.33
12	7.85	3.90	2.21	2.93	1.11	1.25
13	6.77	5.65	1.95	2.29	1.18	1.27
14	5.76	4.50	2.43	2.95	1.15	1.24
15	9.69	6.32	1.69	1.97	1.09	1.22
16	4.05	3.39	2.10	2.39	1.49	1.43
17	6.17	3.29	1.58	2.35	1.60	1.59
18	7.08	4.41	1.79	2.66	1.15	1.30
19	10.47	5.90	1.78	2.14	1.27	1.38
20	5.44	3.61	2.25	2.96	1.33	1.56
HY-III-IV (n=10) mean \pm SD	6.85 \pm 2.01 ^{c,d}	4.56 \pm 1.08 ^f	1.94 \pm 0.30	2.50 \pm 0.36	1.25 \pm 0.17	1.36 \pm 0.13 ^g
Percent of control mean	47	33	85	109	107	109
HY-I-IV (n=20) mean \pm SD	8.11 \pm 2.54 ^a	5.45 \pm 1.59 ^b	2.25 \pm 0.46	2.81 \pm 0.54 ^d	1.22 \pm 0.13	1.34 \pm 0.11 ^e
Percent of control mean	55	39	98	123	104	107
Control mean \pm SD	14.69 \pm 3.96	13.99 \pm 3.74	2.29 \pm 0.34	2.28 \pm 0.27	1.17 \pm 0.06	1.25 \pm 0.06

The hypothetical course of putamen PET measurements for DTBZ binding, MP binding, and FD uptake in PD



DTBZ = [11C](±)dihydrotrabenzazine; MP = [11C]dthreo-methylphenidate; FD = 6-[18F]-fluoro-L-dopa

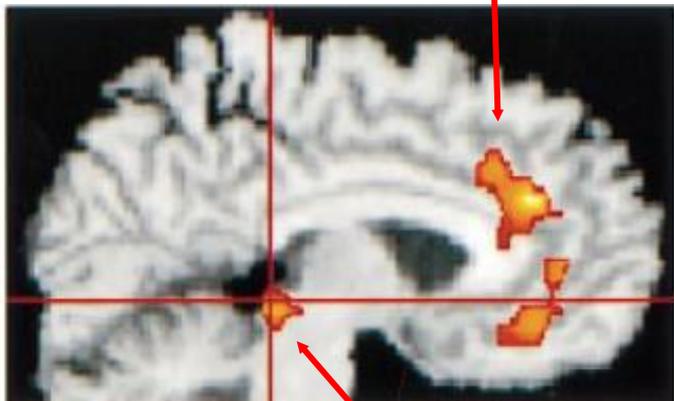
α -synuclein-related synaptic dysfunction and consequent axonal damage precede cell death in PD: An [^{11}C]FeCIT PET study



^{18}F -dopa PET cortical changes in PD

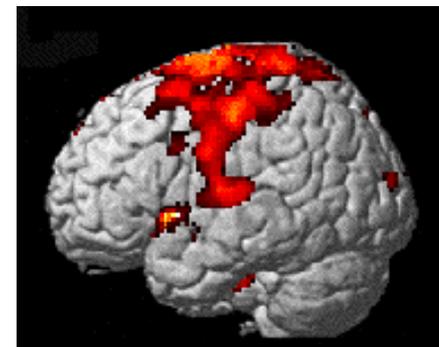
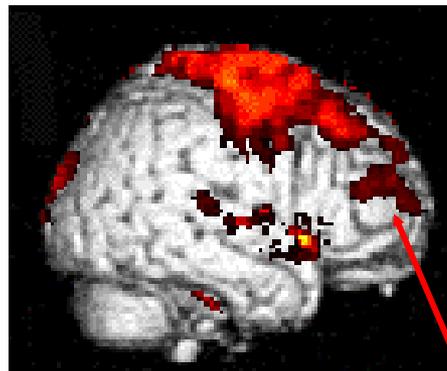
$p < 0.001$

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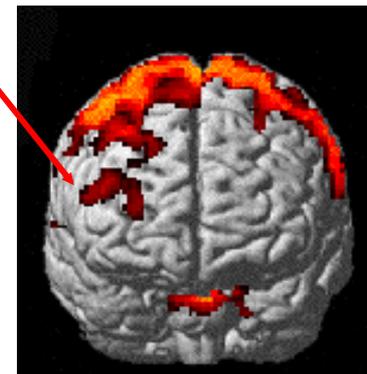
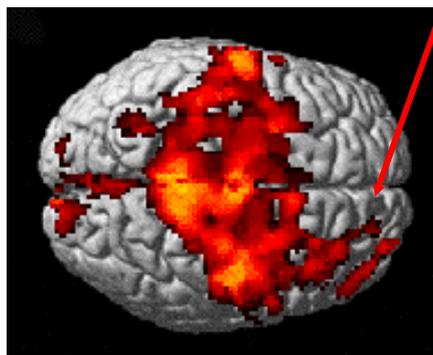


↑Midbrain

Early PD INCREASES



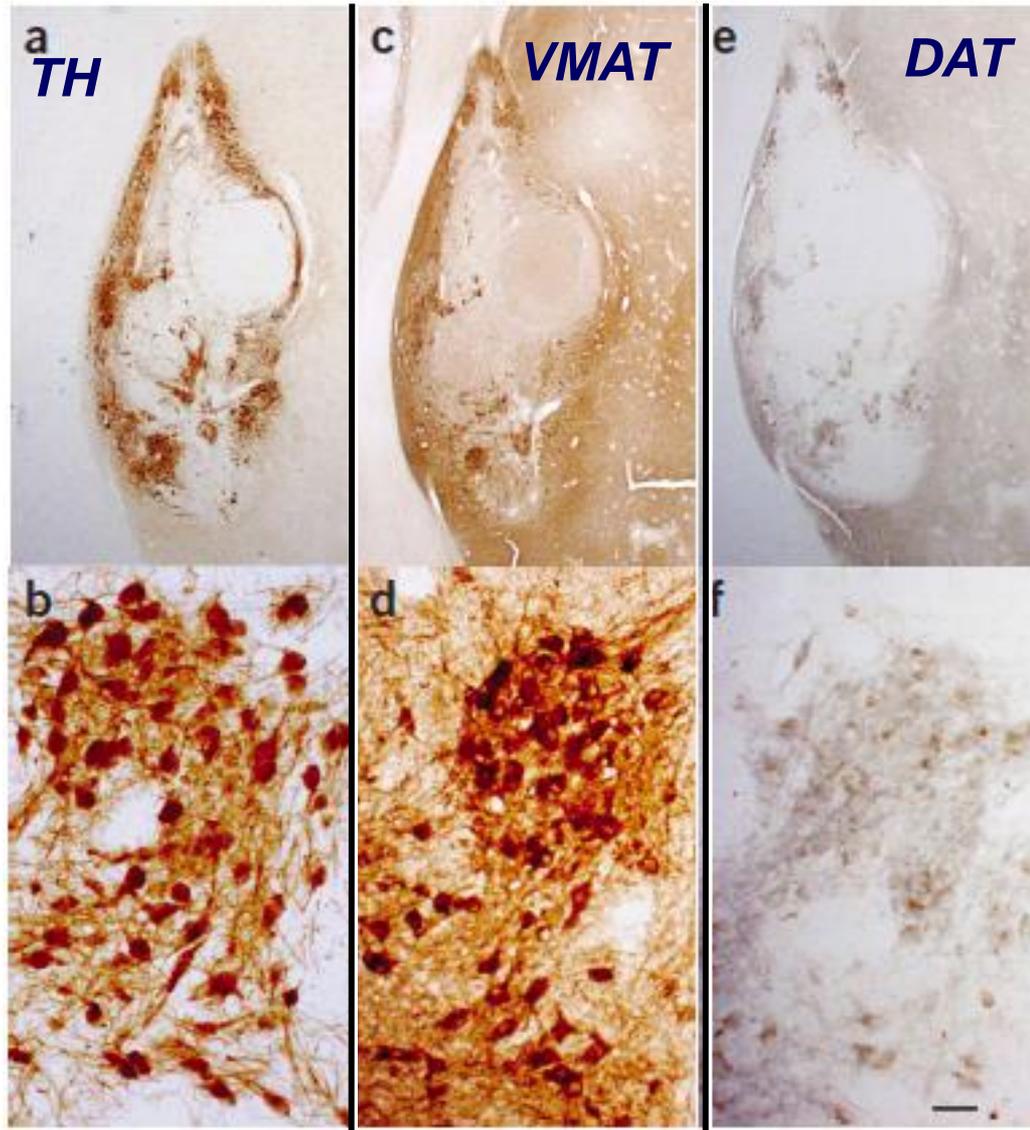
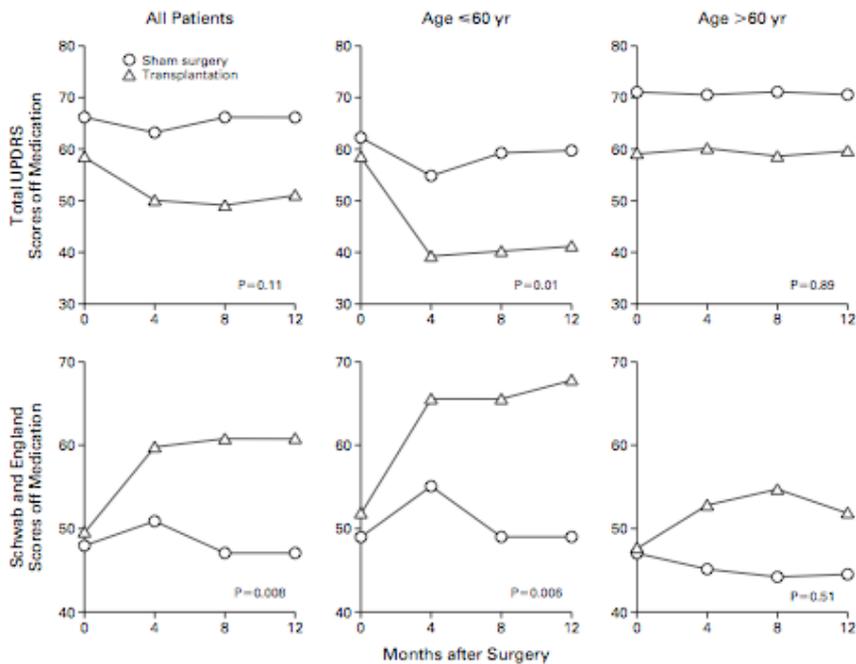
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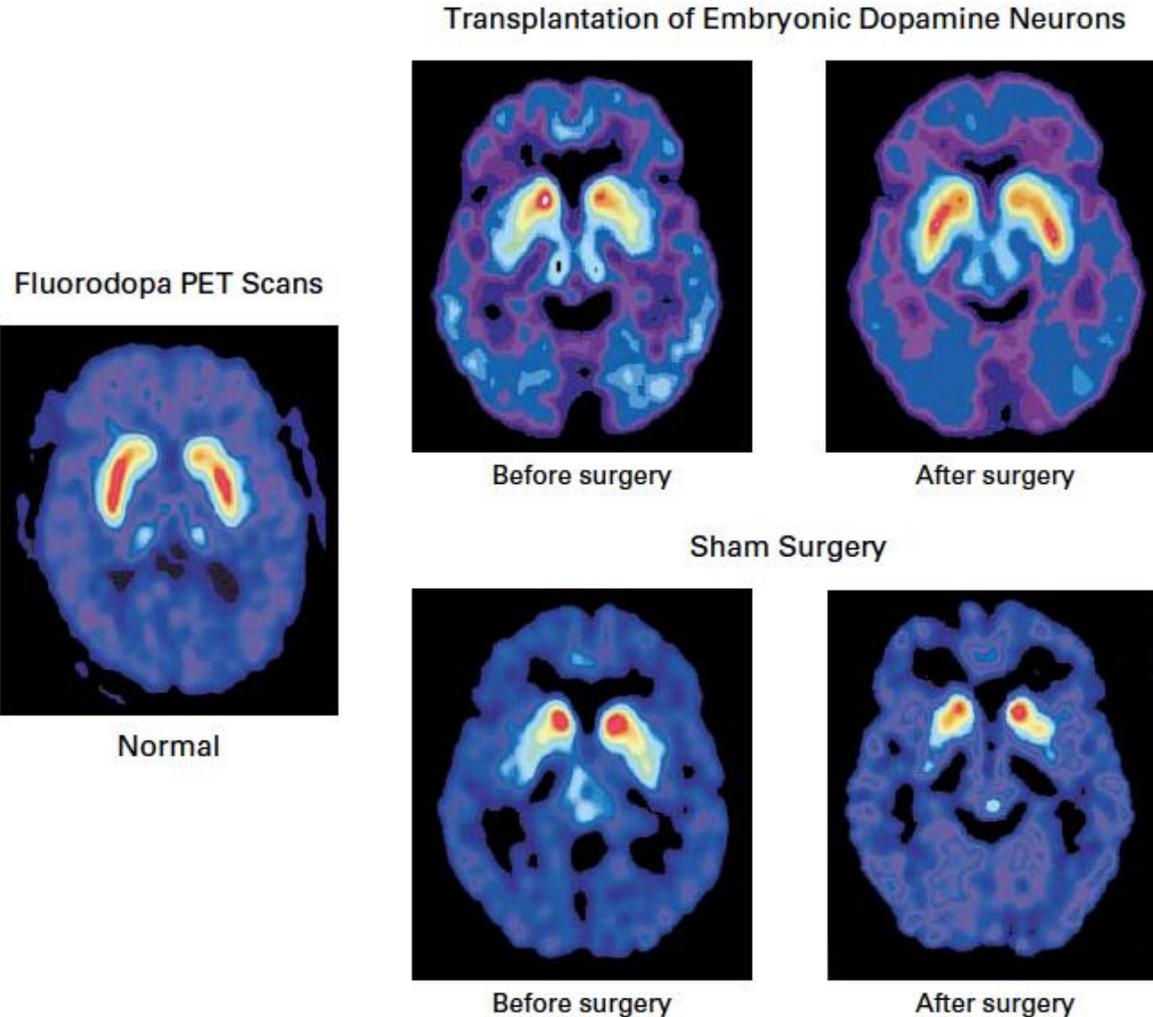
Advanced PD DECREASES

TRANSPLANTATION OF EMBRYONIC DOPAMINE NEURONS FOR SEVERE PARKINSON'S DISEASE

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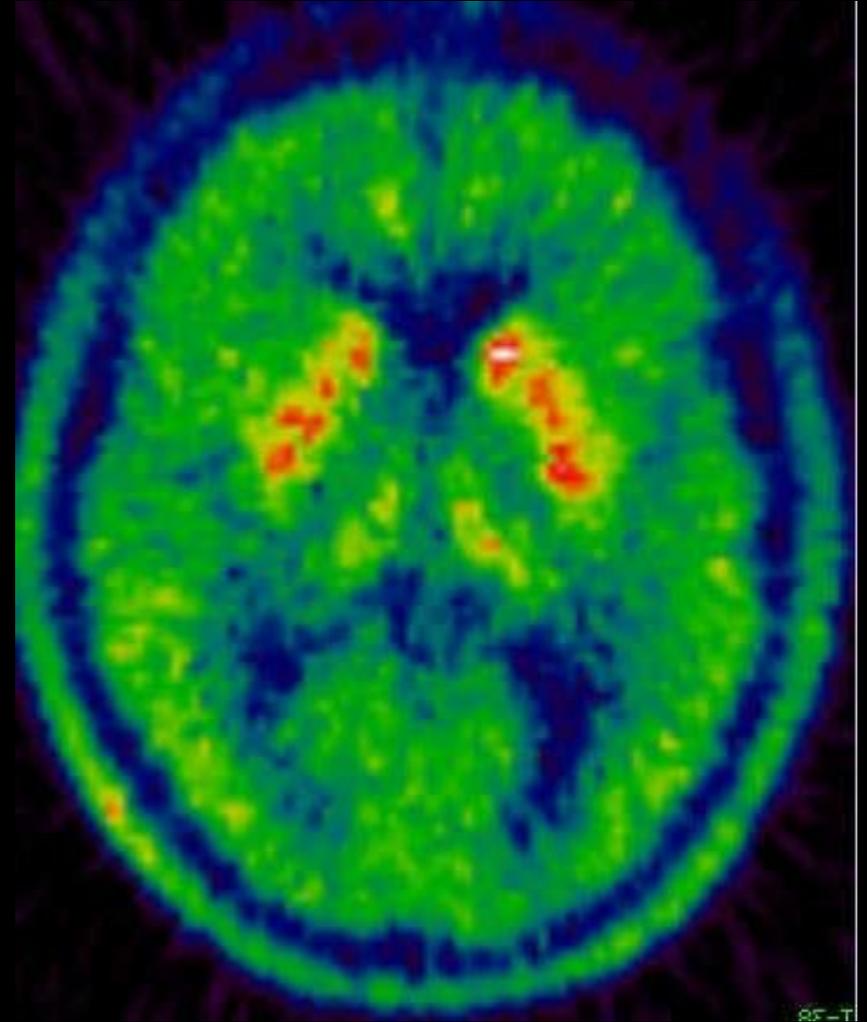
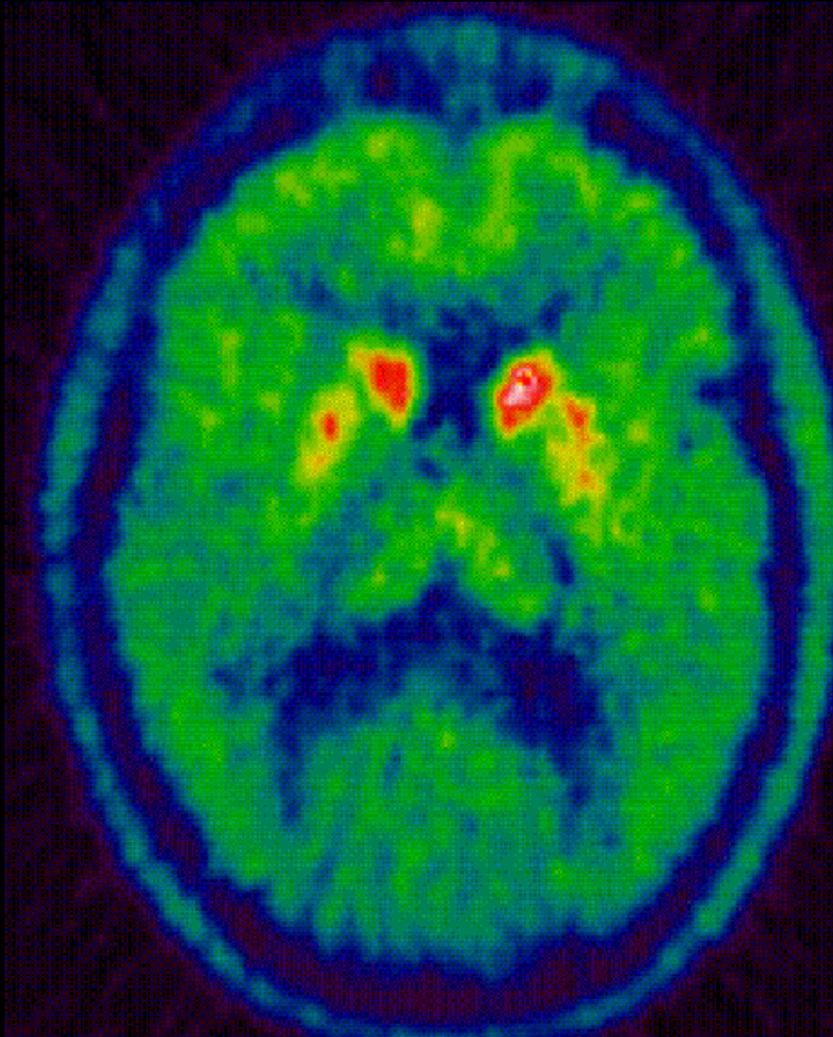


Change in 18F-Fluorodopa Uptake in the Brains of Parkinson Patients after Transplantation, as shown in Fluorodopa PET Scans



