

**Supplemental Table 1.** Characteristics of study participants in percentages or means (and standard deviations), for participants included at follow-up (FU) and SCI/MCI participants not included at follow-up (No FU).

<i>Means &amp; Percentages, t-tests unless otherwise indicated</i>	<b>n</b>	<b>Follow-Up</b>	<b>No Follow-up</b>	<i>p (X<sup>2</sup>/ t)</i>
	(FU/No FU)	(n=57)	(n=66)	
Age (years)	(57/66)	60.98 (6.39)	61.84 (8.05)	.517
Education (years)	(57/66)	14.10 (3.39)	14.21 (3.38)	.857
Female (% , X <sup>2</sup> )	(57/66)	59.6	56.1	.688
Stress measures				
Perceived Stress Scale ( __ /40)	(54/60)	18.89 (7.13)	17.85 (7.40)	.448
Cortisol				
Awakening Cortisol (t1) (nmol/l)	(57/66)	8.76 (4.91)	8.53 (4.90)	.797
Bedtime Cortisol (t6) (nmol/l)	(57/66)	2.48 (3.79)	2.24 (3.64)	.718
Cortisol Awakening Response	(57/66)	.53 (1.17)	.75 (1.39)	.347
Daily Cortisol Output	(57/66)	3.92 (.70)	4.04 (.69)	.340
Cortisol AM/PM ratio (t1/t6)	(57/66)	2.04 (.75)	2.00 (.70)	.792
CSF Biomarkers				
Aβ <sub>42</sub> (ng/l)	(46/58)	889.13 (153.80)	712.19 (227.94)	< .001 ***
T-Tau (ng/l)	(46/58)	286.67 (105.27)	311.76 (182.41)	.382
P-Tau (ng/l)	(46/58)	41.78 (13.63)	44.88 (21.10)	.368
Cognition				
Overall cognition (mean z-score)	(47/54)	-.54 (.91)	-.61 (.90)	.688
Memory (mean z-score)	(51/58)	-.33 (.91)	-1.09 (1.35)	.001 **
Processing Speed (mean z-score)	(48/53)	-.54 (1.16)	-.66 (1.33)	.654
Working Memory (mean z-score)	(43/48)	-.37 (.84)	-.66 (1.12)	.169
Perceptual Reasoning (mean z-score)	(49/54)	-.15 (.87)	-.38 (1.03)	.234
Currently taking cortisone (% , X <sup>2</sup> )	(57/66)	12.3	10.6	.771

\* significant at p &lt; .05; \*\* significant at p &lt; .01, \*\*\* significant at p &lt; .001