

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE 2013 PARTNERSHIP MEETING "THE STATE OF THE STATE PLAN"



January 30, 2013
J.J. Pickle Research Campus
10100 Burnet Road, Austin, TX 78758

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Texas Council on Alzheimer's Disease & Related Disorders Meeting (Open)

Time		Event	Speaker
9:15	9:45	Conference Registration	
9:45	10:00	Welcome and Overview - Joint Interim Report on Alzheimer's Disease	Debbie Hanna, Chair, Texas Council on Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders
10:00	11:15	National Alzheimer's Project Act: Outcomes to Date and Implications for Texas	Robert Egge, National Alzheimer's Association; and George Vradenburg, US Against Alzheimer's
10:40	11:00	Panel Question and Answer	
11:00	11:15	Break	
11:15	12:15	Bridging Basic and Clinical Research	
11:15	11:35	Clinical and Translational Research	Rachelle Doody, MD, PhD
11:35	11:55	Basic Research	George Perry, PhD
11:55	12:15	Panel Question and Answer	Drs. Rachelle Doody and George Perry
12:15	1:15	Lunch & Presentation in Auditorium	Mrs. Edith Royal
1:15	2:30	Texas Research Regional Update	
1:15	1:30	Gulf Coast/Houston	Susan Rountree, MD
1:30	1:45	Metroplex/Panhandle	Munro Cullum, PhD
1:45	2:00	Central, South and West	Don Moss, PhD
2:00	2:30	Break Outs - Regional Updates	
2:30	2:45	Break	
2:45	3:45	State Plan Goal Group Strategic Planning	State Plan Goal Groups
3:45	4:15	Report Out and Next Steps/Adjourn	Debbie Hanna

FEATURED SPEAKERS



Rachelle Doody, M.D., Ph.D., is the Effie Marie Cain Chair in Alzheimer's Disease Research, Professor of Neurology in the Department of Neurology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, and Director of the Alzheimer's Disease Memory and Disorders Center at Baylor. She received a Ph.D. in Cognitive Anthropology from Rice University where she studied the brain and language. She earned a M.D. from Baylor College of Medicine, and completed her internship and residency training there and at the Royal Victoria Hospital and Montreal Neurologic Institute in Montreal. She has authored more than 100 publications, most of which deal with the diagnosis, progression, or treatment of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders, and is a featured speaker at national and international conferences devoted to research on AD and other dementias. She has received multiple research grants, including a Zenith Award from the National Alzheimer's Association. Dr. Doody's primary research interests include: cognitive aspects of Alzheimer's disease, dementia, and aphasia; Alzheimer's disease therapeutics and modeling of progression for clinical prognostication, validation of biological markers, and enhancing design of AD clinical trials.



Robert J. Egge is the Alzheimer's Association's Vice President of Public Policy and Advocacy. With specific policy and analytical experience in Alzheimer's and other related healthcare issues, Mr. Egge leads the Association's efforts to elevate Alzheimer's as a critical federal and state government priority and implement policies to better serve those affected by Alzheimer's disease and related disorders. Chief among these priorities is increasing federal funding for research and care programs, while also advancing Alzheimer's disease policy planning and coordination at the federal and state levels.



George Perry, Ph.D., is Dean of the College of Sciences and Professor of Biology at the University of Texas San Antonio. Dr. Perry joined the UTSA faculty in 2006 from Case Western Reserve University where he was Professor of Pathology and Neurosciences and Chair of the Department of Pathology. He is distinguished as one of the top Alzheimer's disease researchers with over 1,000 publications, one of the top 100 most-cited scientists in neuroscience and behavior and one of the top 25 scientists in free radical research. Dr. Perry has been cited over 40,000 times and is recognized as an ISI highly cited researcher. He is the editor for numerous journals and is editor-in-chief for the Journal of Alzheimer's Disease. Dr. Perry is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Sciences, the Microscopy Society of America, and past-president of the American Association of Neuropathologists, as well as a member of the Dana Alliance for Brain Initiatives. Dr. Perry is recognized internationally for his work. He is a Foreign Correspondent Member of the Spanish Royal Academy of Sciences and the Academy of Science Lisbon, and a Foreign Member of the Mexican National Academy of Sciences. Dr. Perry's research is primarily focused on the mechanism of formation and physiological consequences of the cytopathology of Alzheimer's disease. He has played a key role in elucidating oxidative damage as the initial cytopathological abnormality in Alzheimer's disease. He is currently working to determine the sequence of events leading to neuronal oxidative damage and the source of the increased oxygen radicals.



George Vradenburg is a civic activist and philanthropist, driven by a passion for public service. President of the Vradenburg Foundation, he founded USAgainstAlzheimer's, a national disease advocacy network and chairs the Geoffrey Beene Foundation-Alzheimer's Initiative on early diagnosis. Vradenburg is also Chairman of the Board of The Phillips Collection in Washington, DC, a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, the Economic Club, and Co-Founder and Vice Chairman of the Chesapeake Crescent Initiative. Mr. Vradenburg received his B.A. from Oberlin College, magna cum laude, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and his J.D. cum laude from Harvard Law School.