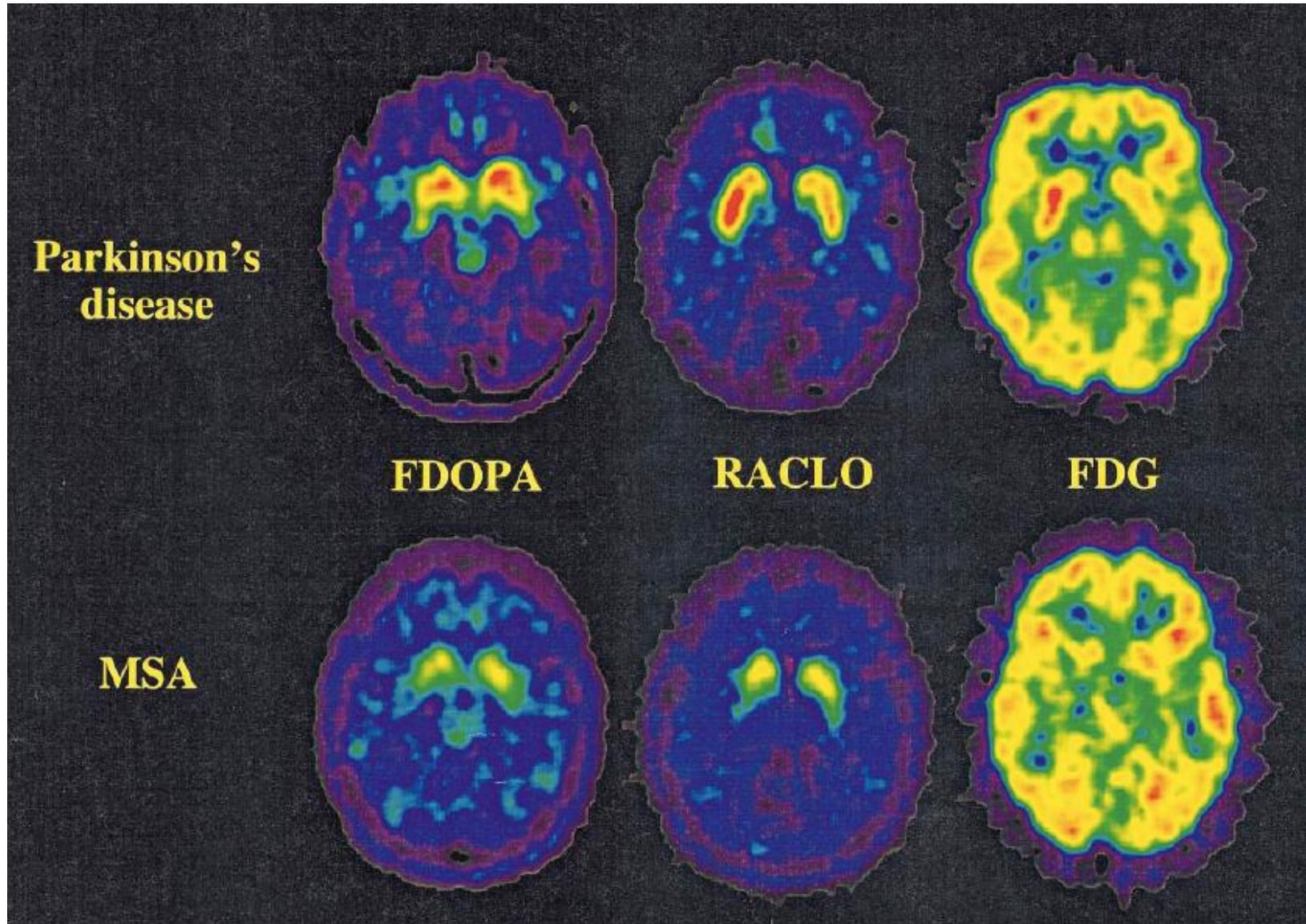
FDOPA-PET

2001 Pre-GDNF and 2008 Post-GDNF



Patel N, et al. Neurology (2013)

MSA and PD share similar degree of dopamine cell loss but in MSA there is additional loss of striatal dopamine D2 receptors (RACLO) and reduced striatal metabolism

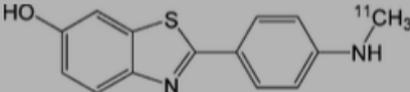
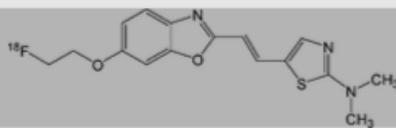
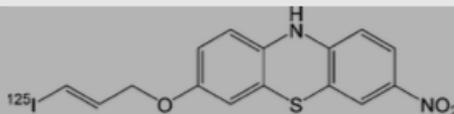


Foundation Opens \$2-Million Competition for Alpha-Synuclein PET Tracer

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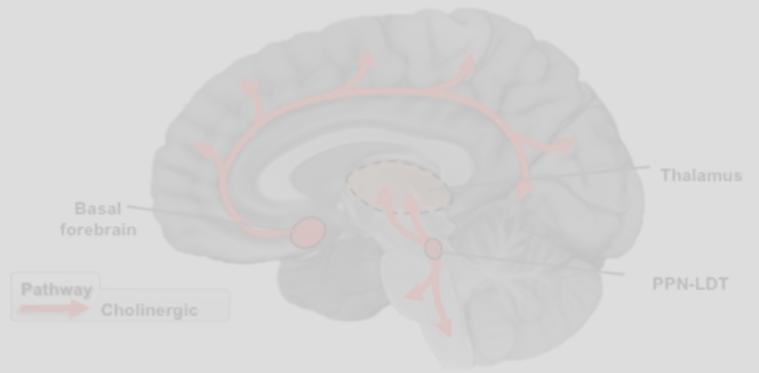
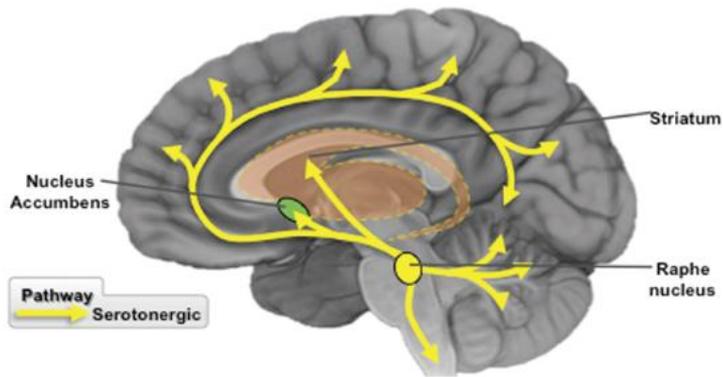
Summary of Characteristics of PET Radiotracers Relevant to α -Synuclein (Syn) Imaging

Ligand	Structure	Affinity for α -synuclein fibrils (nM)	Affinity for $A\beta_{1-42}$ fibrils (nM)	Binding to α -synuclein-positive human brain homogenates (nM)	Binding to $A\beta$ -positive human brain homogenates (nM)
^{11}C -PIB (24,25)		$K_d = 4^*$	$K_d = 4.7^\dagger$	DLB ($A\beta^+$) brain homogenate: $K_d = 5^*$	Binding to AD frontal cortex homogenate (^{11}C -PIB): $K_d = 1.4$
				DLB ($A\beta^-$), pure DLB: No significant binding*	Binding to AD brain homogenate (^3H -PIB): $K_d = 3.77^*$
^{18}F -BF227 (20)		$K_d = 9.63$	$K_{d1} = 1.31$	Failed to bind to DLB ($A\beta^-$) homogenate	AD brain homogenate: $K_d = 25 \pm 0.5$
			$K_{d2} = 80$		
^{125}I -SIL23 (23)		$K_d = 148$	$K_d (A\beta) = 635$	PD dementia brain homogenate: $K_d = 119.1-168.3$	Not available
			$K_d (\text{tau}) = 230$		

*Values determined for ^3H -PIB.

† Fibrils used in assay were $A\beta_{1-40}$.

K_d = dissociation constant.



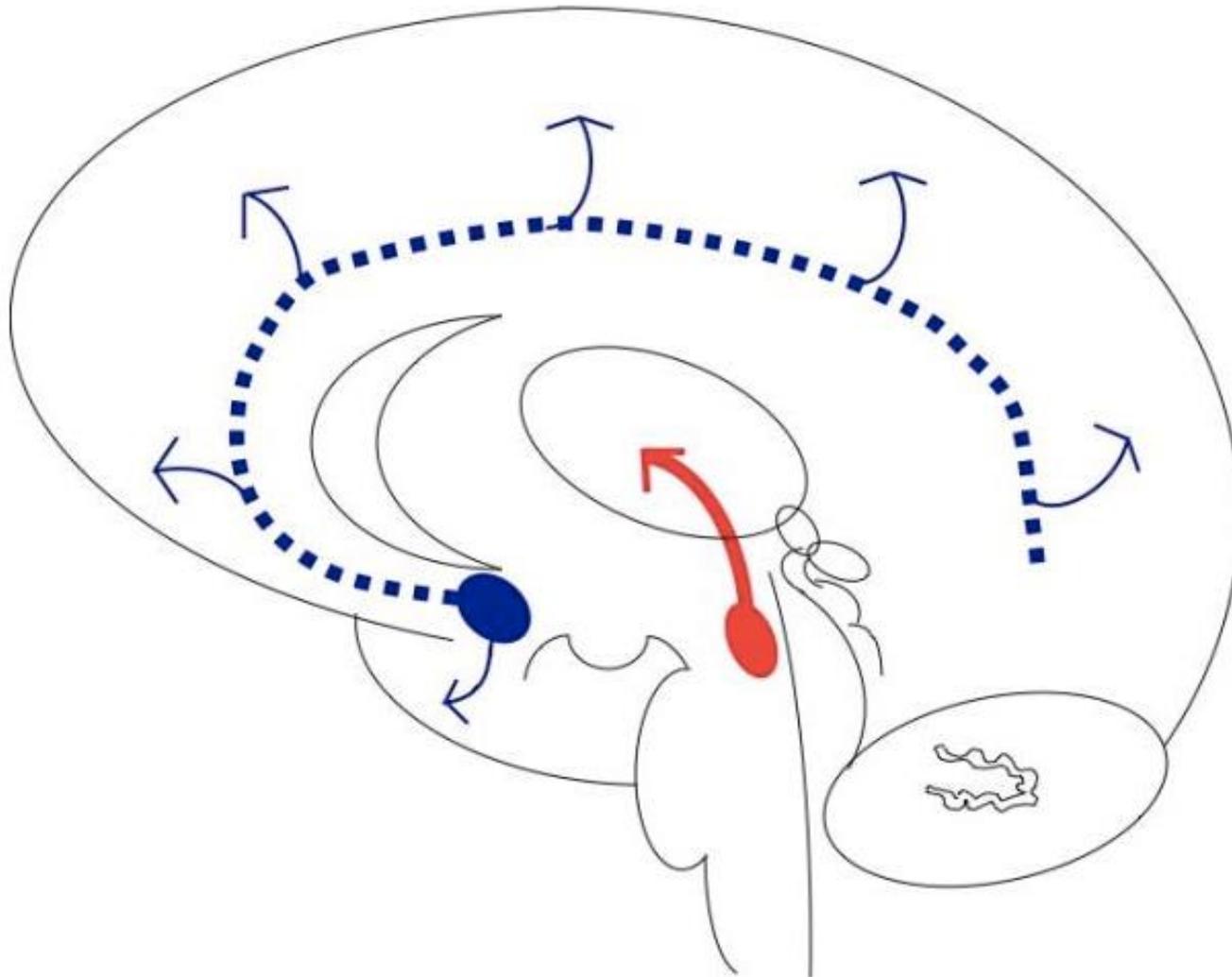
Cholinergic Neuron

Serotonergic Neuron

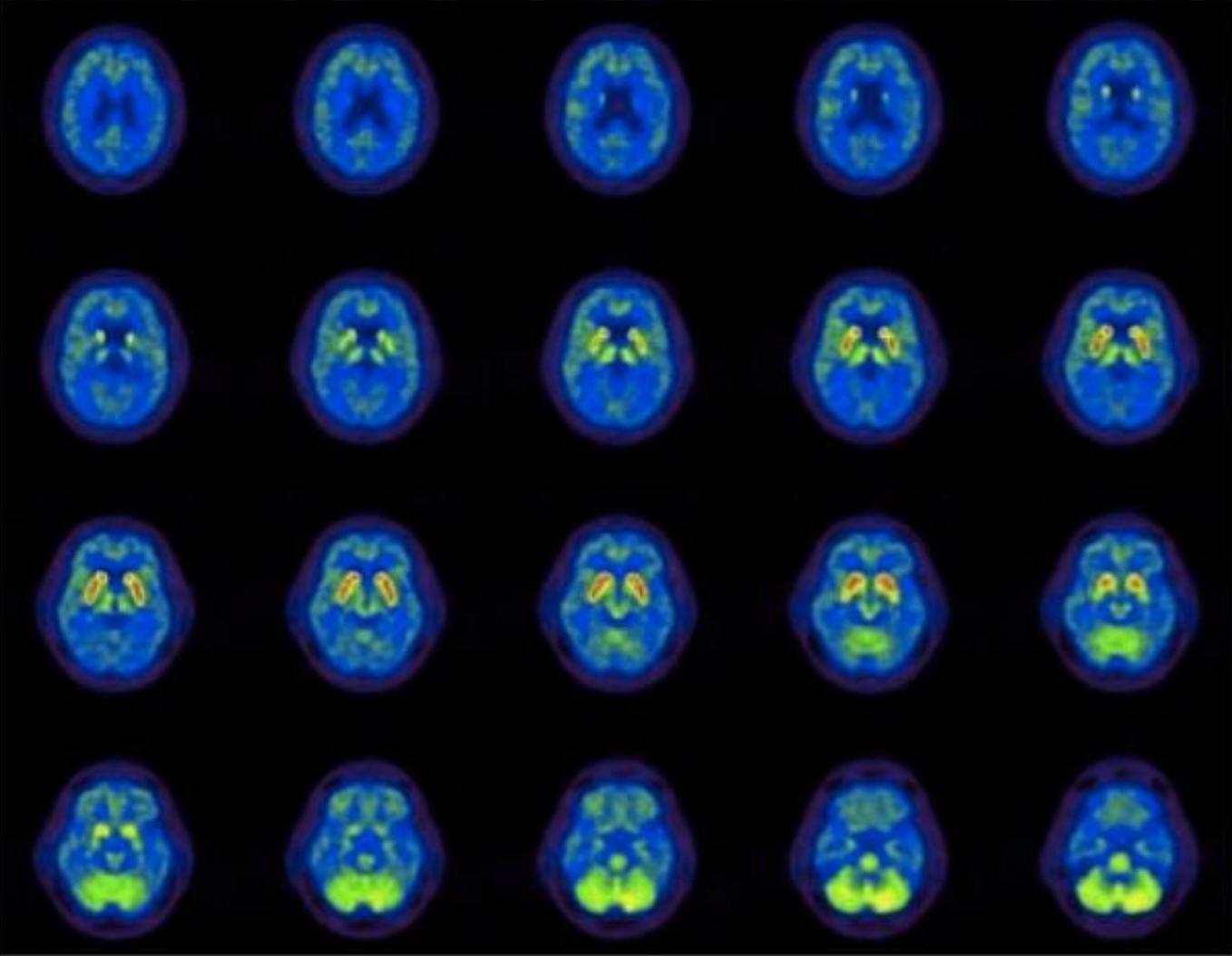
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	VACHT		FEOBV VAT
	nAChR		Nifene Flubatine 2-FA
	mAChR	NMPB	FP-TZTP

	PET Target	[¹¹ C]	[¹⁸ F]
	SERT	DASB	
	5-HT _{2A} R	RWAY WAY100635 MPT MMT MPPA	MPPF cis-DCWAY
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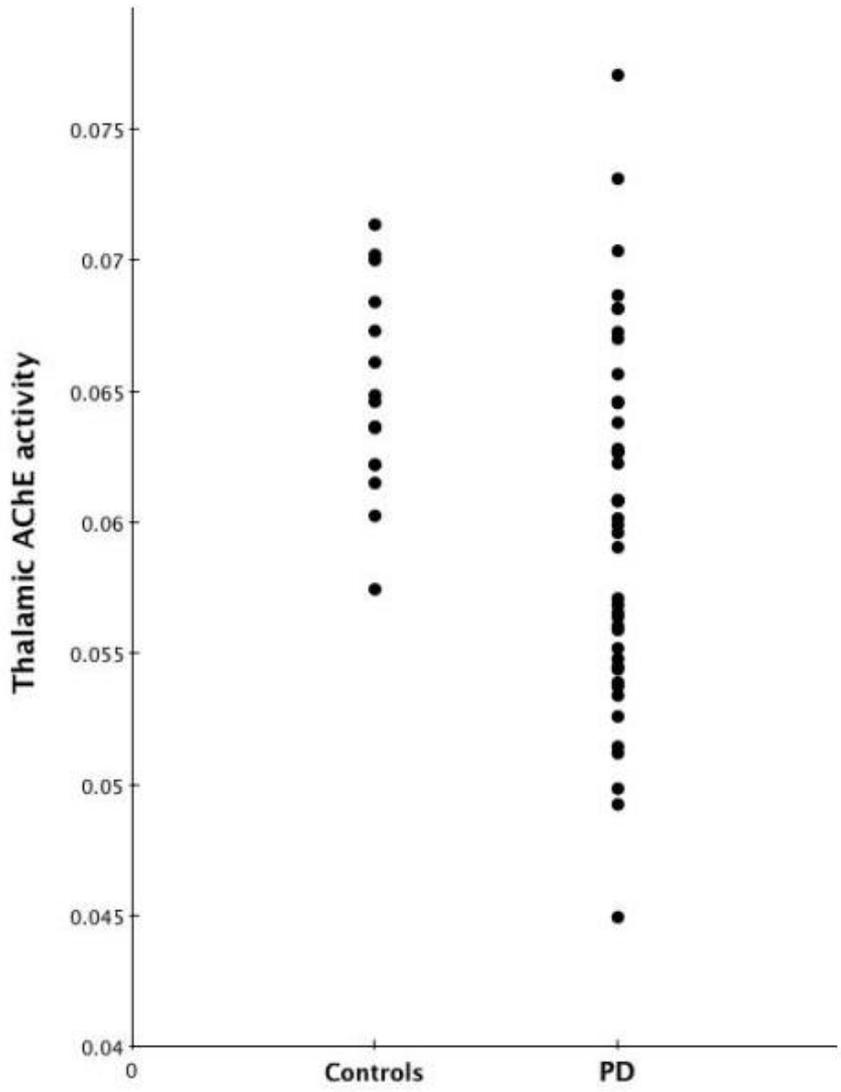
Schematic overview of the major cholinergic cerebral projections



[C-11]PMP AChE PET images showing normal AChE biodistribution with most intense uptake in the basal ganglia, followed by the cerebellum, with lower levels in the cortex

