

Quizlet Psy361- Alzhimers Disease Study online at quizlet.com/_1bh4bb

1. Acethylcholine ACh	Which nuerotransmitter has been shown to be particularlu decreased in patients with AD?
2. Beta Amyloid Proteins	Proteins found in plaques
3. Familial AD	Early onset. 5% of cases. Chromosome 21 plays a role in forming APP. Chromosome 14, 1.
4. Granuvacular Degeneration	Holes in brain due to AD.
5. LipoFuscin	Increased sticky yellow substance in brain due to AD.
6. Localized Cell Loss	Loss of nuerons, connection, and brain gets significantly smaller due to AD.
7. MRI brain changes in AD.	Brain becomes small, sulci widening, ventricles gets bigger
8. Plaques	Clumps of Beta Amyloid Protein clusters after APP enzyme cuts them off. 75 or more in one sq ml.
9. Sporadic AD	Late onset. 95% of cases. random. no genetic inheritance, ApoE4 found in chromosome 10 shown to bind with plaques and tangles. Age 65.
10. Tangles	Dead cells and nuerons, once tau protein inside cell unravels and tangles clumped inside cells are released. 52 or more sq. ml.
11. Tau Proteins	Proteins found in Tangles