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Polymorphisms in the choline transporter SLC44A1 are associated with reduced cognitive performance in both normotypic and prenatal alcohol-exposed children.

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Supplementary Table 1. Variants in *SLC44A1* that were evaluated in the study participants.

POSTION GRCh38	ID	REF	ALT	Location
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105,252,720	rs75106836	T	C	Intron 1
105,254,308	rs116350994	G	C	Intron 1
105,255,270	rs79085380	G	C	Intron 1
105,255,507	rs140200024	GTTTAA	G	Intron 1
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105,260,869	rs76992248	C	T	Intron 1
105,262,345	rs327994	C	T	Intron 1
105,264,780	rs76992248	T	G	Intron 1
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105,273,898	rs34668343	T	C	Intron 1
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105,276,512	rs74847242	G	T	Intron 1
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105,279,809	rs79223354	A	G	Intron 1
105,280,580	rs71494513	A	G	Intron 1
105,280,614	rs35293517	A	G	Intron 1
105,281,632	rs76054992	A	G	Intron 1
105,283,226	rs115995379	A	G	Intron 1
105,283,721	rs115467043	A	G	Intron 1
105,284,839	rs76066704	A	G	Intron 1
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105,297,774	rs12347364	T	A	Intron 1
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105,298,131	rs75575818	G	T	Intron 1
105,298,426	rs149357410	C	T	Intron 1
105,299,219-307	Exon 2			Exon 2
105,299,786	rs116754351	C	T	Intron 2
105,299,805	rs10991609	C	G	Intron 2
105,302,321	rs114365914	G	A	Intron 2
105,305,895	rs9644967	G	A	Intron 2
105,306,276	rs76025089	G	A	Intron 2
105,306,727	rs35455036	A	AC	Intron 2
105,309,586	rs113544435	G	A	Intron 2
105,309,724-865	Exon 3			Exon 3
105,310,529	rs12376222	A	G	Intron 3
105,313,914	rs112461270	C	T	Intron 3
105,315,716	rs10991619	C	T	Intron 3
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105,324,016	rs138909285	G	T	Intron 3
105,326,849	rs75252146	A	G	Intron 3
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105,345,430	rs10991634	C	T	Intron 4
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105,346,555	rs112651128	G	A	Intron 4
105,346,871	rs12380580	C	T	Intron 4
105,348,355-449	Exon 5			Exon 5
105,349,196	rs78132990	C	A	Intron 5
105,350,842	rs10991636	C	G	Intron 5
105,351,432	rs111442823	G	C	Intron 5
105,353,266	rs71494522	T	A	Intron 5
105,354,844	rs10991638	G	A	Intron 5
105,356,208-379	Exon 6			Exon 6
105,356,772	rs10991640	C	T	Intron 6
105,357,909	rs35533765	A	G	Intron 6
105,358,344-434	Exon 7			Exon 7
105,360,791	rs10991641	C	T	Intron 7
105,361,038	rs150451876	C	A	Intron 7
105,361,187-328	Exon 8			Exon 8
105,361,698	rs76795767	T	C	Intron 8
105,362,820-363,007	Exon 9			Exon 9
105,363,170	rs35157236	C	CTT	Intron 9
105,363,248	rs34253461	C	T	Intron 9
105,363,621	rs113670898	T	A	Intron 9
105,363,656	rs80234385	G	A	Intron 9
105,363,789	rs79144680	C	G	Intron 9
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105,365,193	rs4538947	G	A	Intron 10
105,365,483-639	Exon 11			Exon 11
105,365,767	rs7860321	C	T	Intron 11
105,366,343-429	Exon 12			Exon 12
105,367,199	rs11506819	C	A	Intron 12
105,368,865	rs12379533	C	T	Intron 12
105,369,272	rs71494524	A	G	Intron 12
105,371,588	rs10991643	G	A	Intron 12
105,372,094	rs71364089	TGACAA	T	Intron 12
105,373,018	rs74344739	T	C	Intron 12
105,373,364	rs117555942	T	C	Intron 12
105,373,837	rs111516986	T	G	Intron 12