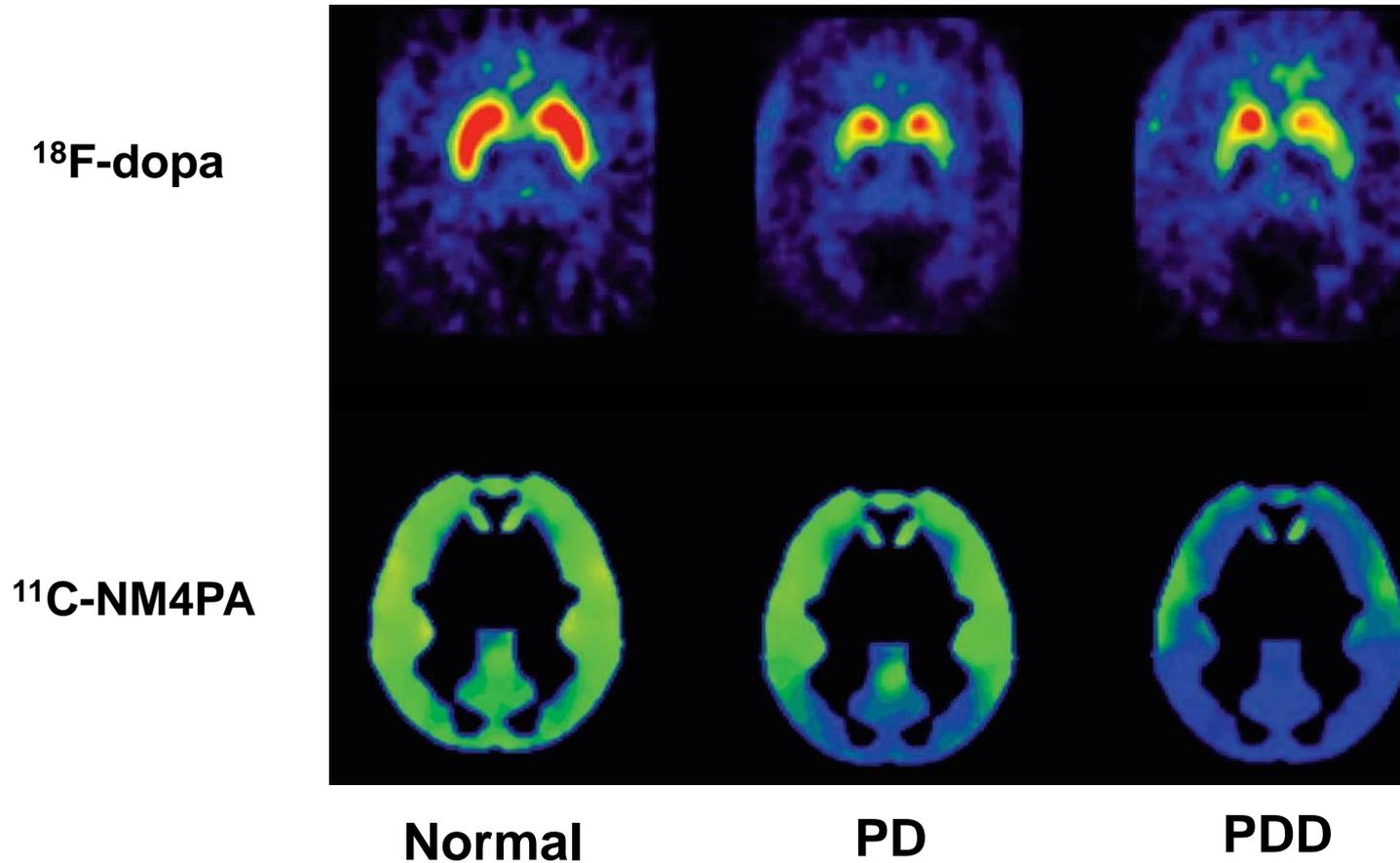


Group scatter plot of distribution of thalamic AChE activity (k3 hydrolysis rate, min⁻¹) in control and PD

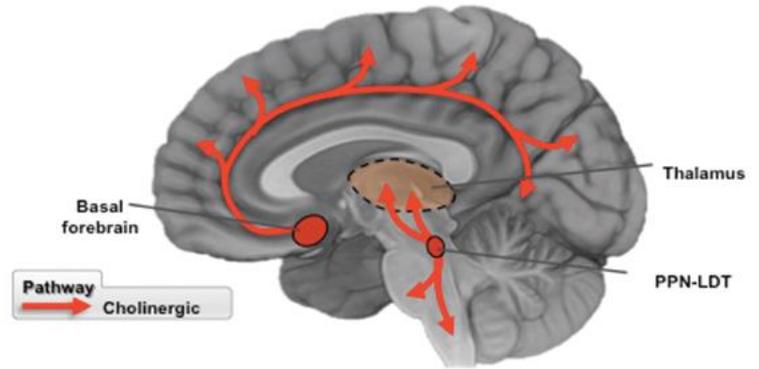


Acetylcholinesterase imaging

^{11}C -NM4PA PET



PDD, PD dementia; PET, positron emission tomography



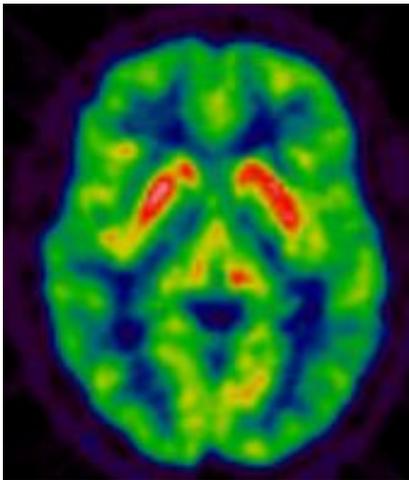
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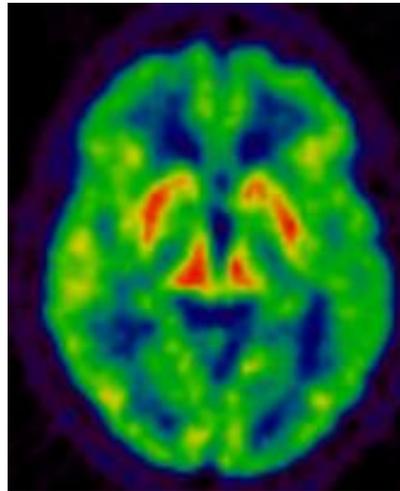
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Serotonin transporter binding in PD

¹¹C-DASB PET

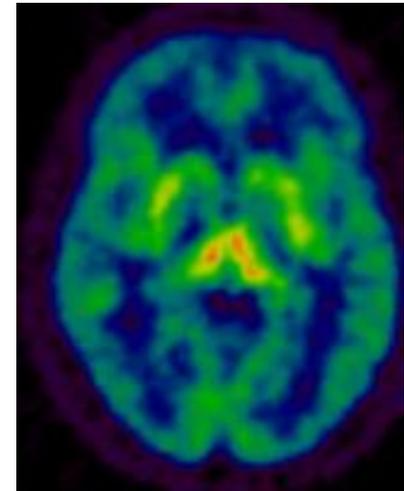


Healthy volunteer



PD without fatigue

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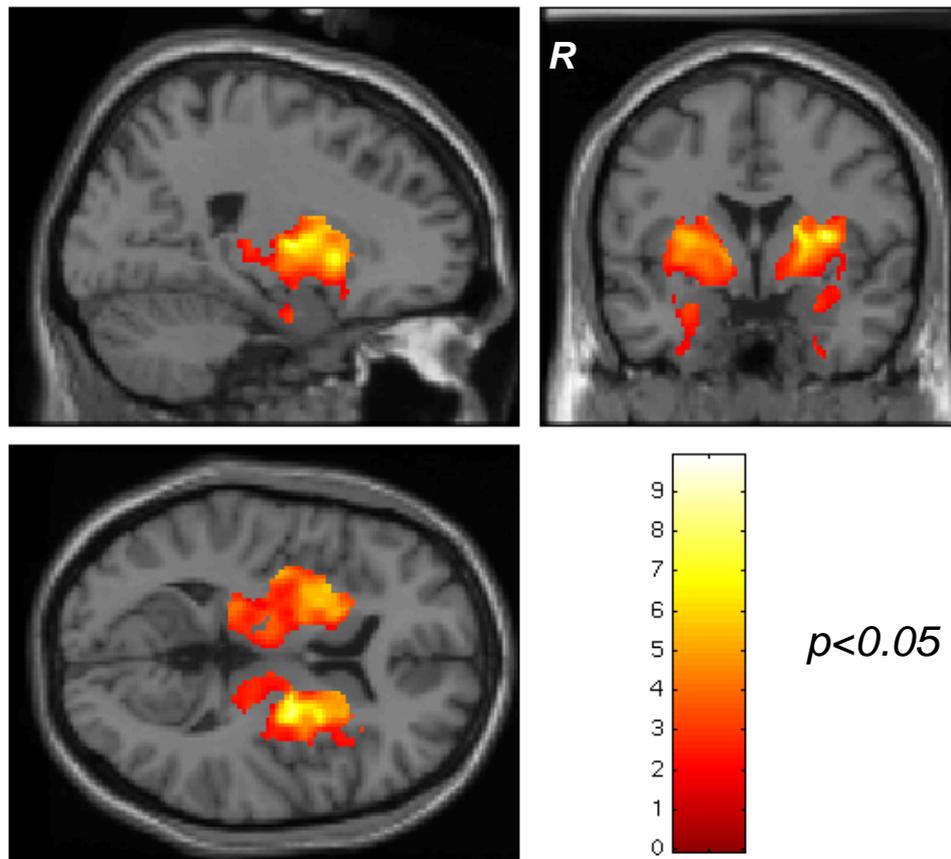


PD with fatigue

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SPM analysis

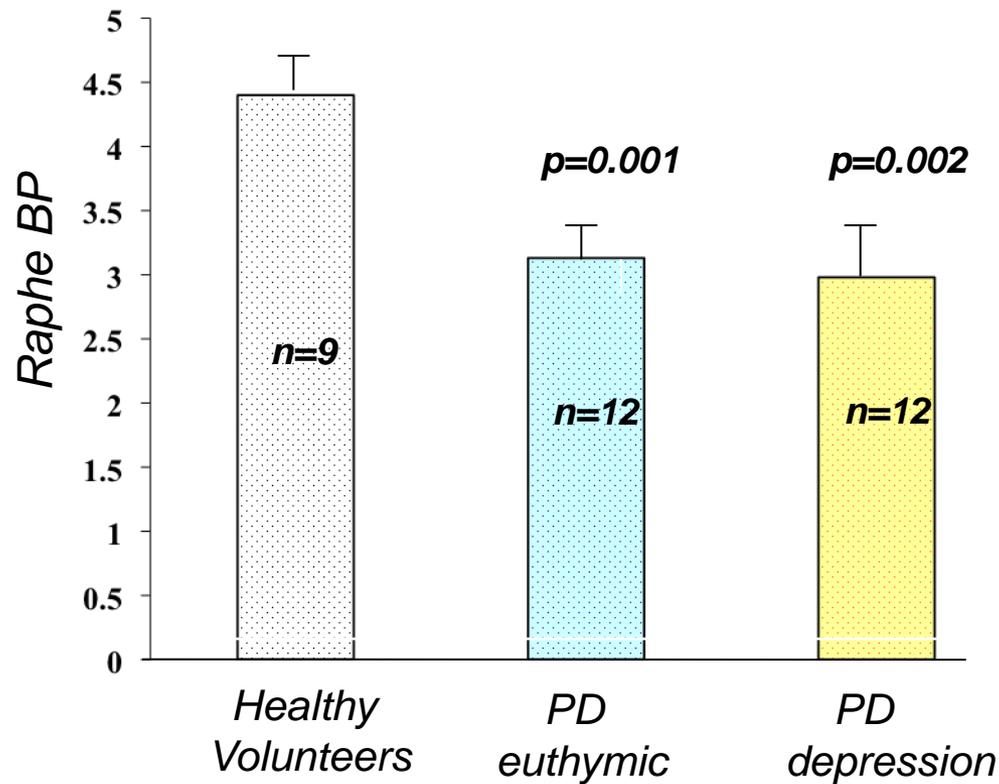
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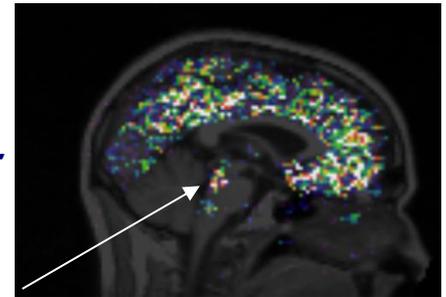
7 PD fatigue < 7 PD without fatigue

¹¹C-WAY 100635 PET

HT_{1A} binding in PD depression

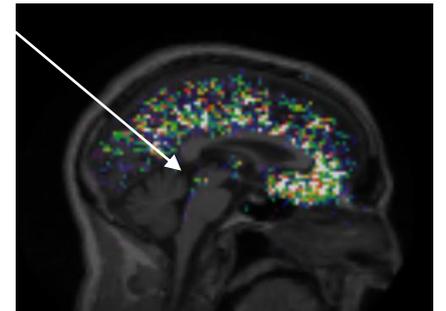


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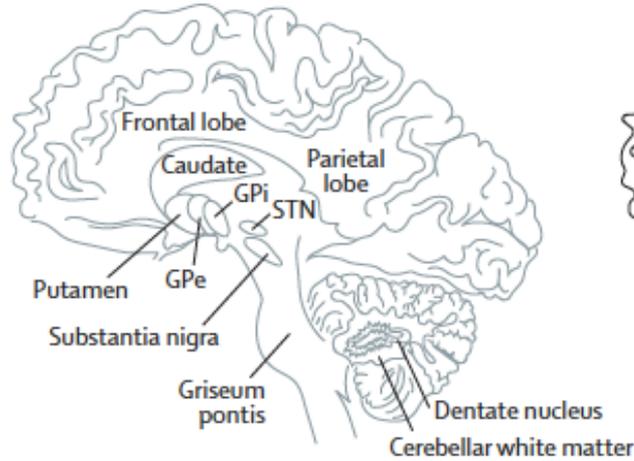
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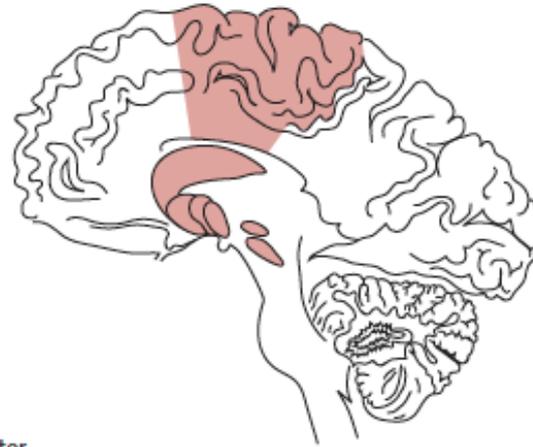
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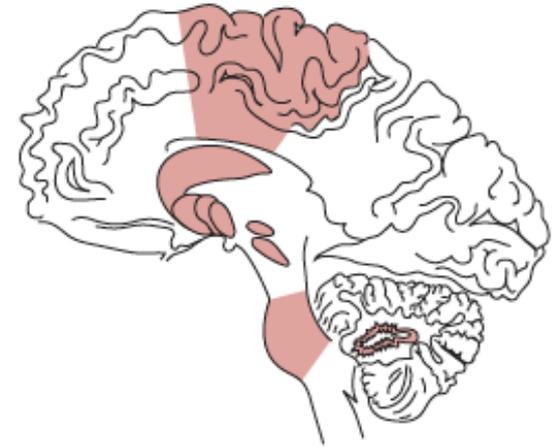
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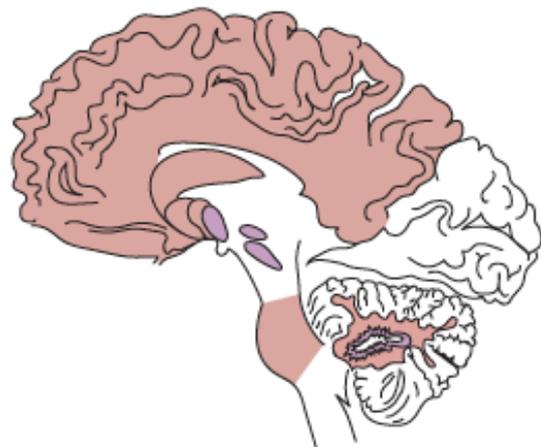
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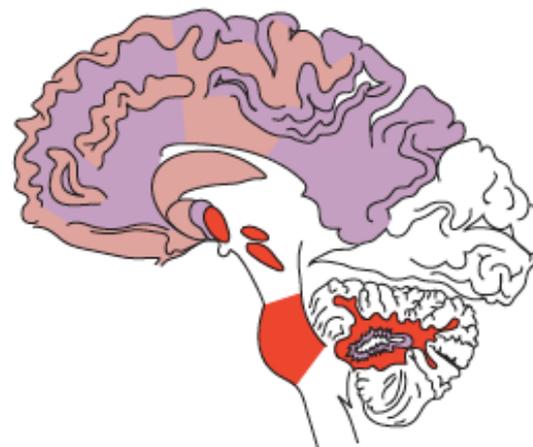
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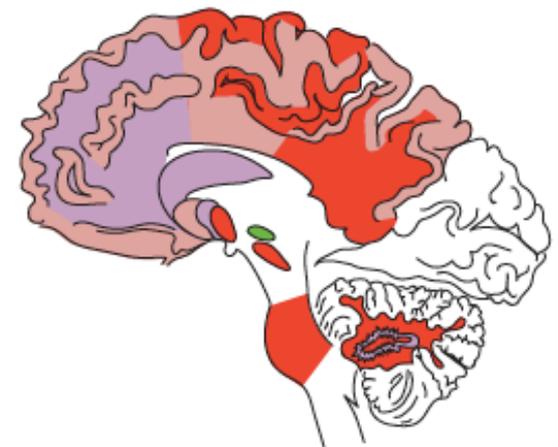
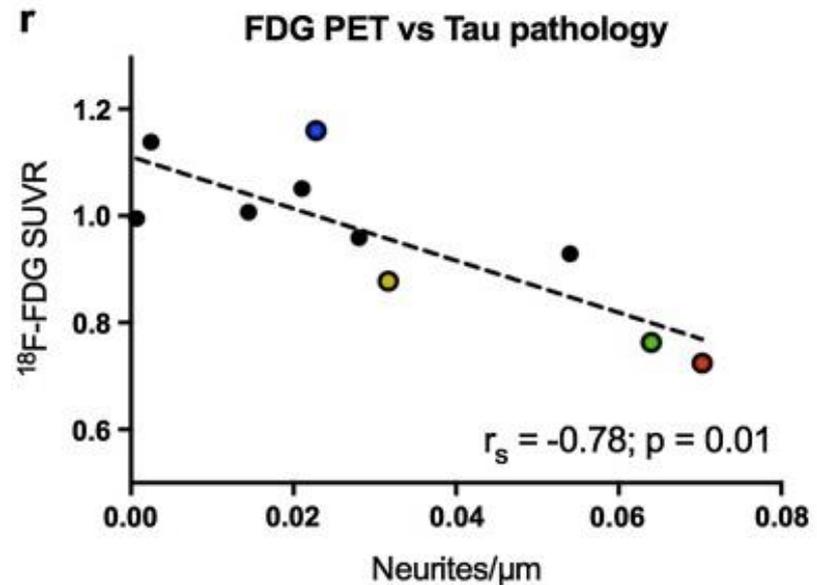
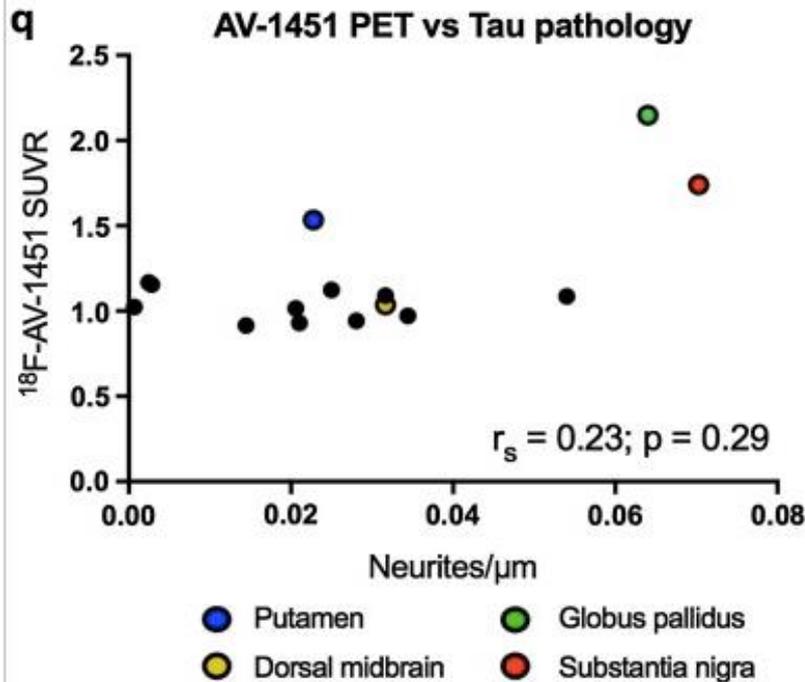
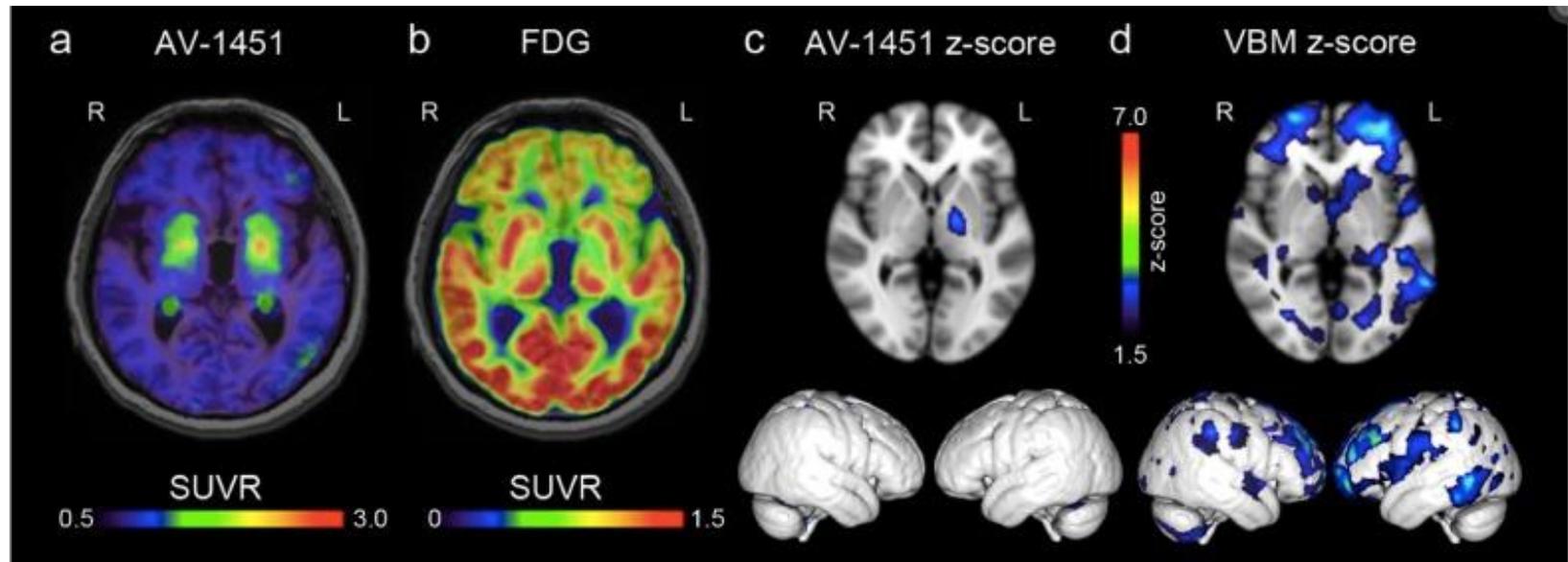
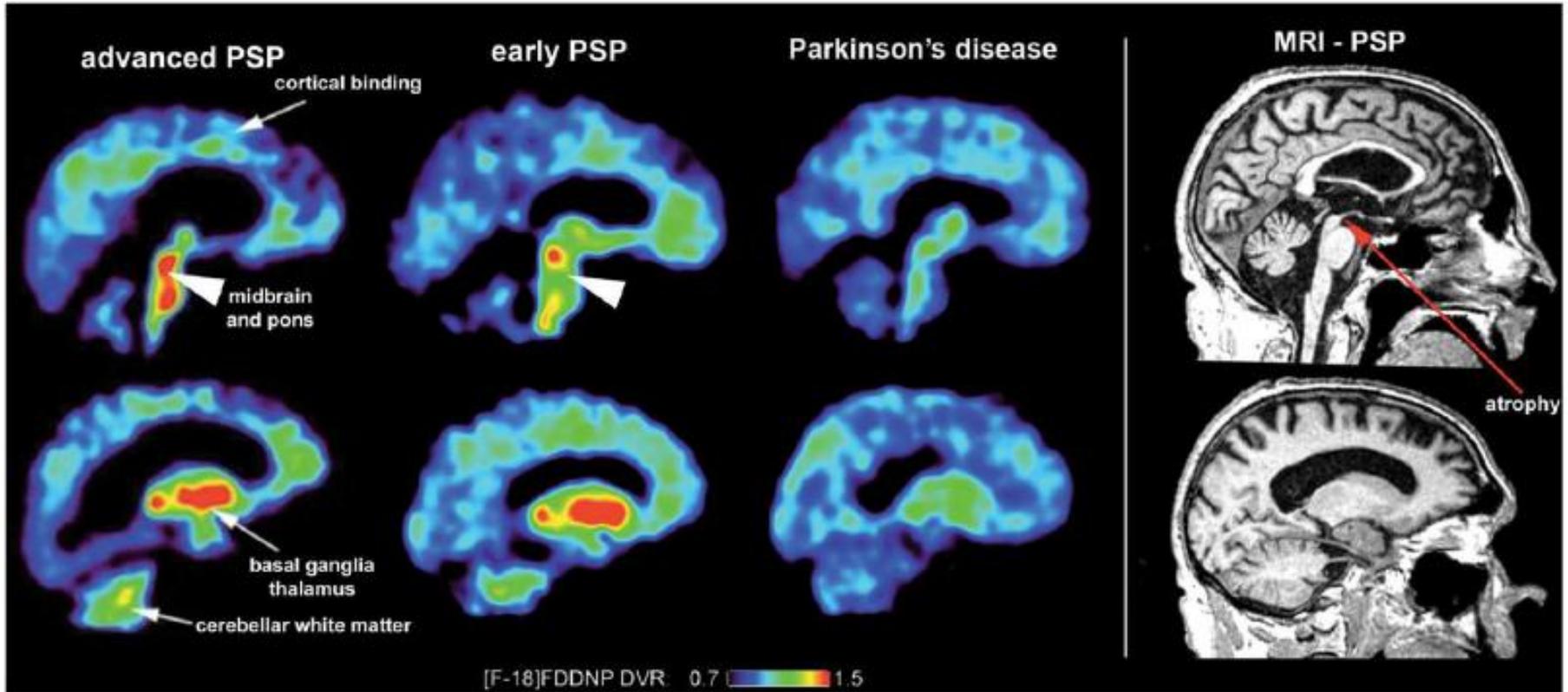


