

# Memory Dysfunction Study

## Aetiology and natural history of acute amnesic states

### Aim

To investigate the causes and outcome of acute amnesic states; in particular to understand the natural history of transient global amnesia, transient epileptic amnesia and other related disorders

### Hypothesis

The natural history of acute amnesic states relates to MRI and EEG findings

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### Status

Now enrolling

### Trial No. 1018

### Funding

Neurodegenerative Disorders Research  
Pty Ltd

### Criteria

All patients presenting to the Emergency Department with acute memory dysfunction may be recruited into the study (some patients will be admitted, others may be seen as outpatients)

### Ethics approval

Human Research Ethics Committee  
Joondalup Health Campus;  
endorsed by Ramsay Corporate Services

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