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105,379,395	rs10991644	A	G		Intron 13
105,380,358	rs549490262	CT	C		Intron 13
105,380,558	rs13297419	T	C		Intron 13
105,381,737	rs71494526	C	G		Intron 13
105,381,743	rs10991645	C	A		Intron 13
105,383,122-359	Exon 14				Exon 14
105,384,640	rs71494527	A	G		Intron 14
105,385,418-502	Exon 15 (short)				
105,385,418-713	Exon 15 (long)				
105,385,482	rs3199966	T	G		Exon 15
105,389,033-397,056	Exon 16 (short)				
105,389,918	rs2771040	G	A		Exon 16 (3'UTR)
105,399,766	rs74472811	G	C		
105,400,131	rs35322610	G	A		
105,424,107	rs117432520	T	A		

Short variant of Exon 15 + Exon 16 encodes the plasma membrane variant and its 5'UTR.
Long variant of Exon 15 encodes the mitochondrial variant and its 3'UTR.

Supplementary Table 2

Pairwise Linkage Disequilibrium Values for SLC44A1 Variants Associated with Any Neurobehavioral Outcome in Participants with Heavy PAE. *

Reference SNP	Location	SNP #2	D'
rs75106836	Intron 1	rs143438338	0.9968
		rs59370172	0.9968
		rs12347364	0.1298
		rs10991629	0.8826
		rs3199966	0.9962
		rs2771040	0.9961
rs143438338	Intron 1	rs59370172	0.9968
		rs12347364	0.2766
		rs10991629	0.8911
		rs3199966	0.9962
		rs2771040	0.9961
rs59370172	Intron 1	rs12347364	0.0029
		rs10991629	0.9962
		rs3199966	0.9962
		rs2771040	0.9961
rs12347364	Intron 1	rs10991629	0.9947
		rs3199966	0.9948
		rs2771040	0.9952
rs10991629	Intron 3	rs3199966	0.7769
		rs2771040	0.9030
rs3199966	Exon 15	rs2771040	0.9997

* D', disequilibrium value for the comparison between the reference SNP and SNP #2. **Boldface** indicates pairwise associations ≥ 0.80 .

Supplementary Table 3
Additional SNPs in *SLC44A1* that are Associated with Neurobehavioral Measures in the Genotype × Exposure Association¹

SNP	Position	LD with rs3199966 (D')	Neurobehavioral Measurement	P _{adj}	B ± SE	Effect Size	Effect Allele
rs75106836	Intron 1; T>C	0.9962	DAS-II, General cognitive abilities, T-score	0.033	1.33±0.62	2.15	C (T>C)
			DAS-II, Sequential quantitative reasoning, T-score	0.035	1.58±0.63	2.51	
rs143438338	Intron 1; C>T	0.9962	DAS-II, Sequential quantitative reasoning, T-score	0.035	1.59±0.63	2.52	T (C>T)
rs59370172	Intron 1; C>T	0.9962	DAS-II, Sequential quantitative reasoning, T-score	0.035	1.59±0.64	2.48	T (C>T)
rs12347364	Intron 1; T>A	0.9948	CVLT, Serial cluster ratio, Z-score	0.0031	-1.26±0.47	-2.68	A (T>A)
rs10991629	Intron 3; C>T	0.7769	DAS-II, Recall of designs, T-score	0.035	0.62±0.24	2.58	T (C>T)
			DAS-II, Sequential quantitative reasoning, T-score	0.010	0.71±0.23	3.09	