Figure 2: Severity of PSP tau pathology varies according to distribution

PET retention and neuropathology

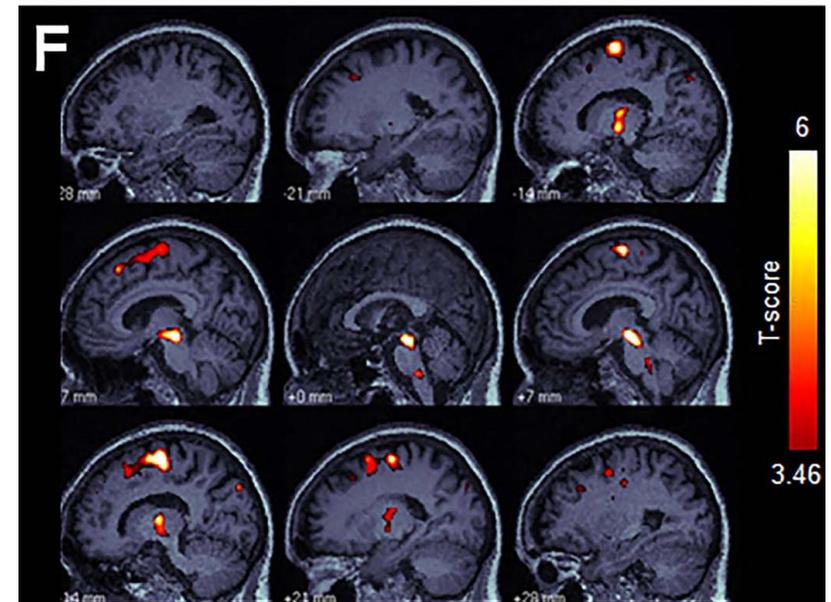
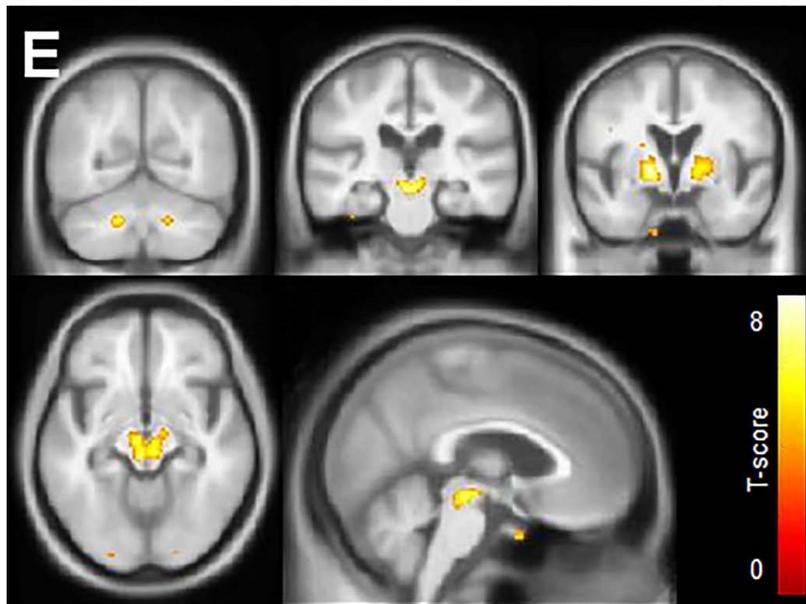
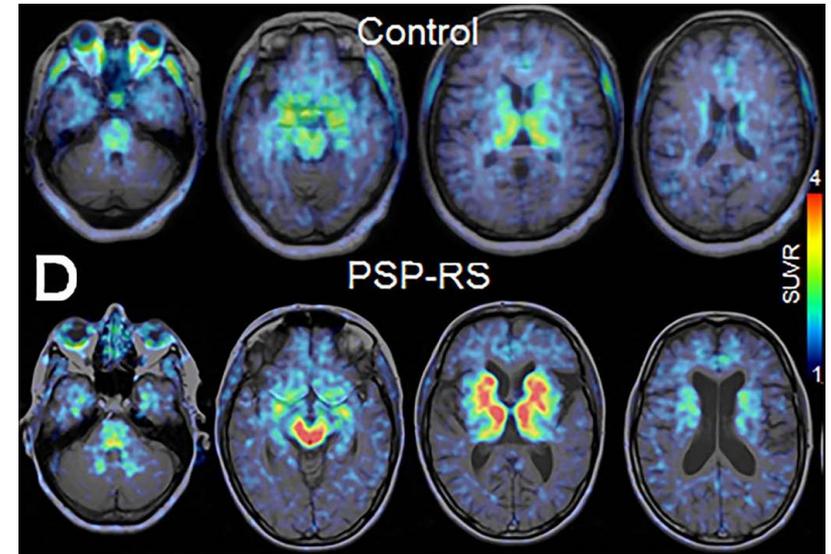
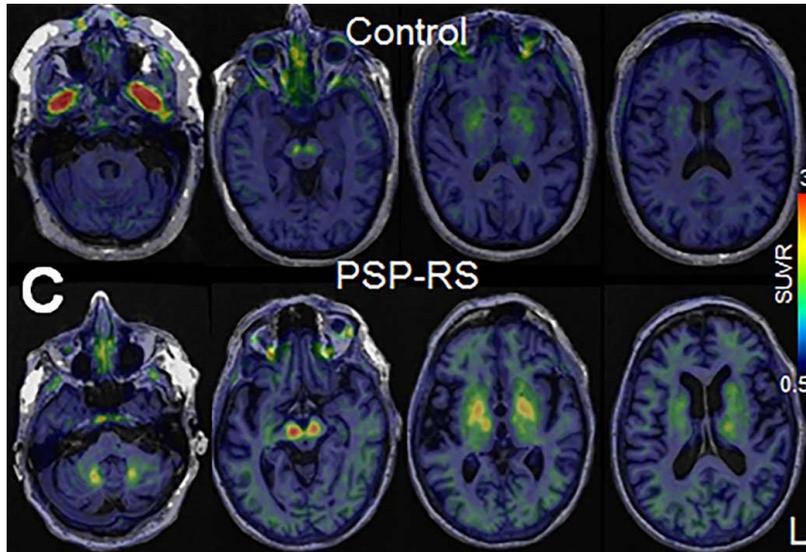


Distribution of [F-18]FDDNP DVR signal in PSP and PD



[F-18]FDDNP: (fluoroethyl)(methyl)amino]-2 naphthyl}ethylidene)

Different tau-PET ligands bind to tau conformers with differing sensitivity and specificity and show different off-target binding in PSP



$[^{18}\text{F}]\text{AV-1451}$

$[^{18}\text{F}]\text{THK-5351}$

MCI and dementia in PD

Increased risk in PD of developing cognitive impairment

PD-MCI may progress to dementia more frequently and more rapidly than those without cognitive impairment

Approximately 20–30% of PD have mild cognitive changes even at the time of diagnosis

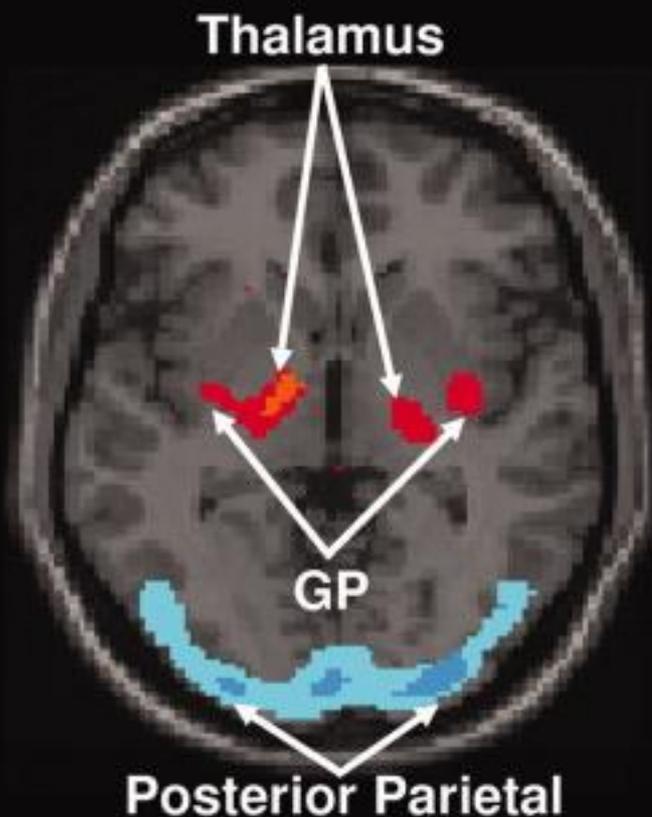
The point prevalence of dementia is 30% and the incidence rate is increased four to six times as compared to age-matched controls



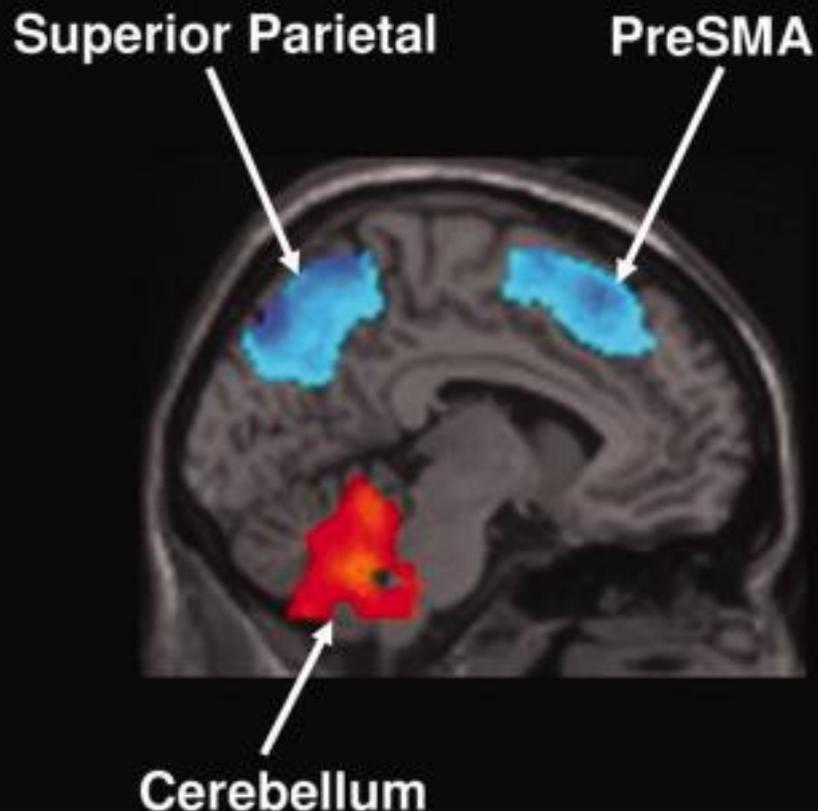
Motor and Cognitive related patterns in PD

