

Research Summary
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Dr. Gerard Schellenberg received his Ph.D in biochemistry from the University of California, Riverside in 1978. He is the Associate Director for Research of the Geriatrics Research Education and Clinical Center at the Veterans Affairs Puget Sound Health Care System in Seattle. He is also a Research Professor in the Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine in the Department of Medicine at the University of Washington in Seattle. He also has a joint appointment in the Division of Neurogenetics, Department of Neurology and an adjunct appointment in the Department of Pharmacology at the University of Washington. In September of 2008, he will be moving to the School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania where he will be a Professor in the Department of Pathology. He works on the genetics of Alzheimer's disease and related neurodegenerative disorder and on the genetics of autism. In addition to his genetic studies, he also works on animal models of tauopathies.