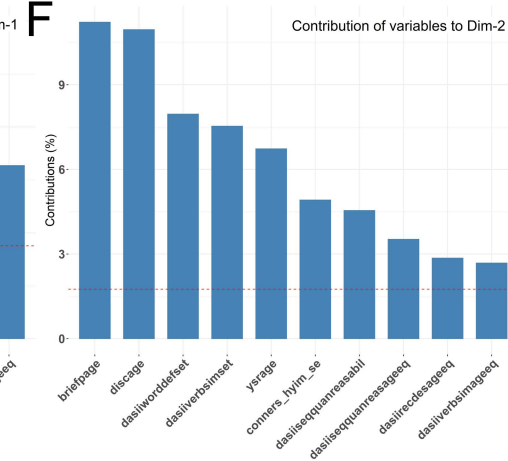
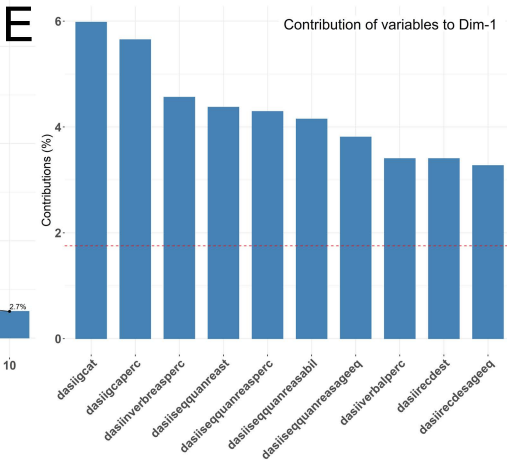
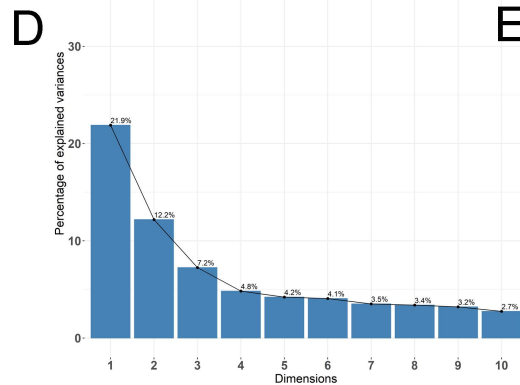
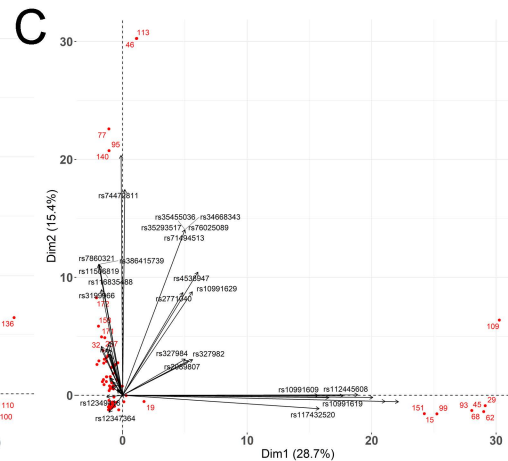
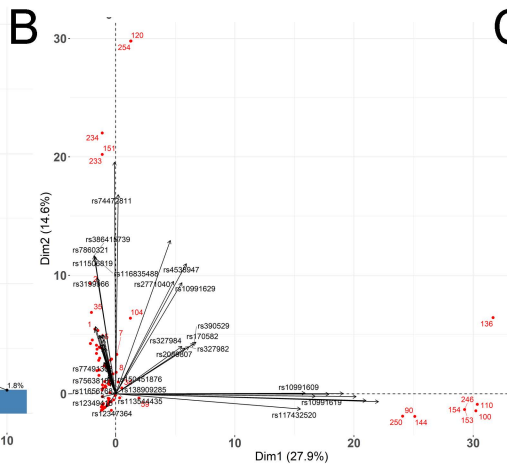
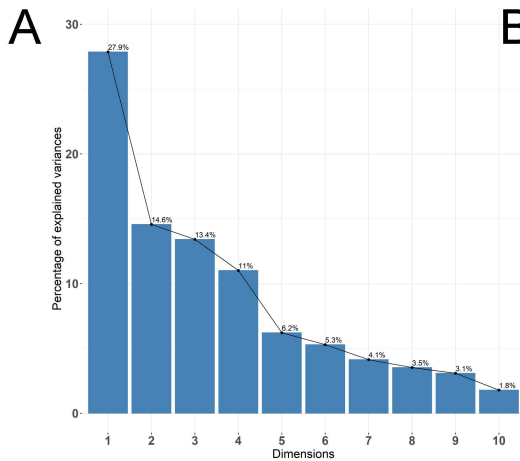
¹ SNPs in addition to rs3199966 and rs2771040 as presented in Table 4; D'=1.00 for rs3199966 and rs2771040. CVLTD, California Verbal Learning Test; DAS-II, Differential Abilities Scale, 2nd Ed.; SE, Standard Error. T-scores and Z-scores reflect age-normalized values that are internal to the testing instrument. P-adjusted by Bonferroni correction.