Parkinson's Disease-Related Patterns

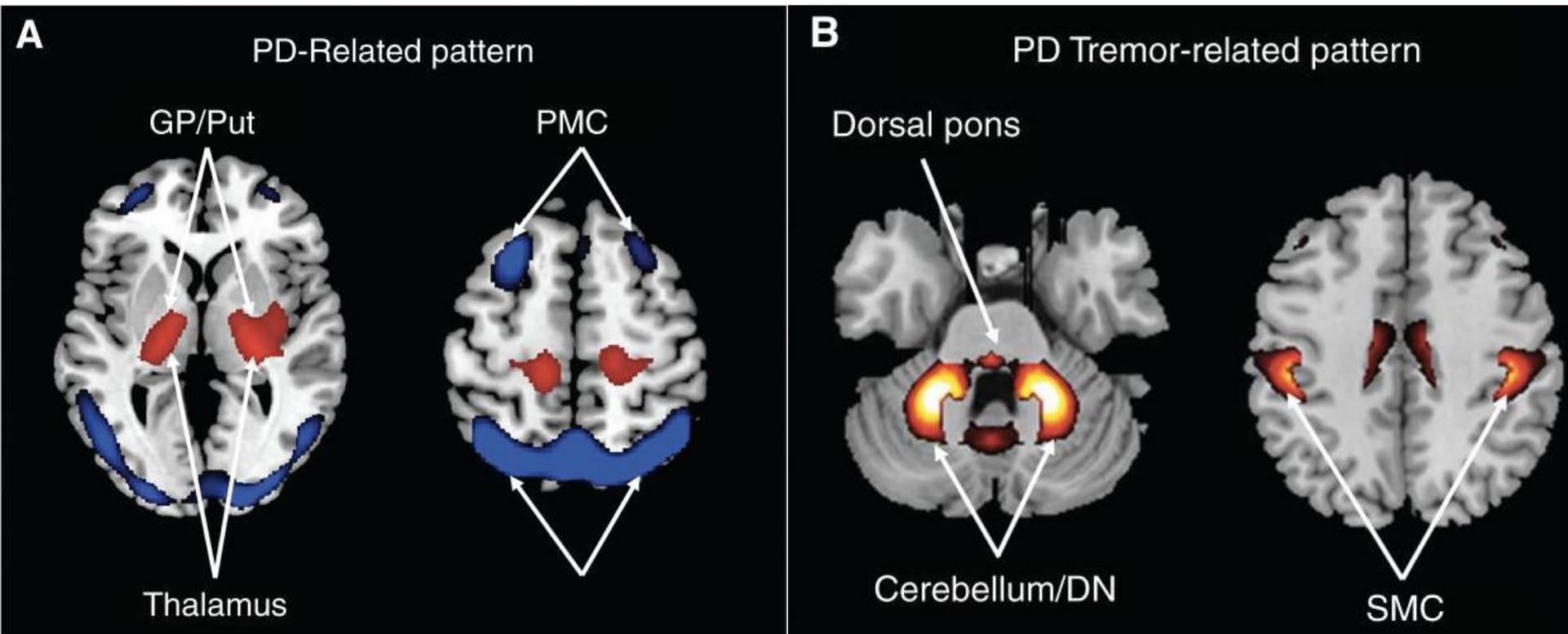
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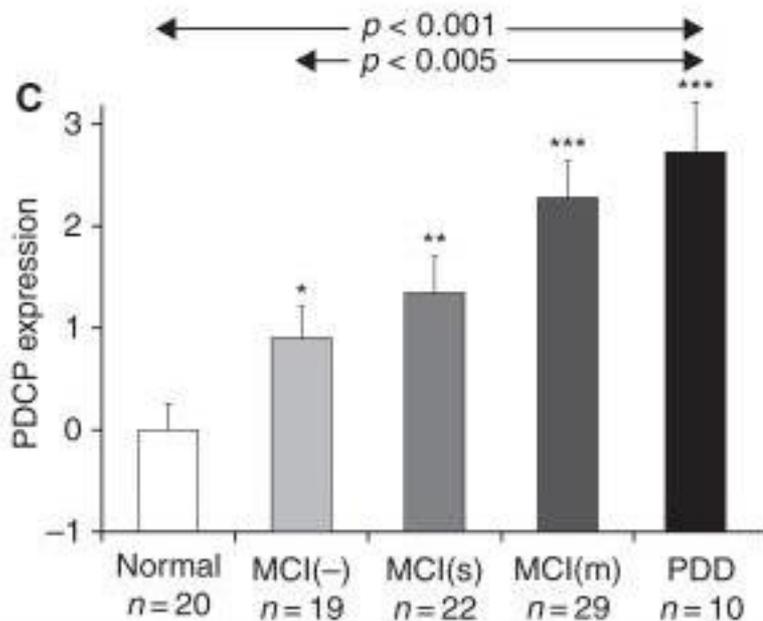
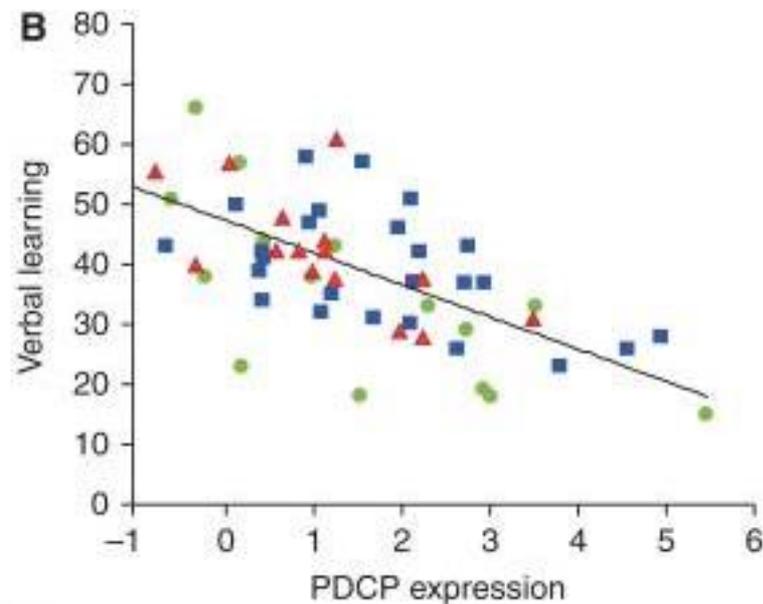
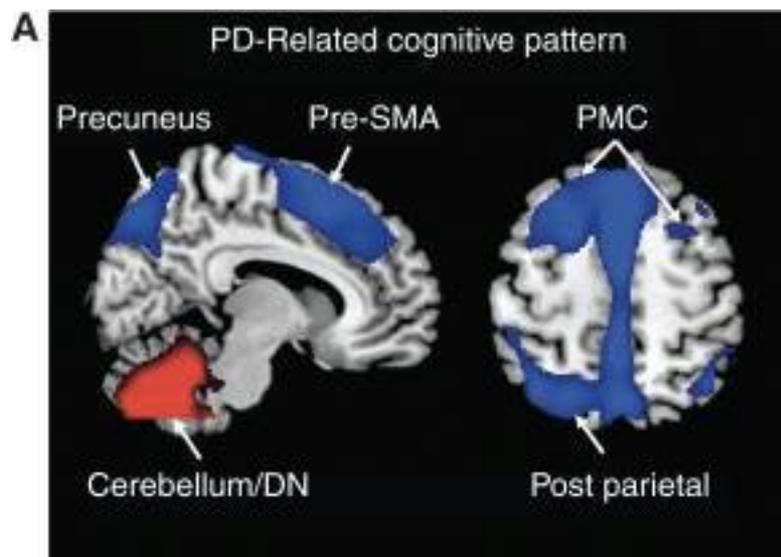
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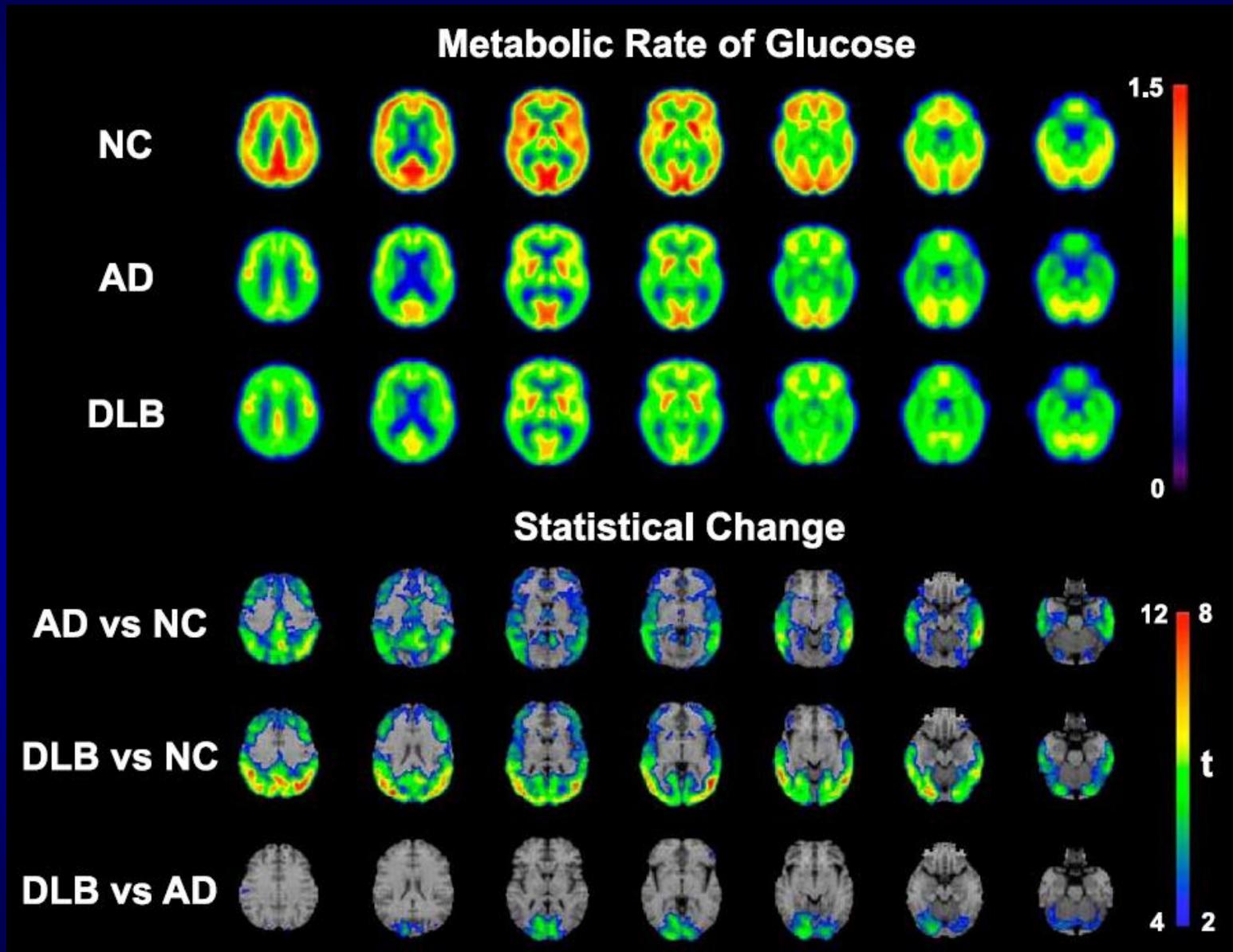
Abnormal metabolic networks in Parkinson's disease (FDG-PET)



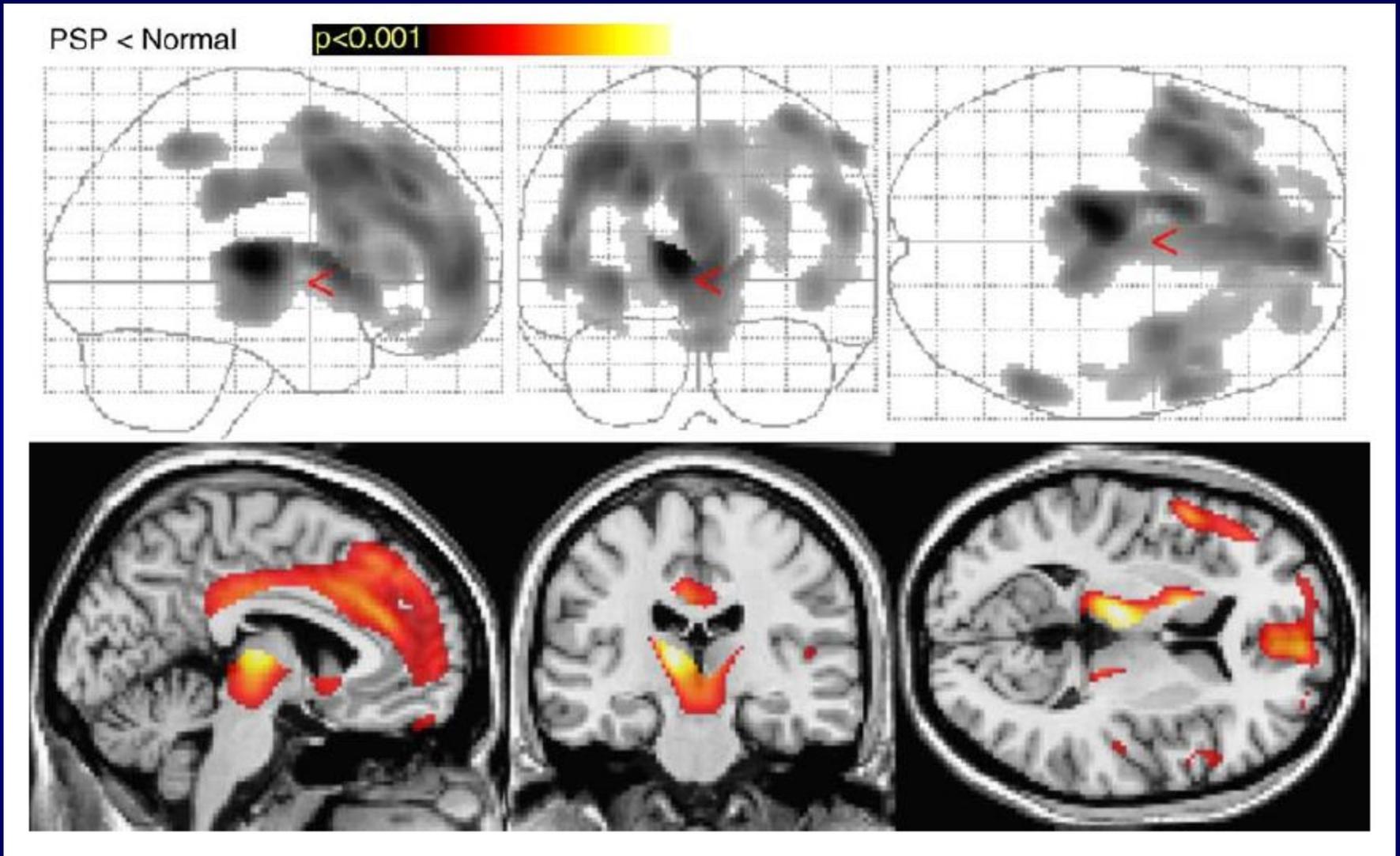
Parkinson's disease-related cognitive pattern: FDG-PET



FDG-PET in AD and DLB



FDG-PET in Progressive Supranuclear Palsy

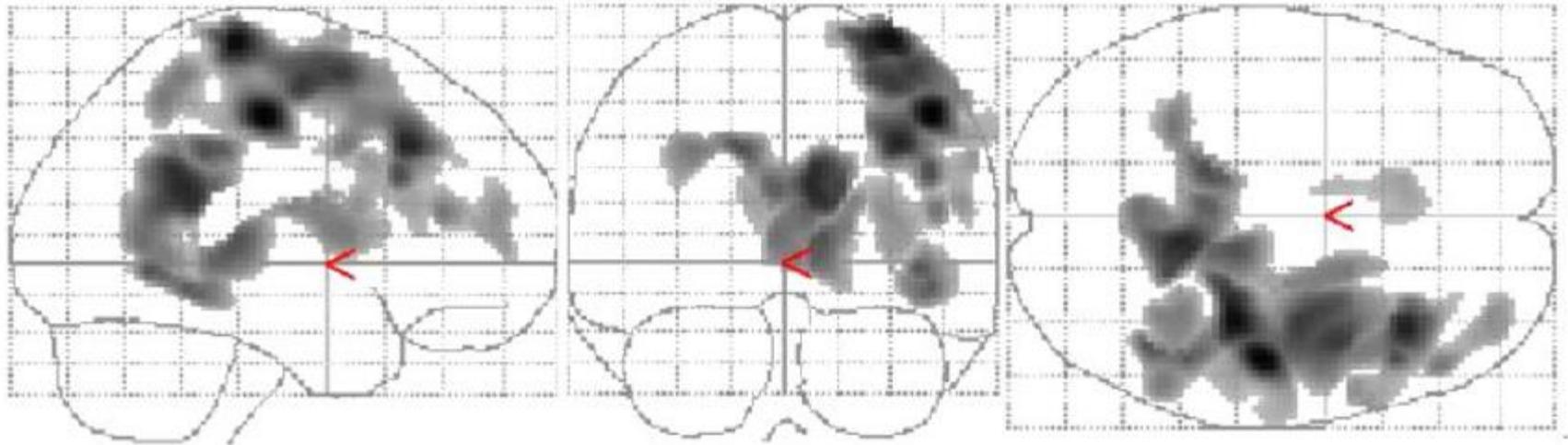


Hypometabolism of the frontal lobe, mid-brain, thalamus, midbrain

FDG-PET in Cortico-Basal-Degeneration

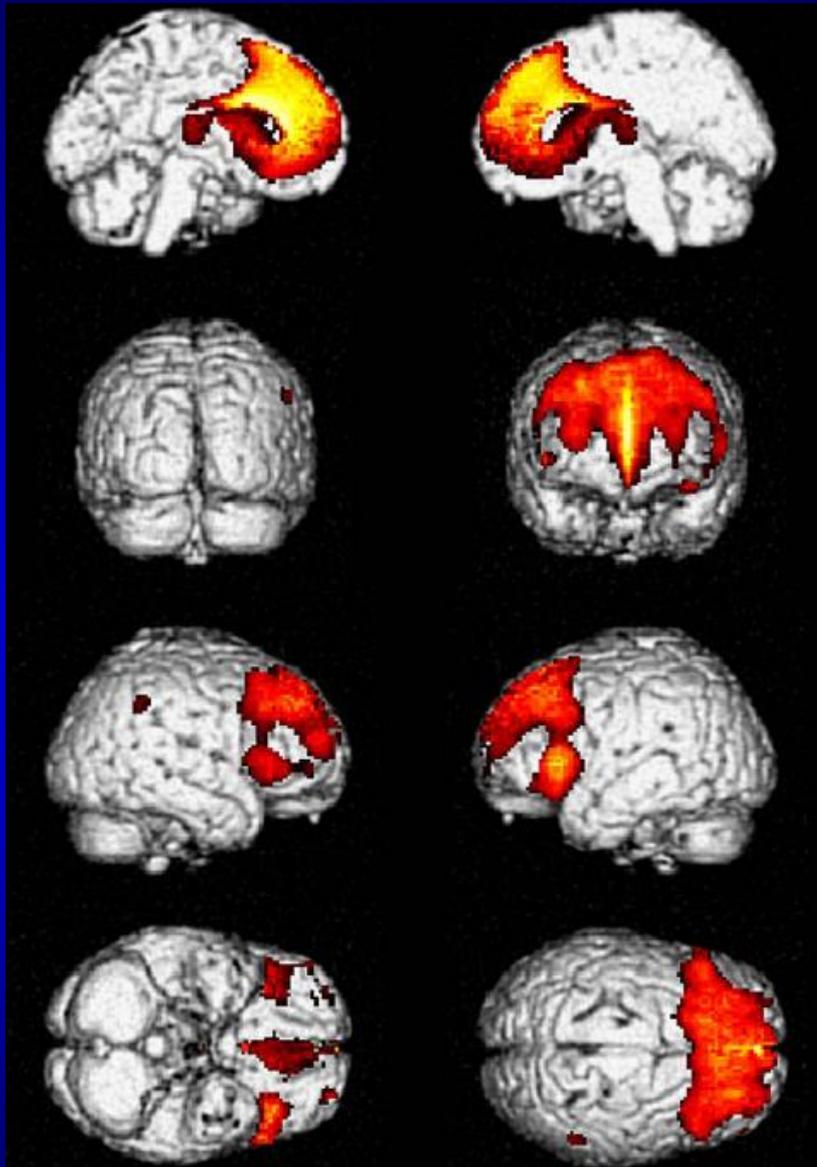
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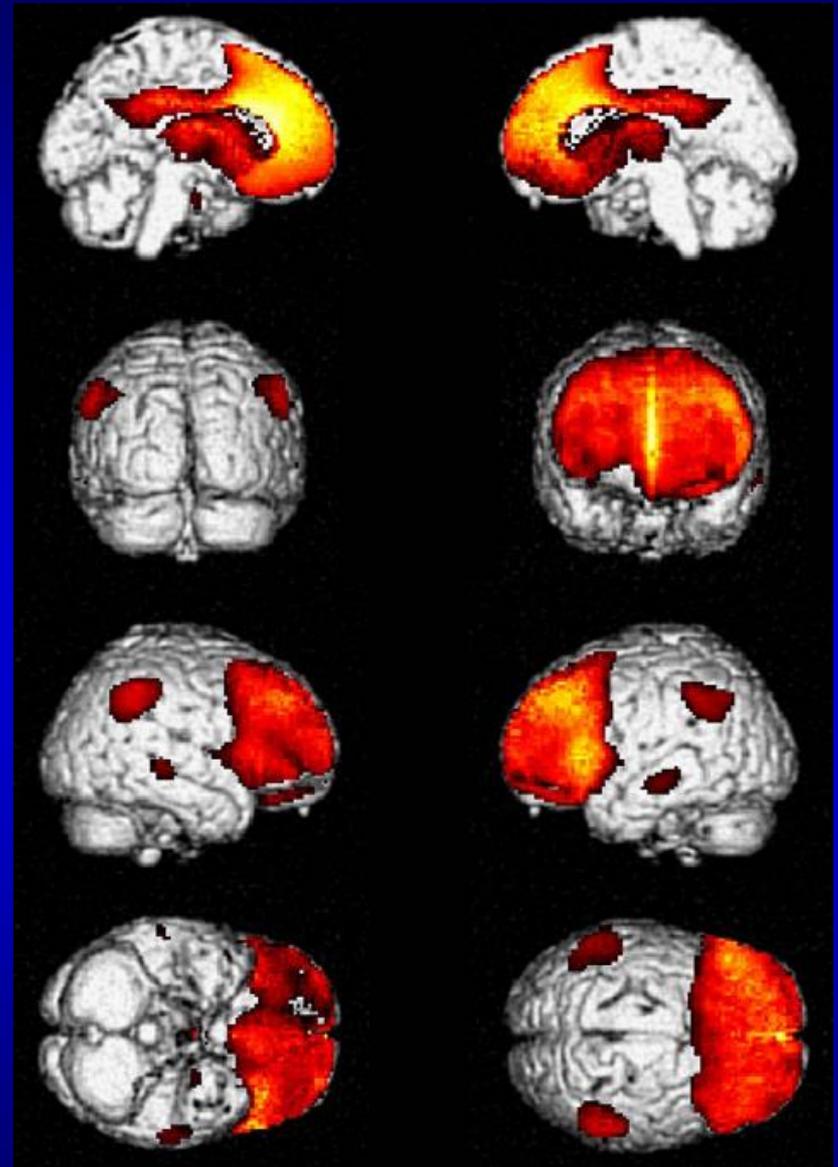


