



2026 Summit Agenda

Focus on Dementia and Related
Neurodegenerative Diseases

Thursday, November 5, 2026

- 07:30 am - 09:00 am **Registration / Check in / Breakfast**
- 09:00 am - 09:30 am **Introduction and Opening Remarks**
- 09:30 am - 10:20 am **Keynote - David M. Holtzman, MD**
 Professor of Neurology
 Barbara Burton & Reuben M Morriss III Distinguished Professorship
 Professor of Developmental Biology
 Director - Hope Center for Neurological Disorders
 Director- Knight Alzheimer's Disease Research Center
 WashU Medicine
- 10:25 am - 11:55 am **Risk Factors Across the Lifespan**
- 12:00 pm - 01:15 pm **Lunch and Networking**
- 01:15 pm - 02:45 pm **Disease Architecture and Heterogeneity**
- 02:45 pm - 03:15 pm **Break**
- 03:15 pm - 04:45 pm **Psychiatric Manifestations and Risks**
- 04:45 pm - 05:00 pm **Closing Remarks**
- 05:00 pm - 07:00 pm **Reception and Poster Session**

Friday, November 6, 2026

- 07:00 am - 08:00 am **Registration / Check in / Breakfast**
- 08:00 am - 08:20 am **Introduction and Opening Remarks**
- 08:20 am - 09:10 am **Patient/Caregiver Panel**
Organized by Alzheimer's Texas
- 09:15 am - 10:45 am **Fundamental Mechanisms of Disease**
- 10:45 am - 11:00 am **Break**
- 11:00 am - 12:30 pm **Measurement Platforms: Biomarkers, Imaging, and AI**
- 12:30 pm - 1:15 pm **Lunch and Networking**
- 01:15 pm - 02:45 pm **Treatment and Innovative Interventions**
- 02:45 pm - 04:15 pm **Epidemiology, and Health Systems Innovation**
- 04:15 pm - 04:45 pm **Future of Research and Care for Dementia and Related Neurodegenerative Diseases in Texas**
- 04:45 pm - 05:00 pm **Closing Remarks**

