

Clinician Research Referral

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ELIGIBILITY

✓ Include

- Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI)
- Early Stage Alzheimer's Disease (AD)
- Dementia with Lewy Bodies (DLB)
- Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD)
- Age 85+ (with or without diagnosis)
- Able to be triple imaged (PET/MRI)

✗ Exclude

- Too impaired (MOCA $\leq$ 15 / MMSE $\leq$ 20)
- History of stroke
- Serious psychiatric condition

RESEARCH PITCH

A complement to, not a replacement for, clinical care.



Personal Insight

Annual evals & biomarker feedback



Support

Social worker, QoL & support groups



Future Impact

Contributing to next-gen research

All free for patients:



Cognitive evaluation + feedback



MRI + Amyloid + Tau PET



Access to intervention studies



Support groups & QoL programs



Transportation + compensation



Brain donation option

REFERRAL STEPS

1

Identify eligible patient

Use the Eligibility Criteria column.

2

Deliver the pitch

Use the framing in the Research Pitch column.

3

If patient is interested:

Add **smartphrase ECOTRIALS** to the patient's chart and check the studies they are good for.

4

Patient contacted within 1 week

Mariana / ADRC team will follow up.

Suggested script:

"I'd like to refer you to the Shiley-Marcos ADRC. You may be a great candidate for research on brain changes in aging. It's a complement to your clinical care. The ADRC team will reach out with more info and match you to the best fit."

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