Hypometabolism of the parietal lobe, medial frontal gyrus and cingulate

Progressive Decline of brain glucose metabolism in FTD



22 FTD vs. 15 healthy subjects

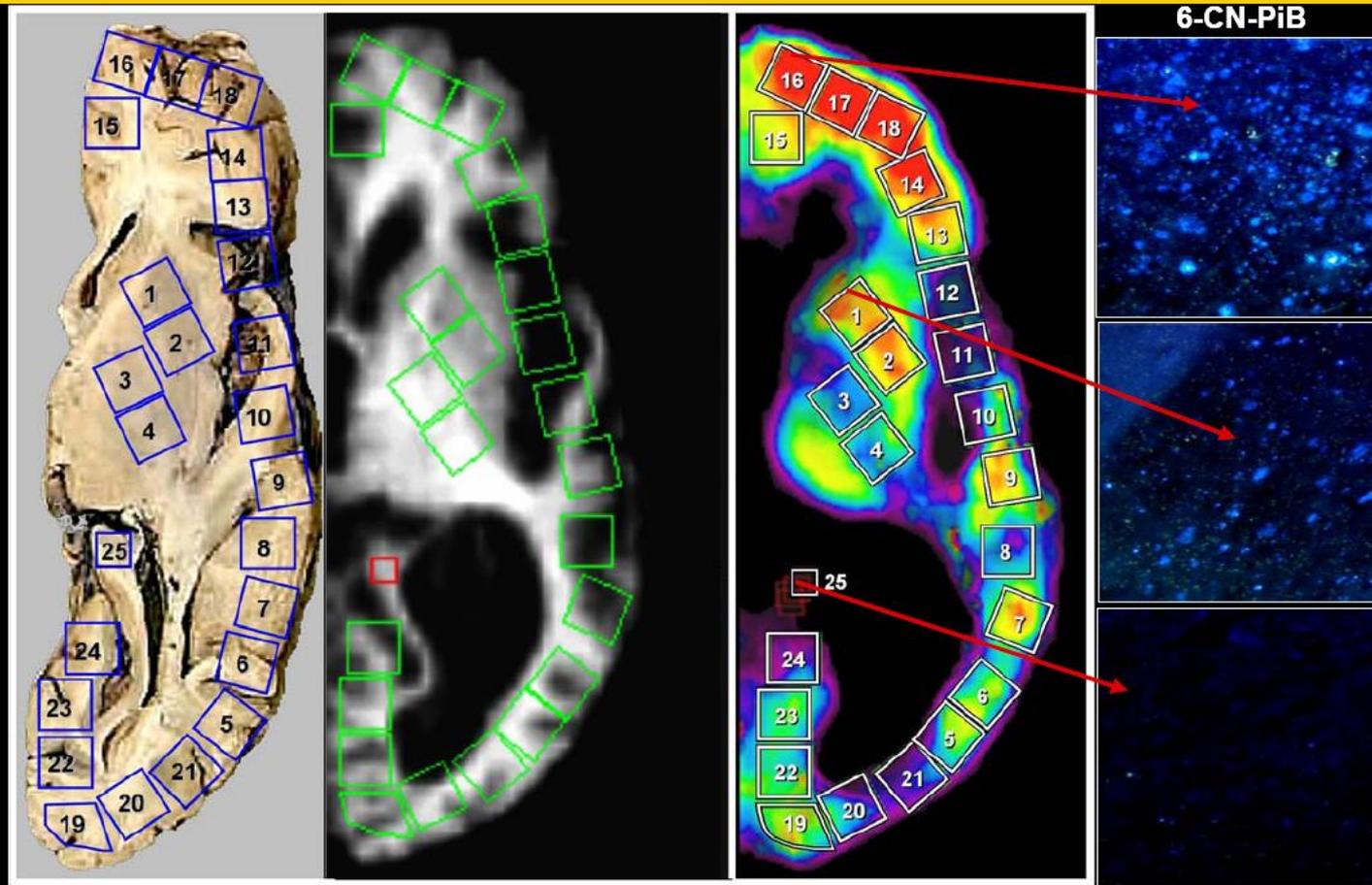


FTD vs. HS 20 months later

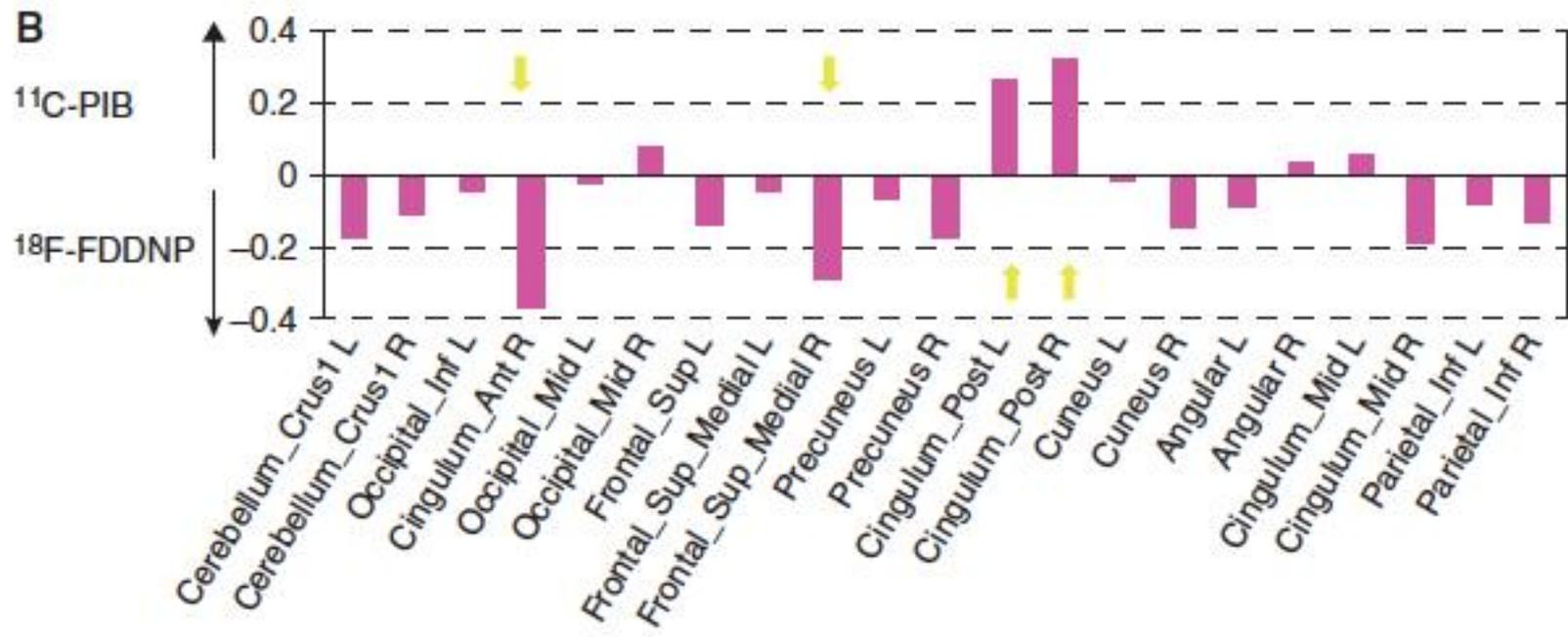
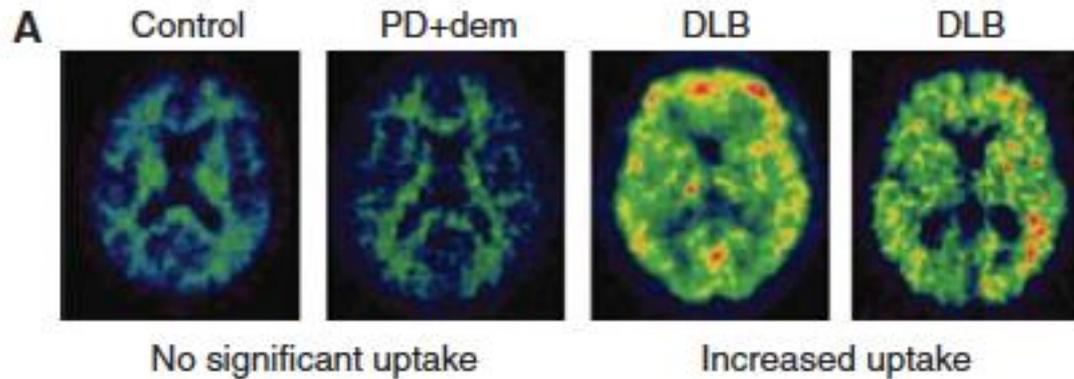
A β imaging

- The most extensively studied and best validated tracer with positron emission tomography (PET) is the ¹¹C-labelled Pittsburgh Compound-B (¹¹C-PIB)
- PIB binds specifically to fibrillar beta-amyloid (A β) deposits, and is a sensitive marker for A β pathology

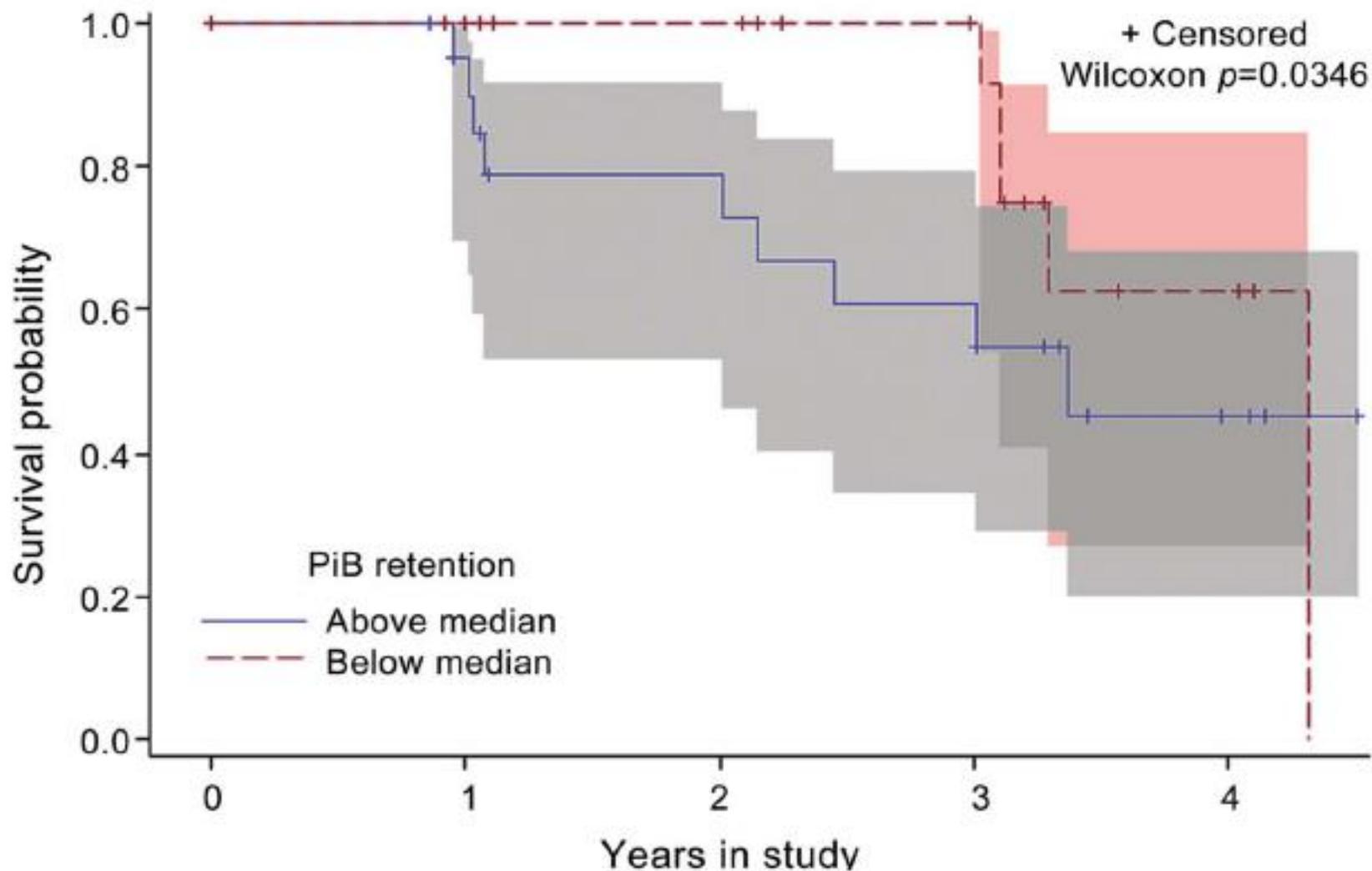
[¹¹C]PiB Retention *In Vivo* Correlates Well with A β Levels Determined Post-Mortem



Imaging amyloid deposition in Lewy body diseases



Subjects with Pittsburgh compound B (PiB) retention above the median for the sample converted to a more severe cognitive state sooner than those with values below the median



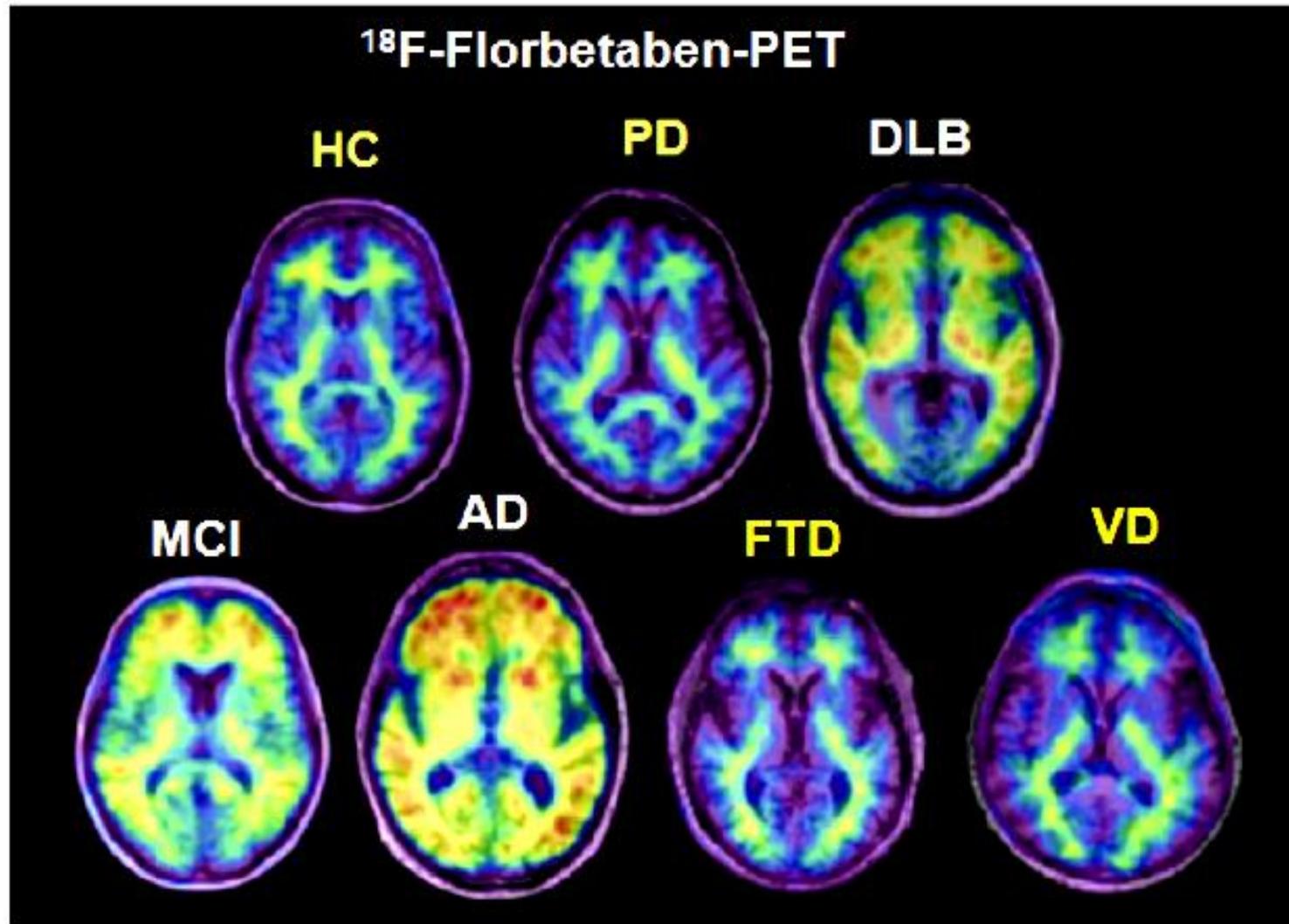
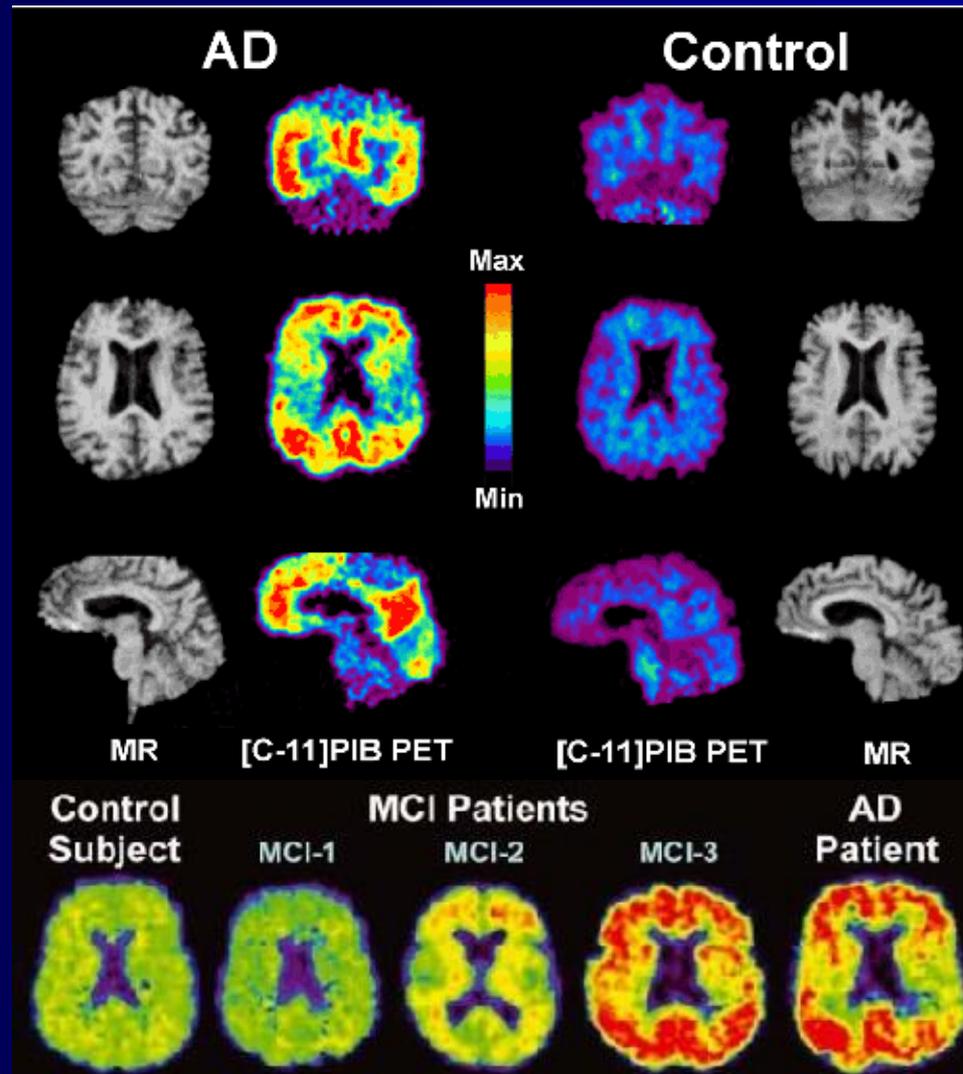


