

Australian Dementia Network (ADNeT) Registry

2020-2022 Key Findings

A clinical quality registry to drive continuous improvement in quality of care and patient outcomes for people from the time of diagnosis with dementia or mild cognitive impairment (MCI)

Site Participation



2369

Participants



55

Total sites



27%

Regional sites



44%

Private sites

Key Clinical Quality Indicators

63%

First appointment within 90 days of referral

96%

Core blood tests undertaken

99%

Cognitive assessments completed

93%

Structural neuroimaging completed

98%

Ability to perform activities of daily living assessed

Diagnosis



32%
MCI



68%
Dementia

Dementia subtypes:

- Alzheimer's disease only: **53%**
- Mixed Alzheimer's & Vascular dementia: **23%**
- Vascular dementia only: **10%**
- Others: **14%**

Demographics

MCI	Demographics	Dementia
77	Median age (years)	79
53%	Female	54%
32%	Born overseas	39%
83%	Completed secondary or higher education	78%
27%	Living alone	27%

This infographic pertains to data submitted to the ADNeT Registry from commencement of data collection on 10th March 2020, to 31st December 2022. For more information, please refer to the ADNeT Registry 2022 Annual Report (www.australiandementianetwork.org.au) where data are stratified by year to provide more in-depth information.



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Cognitive Functioning¹

MCI		Dementia
27	Mini-Mental State Exam (MMSE)	22
23	Montreal Cognitive Assessment (MoCA)	18
25	Rowland Universal Dementia Assessment Scale (RUDAS)	19



Daily Functioning²

MCI		Dementia
95%	Independent in personal activities of daily living	75%
74%	Independent in instrumental activities of daily living	25%
66%	Currently driving	32%

Self-reported Well-being



Participants

Good = **62%**
Fair = **32%**
Poor = **6%**



Carers

Good = **88%**
Fair = **9%**
Poor = **3%**

Experience with Diagnostic Services



Participants

Good = **88%**
Fair = **9%**
Poor = **3%**



Carers

Good = **89%**
Fair = **10%**
Poor = **1%**

¹These are median scores of the MMSE, MoCA and RUDAS, which range from 0 to 30 with higher scores indicating high level of cognitive functioning.

²Level of daily functioning may be impacted by factors other than as direct results of dementia and MCI, such as physical and/ or sensory impairments. Personal activities of daily living include activities such as dressing, showering and toileting. Instrumental activities of daily living include activities such as cooking, laundry and managing finances.