Supplementary Table 4
ANOVA Reports for the Exposure × Genotype Regression Analysis of rs3199966 and rs2771040 Presented in Figure 4.*

Measure	Exposure	Genotype	Genotype × Exposure	Control TT vs. Con TG	Control TT vs. Con GG	Control TT vs. PAE TT	Control TT vs. PAE TG	Control TT vs. PAE GG
General Cognitive Abilities	F _(2,162) =67.41 p=6.57x10 ⁻¹⁴	F _(2,162) =8.965 p=2.03x10 ⁻⁴	F _(2,162) =6.424 p=0.0021	p=1.33x10 ⁻⁴	p=0.041	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=0.0033
Recall of Designs	F _(2,157) =40.38 p=2.16x10 ⁻⁹	F _(2,157) =5.999 p=0.0031	F _(2,157) =4.146 p=0.0176	p=6.26x10 ⁻⁴	p=0.278	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=4.3x10 ⁻⁶	p=0.0346
Nonverbal Reasoning	F _(2,162) =35.99 p=1.25x10 ⁻⁸	F _(2,162) =3.931 p=0.0215	F _(2,162) =4.261 p=0.00157	p=0.0153	p=0.230	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=7.06x10 ⁻⁵	p=0.186
Sequential Quantitative Reasoning	F _(2,158) =50.56 p=3.77x10 ⁻¹¹	F _(2,158) =8.965 p=2.03x10 ⁻⁴	F _(2,158) =6.675 p=0.00165	p=0.00156	p=0.090	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=5.0x10 ⁻⁷	p=0.276
Executive Function Difficulties	F _(2,169) =256.8 p=2.00x10 ⁻¹⁶	F _(2,169) =0.085 p=0.918	F _(2,169) =3.639 p=0.0283	p=0.758	p=1.00	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=1.0x10 ⁻⁸	p=3.48x10 ⁻⁵
				Control AA vs. Con AG	Control AA vs. Con GG	Control AA vs. PAE AA	Control AA vs. PAE AG	Control AA vs. PAE GG
CVLT Serial Cluster Ratio	F _(2,169) =0.005 p=0.944	F _(2,169) =0.001 p=0.999	F _(2,169) =1.334 p=0.266	p=0.997	p=0.913	p=0.970	p=1.00	p=0.950

* All analyses were performed for rs3199966(T>G) except for CVLT Serial Cluster Ratio, which tested rs2771040(A>G). Analysis used the generalized linear regression package ‘glm’ in R and an Additive gene model, followed by two-way analysis of variance and Tukey multiple comparison of means.

Supplementary Figure 1



Legend for Supplementary Figure 1. Exploration of Principal Component Analysis (PCA) Findings of Participant Characteristics. The PCAs are presented in Figure 1. (A-C) PCA exploration for the comparison of genotype against participant characteristics (ancestry, sex, age, and PAE status) from Figures 1A-1D. (A) Loadings plot of PC dimensions 1 through 10 shows that only PC1 makes a substantial contribution (27.9%) to the variance between participants. (B) Loadings plot identifies individuals and SNPs within *SLC44A1* that contribute to the variance in both PC1 and PC2. (C) Removal of those outliers from PC1 does not appreciably change the loadings of PC1 and PC2, showing those individuals did not drive the variance. (D-F) PCA exploration of neurobehaviors against participant characteristics (ancestry, sex, age, and PAE status) from Figures 1E-1H. (D) Loadings plot of PCA dimensions 1 through 10 shows that PC1 and PC2 are the primary contributions to the variance in neurobehavioral outcomes for the participants. (E) Scree plot shows the top 10 drivers of PC1 are cognitive measures within the DAS-II instrument including general cognitive abilities T-score (*dasiigcat*) and %ile (*dasiigcaperc*); nonverbal reasoning %ile (*dasiinverbreasperc*); sequential quantitative reasoning T-score (*dasiisequanreast*), %ile (*dasiisequanreastperc*), ability score (*dasiisequanreastabil*), and age-equivalent (*dasiisequanreastageeq*); verbal ability cluster %ile (*dasiiverbalperc*); and recall of designs T-score (*dasiirecdest*) and age-equivalent (*dasiirecdesageeq*). (F) Scree plot shows the top 10 drivers of PC2 are mostly age-related measures including subject age at testing (*briefpage*, *discage*, *ysrage*); the item set administered in the word definition and verbal similarities tests (*dasiiorworddefset*; *dasiiverbsimset*), standard error on the Connors hyperactivity measurement (*conners_hyim_se*), sequential quantitative reasoning ability score (*dasiisequanreasabil*), and the age-equivalent measures of sequential quantitative reasoning, recall of designs, and verbal similarities (*dasiisequanreasageeq*, *dasiirecdesageeq*, *dasiiverbsimageeq*), all in DAS-II.