Figure 14 ^{18}F -Florbetaben-PET in differential diagnosis of dementia. VD, pure vascular dementia. (Reprinted by permission of the Society of Nuclear Medicine from Rowe.¹⁰⁶)

In vivo imaging of β amyloid with PIB -PET

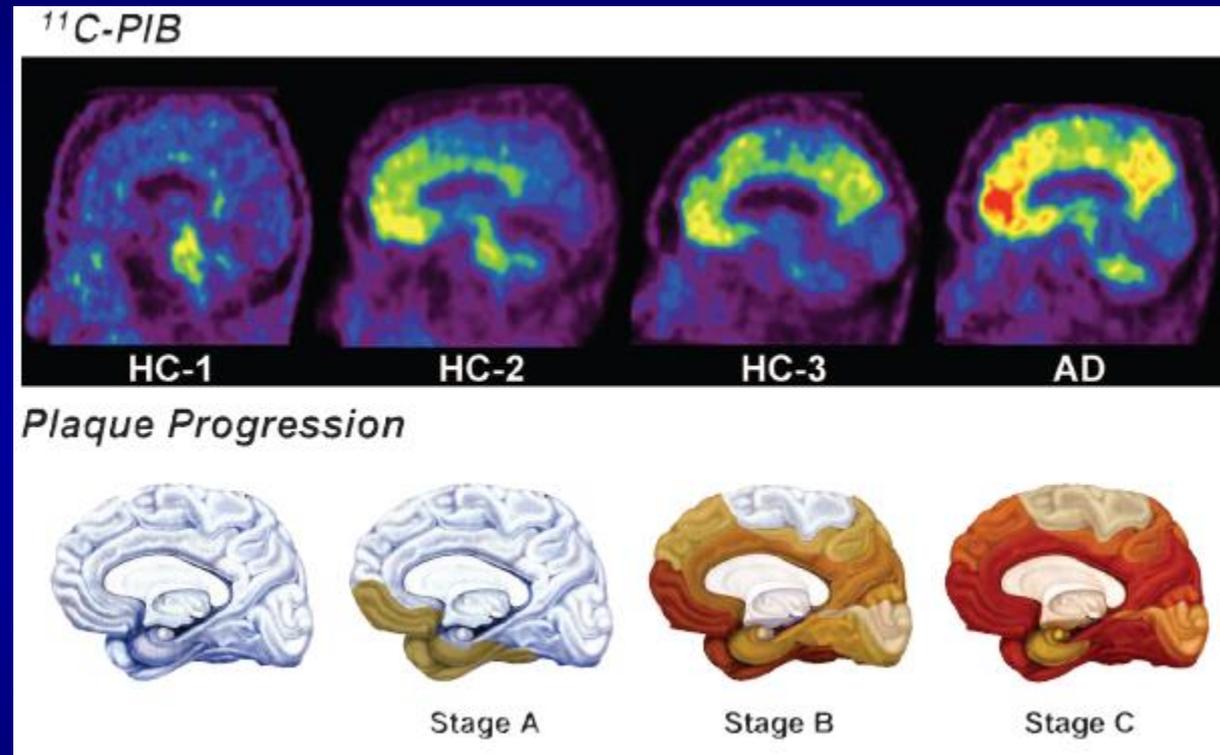


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Healthy controls:

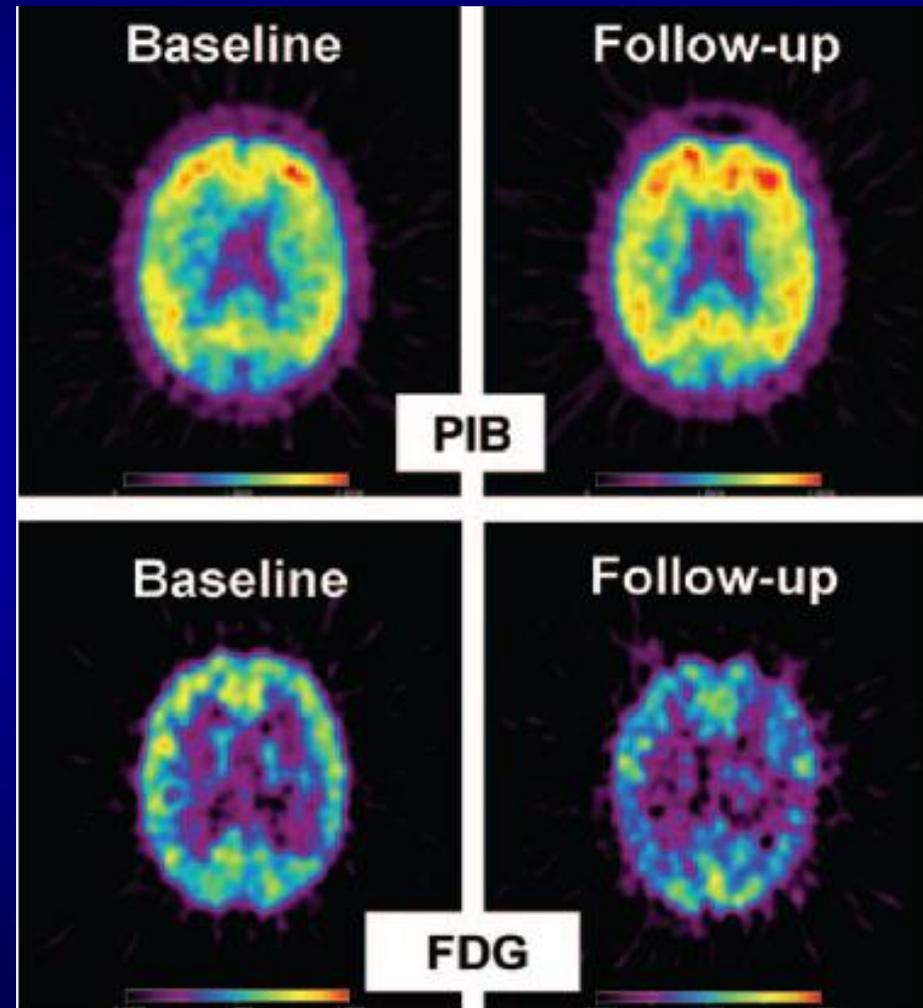
- 21 no binding
- 6 (22%) increased binding
 - pattern similar to AD
 - resembling the stages of $A\beta$ deposition according to Braak pathological studies



Prevalence of AD at age 85 from 15 to 25%, but...
30% of non-demented >75 ys with moderate $A\beta$ deposition at post-mortem

Two-year follow-up of amyloid deposition in patients with Alzheimer's disease

- 16 patients with mild AD
- $A\beta$ deposition stable over two years of follow-up
- 20% decrease in glucose metabolism in posterior cingulate cortex and temporo-parietal cortex
- Significant clinical deterioration in a subgroup of patients

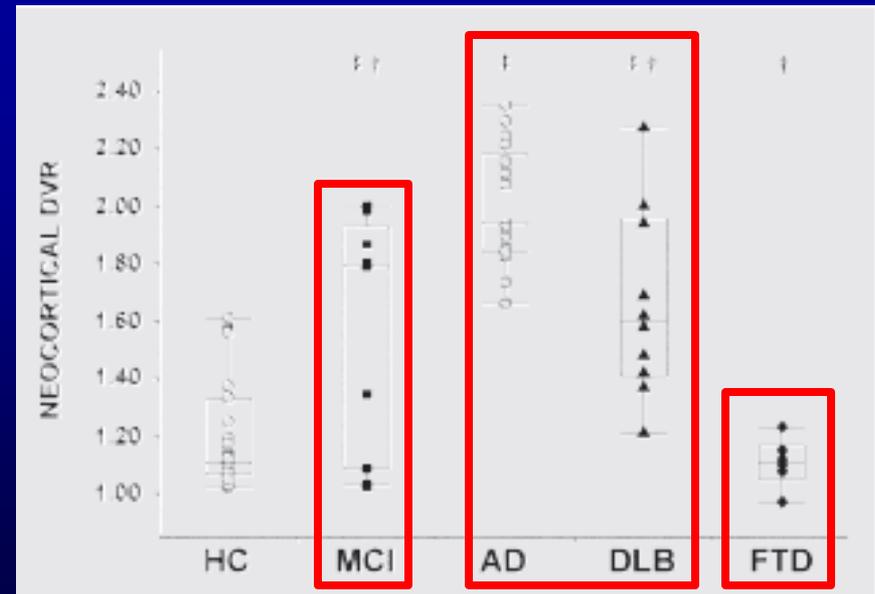
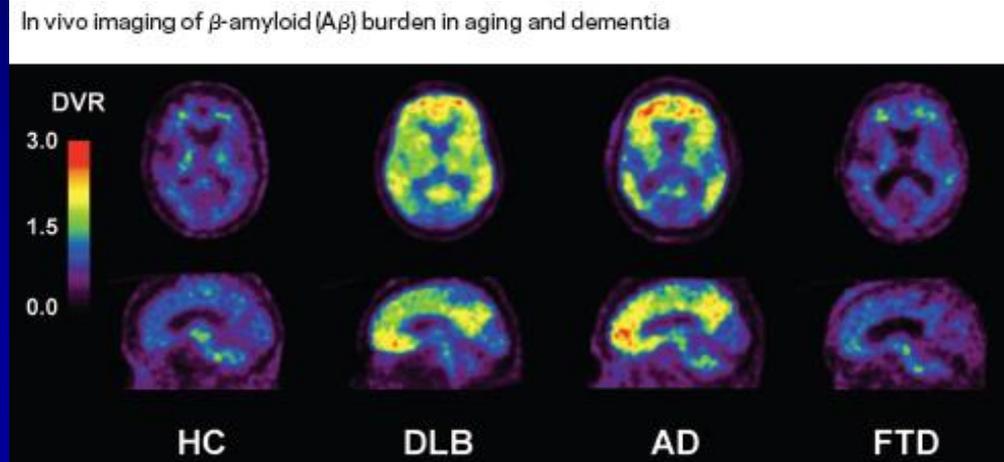


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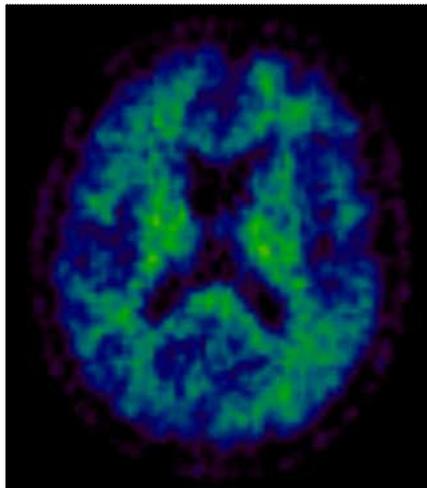
Patients

- 17 AD
 - 10 DLB
 - 6 FTD
 - 9 MCI
 - 27 age-matched controls
- **AD:** markedly increased binding (PCC/precuneus, temporal and parietal cortex, frontal cortex and striatum)
 - **DLB:** increased binding, generally lower and variable.
 - **FTD:** normal values
 - **MCI:** from normal to AD



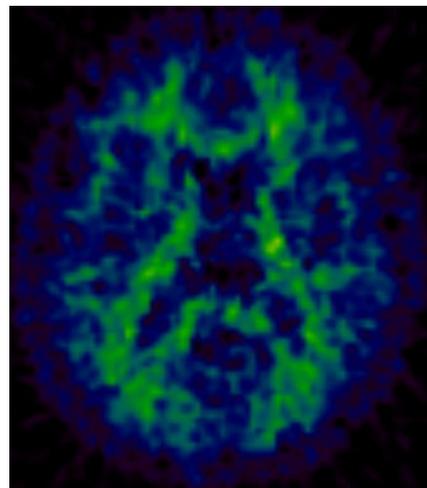
¹¹C-PIB uptake in a healthy volunteer, PDD subject without significant amyloid, and two DLB patients with a significant amyloid load

Control

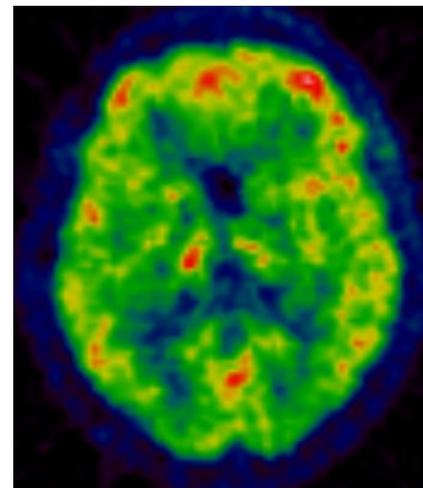


No significant uptake

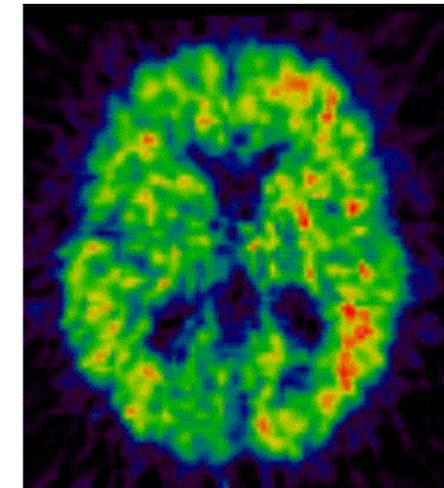
PD with late dementia



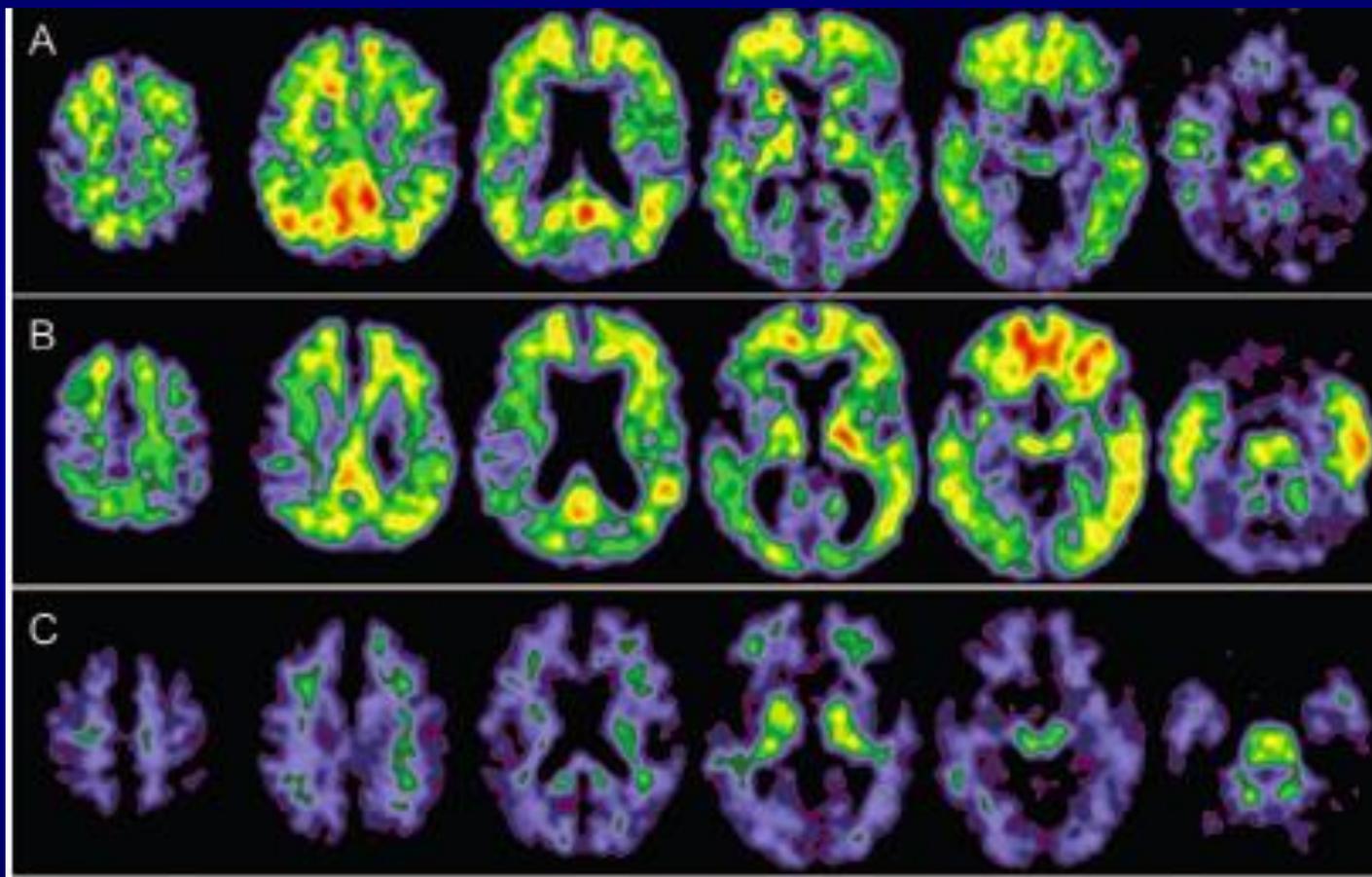
PD with early dementia (DLB)



Increased uptake in 70%



PIB maybe increased in PDD with visuospatial and memory deficits



Amyloid Deposition in Parkinson's Disease and Cognitive Impairment: A Systematic Review

