

# Supplementary Material

## Neuropsychiatric Symptoms and Caregiver Stress in Parkinson's Disease with Cognitive Impairment, Alzheimer's Disease, and Frontotemporal Dementia

**Supplementary Table 1.** Multivariate linear regression analysis for caregiver burden among three diagnosis groups

	Frontotemporal disease		Alzheimer's disease		Parkinson's disease	
	Standardized beta	p	Standardized beta	p	Standardized beta	p
Mini-Mental State Examination	-	-	<i>-0.187</i>	<i>0.006</i>	<i>-0.08</i>	<i>0.39</i>
CVVLT-total	-	-	<i>0.05</i>	<i>0.471</i>	-	-
CVVLT-10 min recalls	-	-	<i>-0.136</i>	<i>0.047</i>	-	-
Digit forward	<i>-0.055</i>	<i>0.37</i>			-	-
Modified Trails B tests time (s)	-	-	<i>0.029</i>	<i>0.639</i>	-	-
Modified Trails B tests scores	-	-	<i>0.112</i>	<i>0.13</i>	<i>-0.134</i>	<i>0.12</i>
Calculations	<i>-0.013</i>	<i>0.856</i>	-	-	-	-
Visuospatial-Pentagone	<i>0.024</i>	<i>0.721</i>	-	-	-	-
NPI-total	<i>0.794</i>	<i>&lt;0.001</i>	<i>0.299</i>	<i>&lt;0.001</i>	<i>0.155</i>	<i>0.018</i>

CVVLT, Chinese version verbal learning test; NPI-total, Neuropsychiatric Inventory total scores; Significance at  $p < 0.05$

**Supplementary Table 2.** Multivariate linear regression analysis for Neuropsychiatric Inventory total scores

	Frontotemporal disease		Alzheimer's disease		Parkinson's disease	
	Standardized beta	p	Standardized beta	p	Standardized beta	p
Mini-Mental State Examination	-	-	-0.008	0.912	-	-
CVVLT-total	-	-			-	-
CVVLT-10 min recalls	-	-			-	-
Digit forward	-	-	-0.029	0.602	-	-
Digit backward	-	-	-0.044	0.484	-	-
Modified Trails B tests time (s)	-	-	0.023	0.747	-	-
Modified Trails B tests scores	-	-	-0.073	0.391	-	-
Calculations	-0.131	0.22	0.02	0.797	-	-
Visuospatial-Pentagone	-0.148	0.17	-	-	-	-
Geriatric depression score	-	-	0.276	<0.001	0.364	<0.001

CVVLT, Chinese version verbal learning test; NPI-total scores, sum of 12 domains in the NPI (frequency x severity)

**Supplementary Table 3.** Neuropsychiatric Inventory (NPI) subdomains for predicting caregiver burden in three diagnosis groups

<i>NPI subdomains</i>	<i>Correlation coefficient</i>	<i>Multivariate regression model</i>		<i>Correlation coefficient</i>	<i>Multivariate regression model</i>	
		<i>Standardized beta</i>	<i>p</i>		<i>Standardized beta</i>	<i>p</i>
<b><i>Alzheimer's disease mild cognitive impairment</i></b>				<b><i>Alzheimer's disease dementia</i></b>		
Agitation	0.323**	0.207	0.001	-	-	-
Appetite	0.179**	0.073	0.162	-	-	-
Delusion	0.180**	0.1307	0.011	0.445**	0.247	0.013
Depression	0.205**	0.116	0.027	-	-	-
Irritability	0.363**	0.236	0.001	0.298**	0.155	0.085
Disinhibition	-	-	-	0.316**	0.066	0.529
Elation	-	-	-	0.405**	0.227	0.036
Hallucination	-	-	-	0.431**	0.216	0.029
<b><i>Parkinson's disease mild cognitive impairment</i></b>				<b><i>Parkinson's disease dementia</i></b>		
Agitation	0.241**	0.097	0.318	-	-	-
Depression	0.198*	0.102	0.260	-	-	-
Hallucination	0.216*	0.198	0.027	-	-	-
Irritability	0.307**	0.245	0.013	-	-	-
Delusion	-	-	-	0.427*	0.427	0.017
<b><i>Frontotemporal disease with CDR=0.5</i></b>				<b><i>Frontotemporal disease dementia</i></b>		
Anxiety	-	-	-	0.217*	0.130	0.094
Delusion	-	-	-	0.454**	0.342	0.001
Hallucination	-	-	-	0.374**	0.183	0.038

MCI, mild cognitive impairment; CDR, Clinical Dementia Rating

Regression model analysis included only the significant NPI sub-domains from the correlational analysis

\*p<0.05; \*\*p<0.01