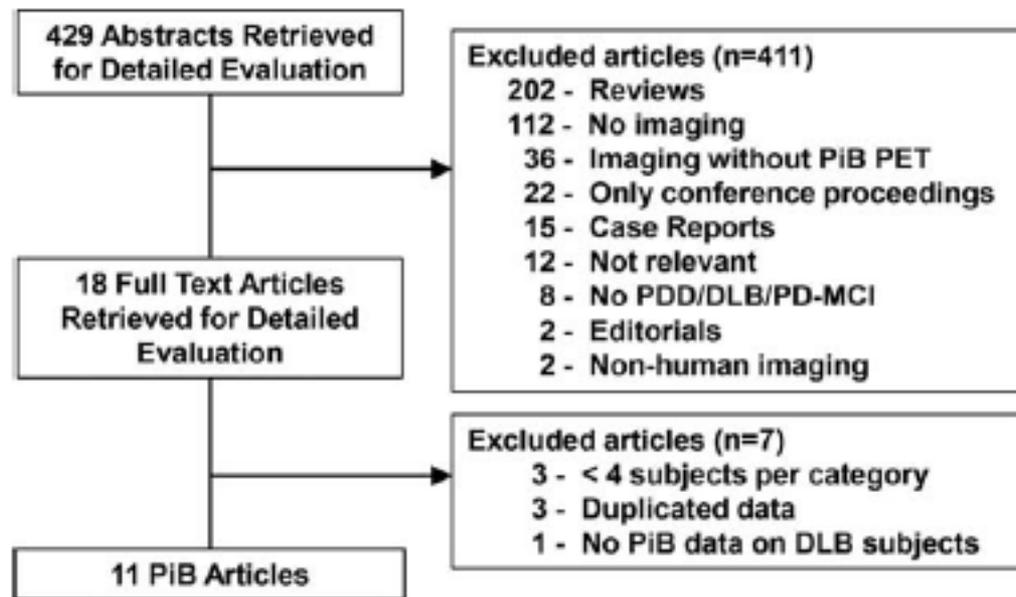
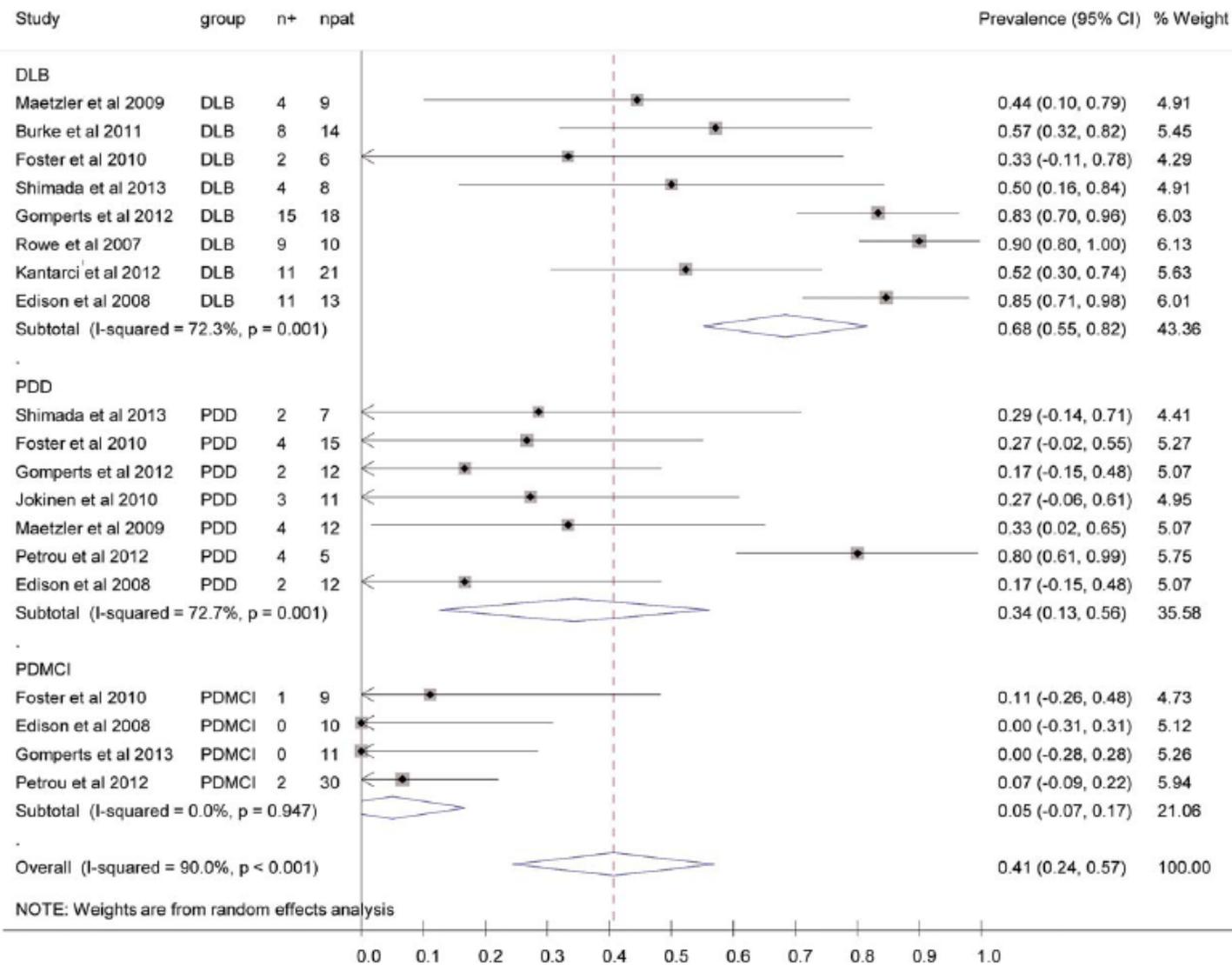
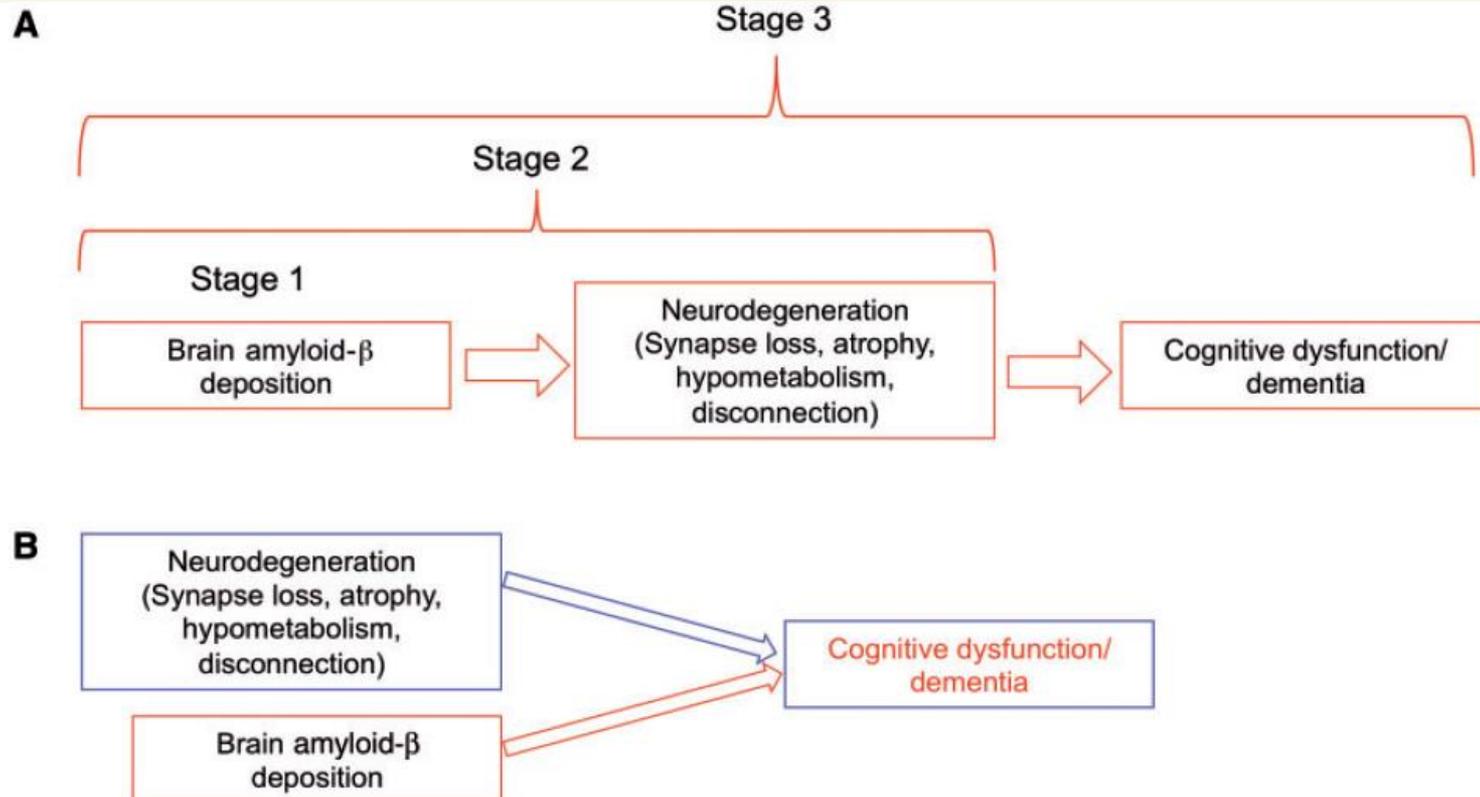


FIG. 1. Flowchart illustrates the selection of studies. PiB, Pittsburgh compound B; PET, positron emission tomography; PDD, Parkinson's disease with dementia; DLB, dementia with Lewy bodies; PD-MCI, Parkinson's disease with mild cognitive impairment.

Forest plot of point prevalence of PiB-positive studies among the entities encompassed by parkinsonism and cognitive impairment





Tau Positron Emission Tomographic Imaging in the Lewy Body Diseases

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A Dementia with Lewy bodies

B PD-impaired

C PD-normal

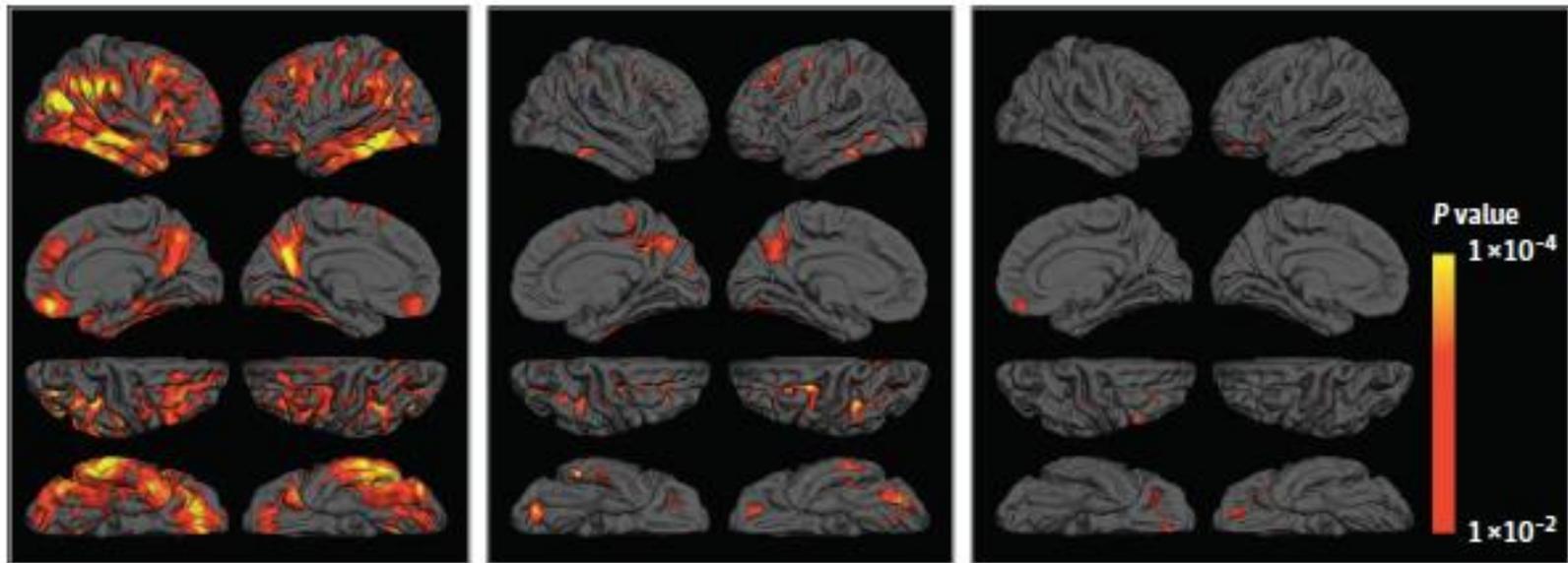
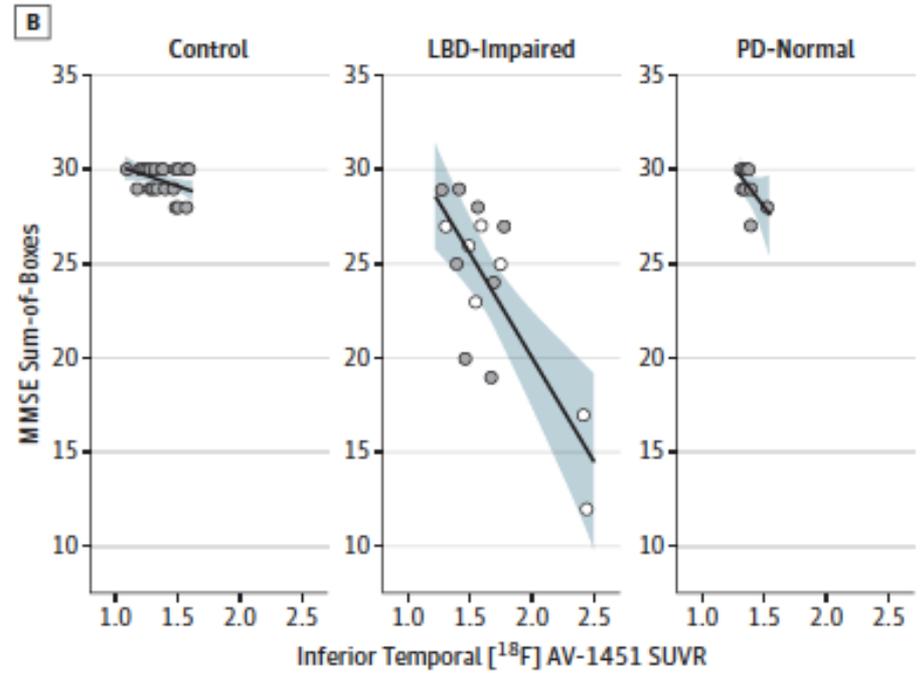
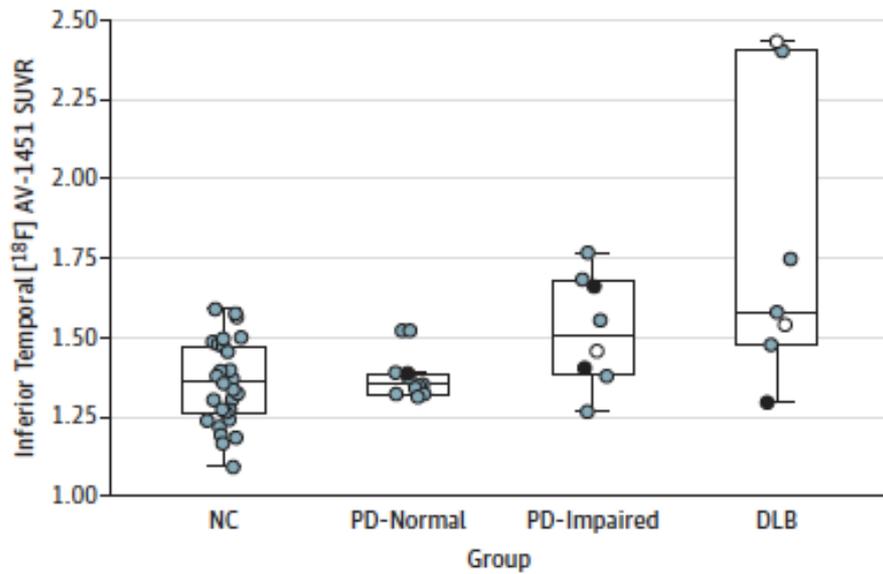


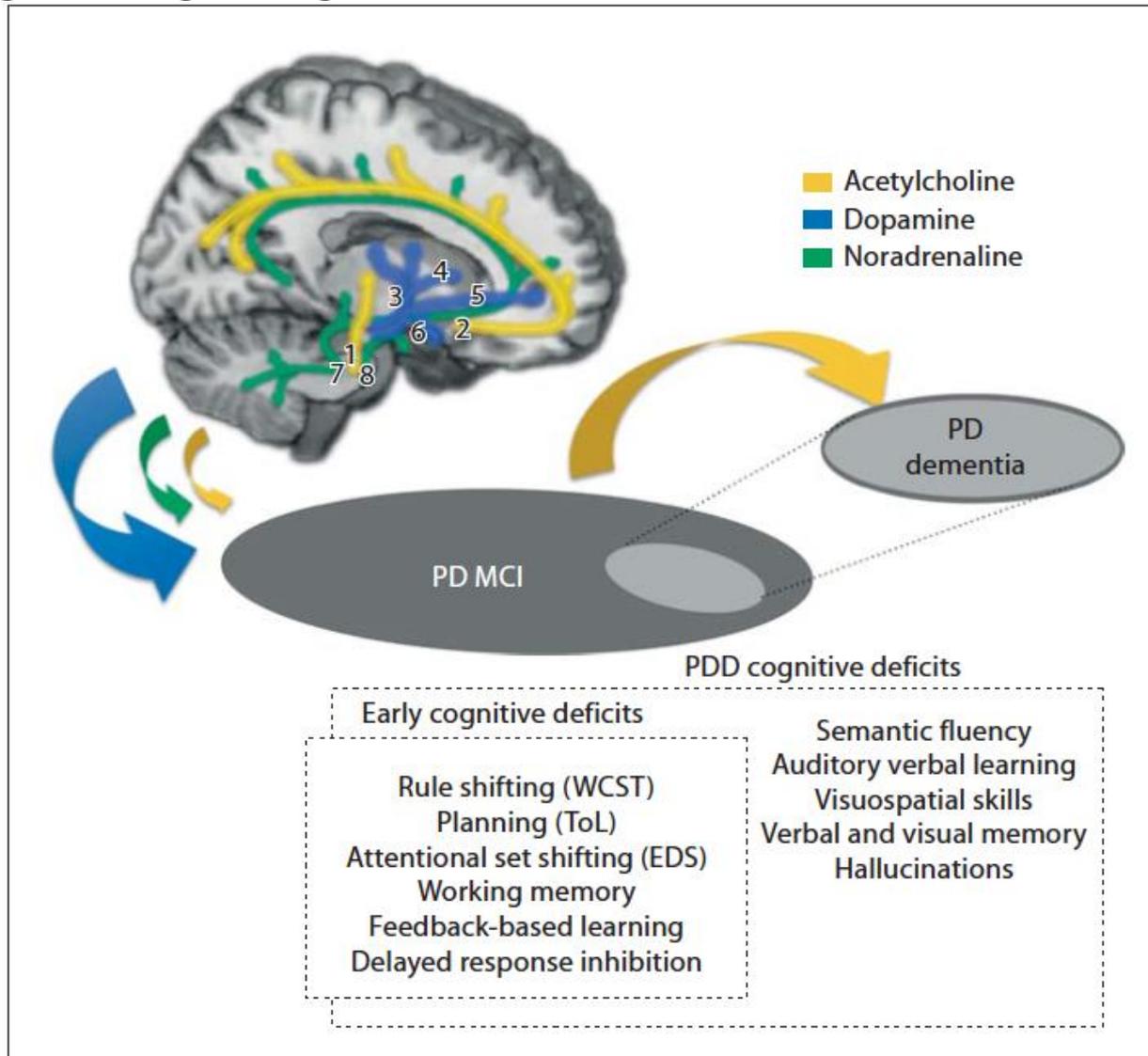
Figure 3. Tau Deposition and Its Relation to Amyloid Burden Across the Diagnostic Groups



Cognitive Impairment in Parkinson's Disease: The Dual Syndrome Hypothesis

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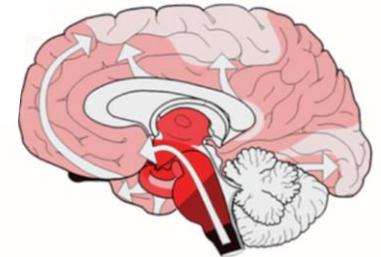
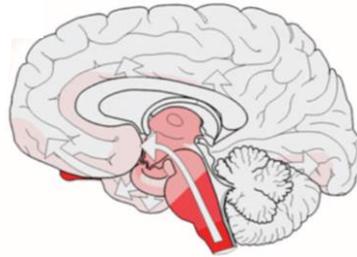
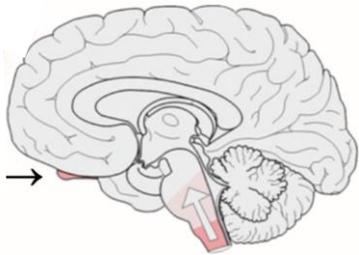


Parkinson's disease

Normal Cognition

Mild Cognitive Impairment

Dementia



Premotor stage

Early stage

Advanced stage

