

# Supplementary Material

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**Supplementary Table 1. MC samples by mutation**

	PMC	SMC
	Samples	
<i>APP</i> <sub>arc</sub>	16	19
<i>APP</i> <sub>swe</sub>	17	6
<i>PSEN1</i> p.H163Y	26	3
Total	59	28

Samples analyzed in the longitudinal study, family-wise. Non-carriers from the three families were included together as the reference group in all analyses (n=42, 77 samples). In total 75 individuals and 164 samples were included.

**Supplementary Table 2. Results from the longitudinal analyses of plasma biomarkers in all MC vs NC using mixed effects models**

	EYO	EYO <sup>2</sup>	Mut status	Mut status*EYO
	Estimate [SE]	Estimate [SE]	Estimate [SE]	Estimate [SE]
Plasma T-tau	ns	ns	ns	ns
Plasma P-tau181	0.339 [0.112]**	ns	13.401 [4.385]**	0.727 [0.270]**
Plasma NfL	0.201 [0.101]*	ns	5.014 [2.324]*	0.328 [0.140]*
Plasma GFAP	1.074 [0.490]*	ns	135.104 [32.813]***	7.931 [2.072]***

164 samples from all families were included, 87 samples from 33 MC and 77 samples from 42 NC. Table shows estimates, the standard error [SE] and statistical significance (\*p<0,05, \*\*p<0,01, \*\*\*p<0,001). All models were corrected for APOE status and sex. All results of a positive mutation status and mutation status\*EYO effect remained significant in a sensitivity model removing EDTA samples (n=16) and outliers (>3\*interquartile range). Mut status= Mutation status, here mutation carriers compared to non-carriers.

**Supplementary Table 3. Correlation table, plasma and cerebrospinal fluid biomarkers**

	CSF Aβ1-38	CSF Aβ1-40	CSF Aβ1-42	CSF Aβ1-42/1-40	CSF T-tau	CSF P-tau181
	(n=26)	(n=26)	(n=26)	(n=26)	(n=30)	(n=29)
Plasma T-tau	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Plasma P-tau181	ns	ns	ns	ns	<b>0.602***</b>	<b>0.563**</b>
Plasma NfL	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Plasma GFAP	ns	-0.469*	ns	ns	ns	ns

Table of Spearman Rho correlation coefficients and significance levels (\*p<0,05, \*\*p<0,01, \*\*\*p<0,001). Reported significance levels are unadjusted, but P-values were corrected for multiple comparison (n=24) by FDR correction and annotated in bold if still significant. When removing EDTA samples (n=5) and outliers (>3\*IQR) (n=1-3), correlation was unchanged between plasma P-tau181 and CSF biomarkers. ns= non-significant, p>0.05.

**Supplementary Table 4. Sampling occasions included in longitudinal analysis**

	Baseline	Sampling 2	Sampling 3	Sampling 4	Sampling 5	Sampling 6	Sampling 7	Sampling 8	Total
MC (n)	33	20	12	8	7	4	2	1	87
NC (n)	42	23	8	3	1				77
All (n)	75	43	20	11	8	4	2	1	164

Table indicating number of individuals contributing samples for the longitudinal biomarker analysis, separated by mutation status.

**Supplementary Table 5. Exploratory results from the longitudinal analyses of plasma biomarkers in APPswe MC vs NC using mixed effects models**

	<b>EYO</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status*EYO</b> Estimate [SE]
Plasma T-tau	ns	ns	ns
Plasma P-tau181	1.141 [0.268]***	13.555 [4.470]**	0.793 [0.289]**
Plasma NFL	0.644 [0.168]***	7.571 [2.752]**	0.448 [0.181]*
Plasma GFAP	11.338 [1.702]***	253.189 [32.187]***	10.550 [1.852]***

Mixed effects models of longitudinal data. 100 samples were included (23 samples from 13 APPswe MC and 77 samples from 42 NC). Table shows estimates, the standard error [SE] and statistical significance (\*p<0,05, \*\*p<0,01, \*\*\*p<0,001). All models were corrected for APOE status and sex. Mut status= Mutation status, here APPswe mutation carriers compared to non-carriers.

**Supplementary Table 6. Exploratory results from the longitudinal analyses of plasma biomarkers in APParc MC vs NC using mixed effects models**

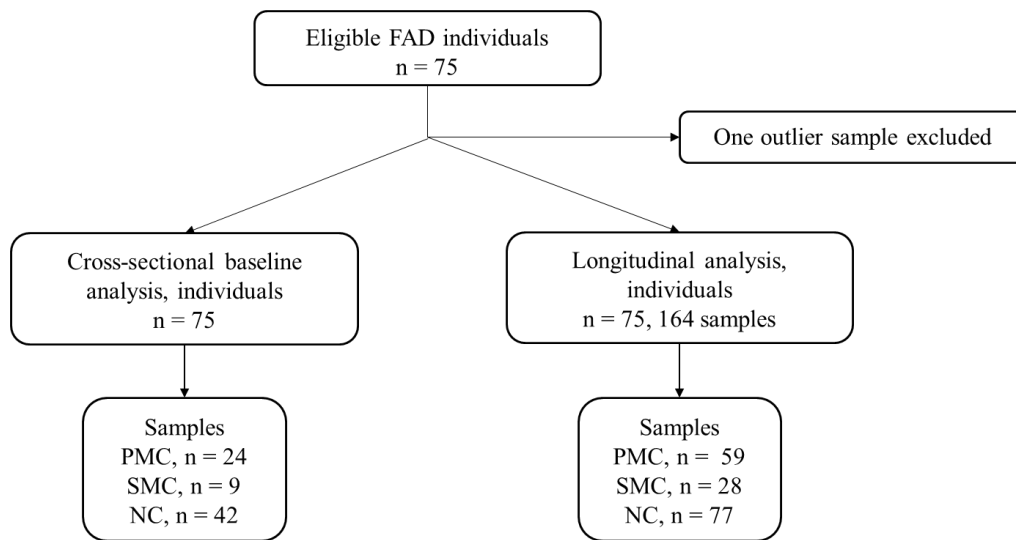
	<b>EYO</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status*EYO</b> Estimate [SE]
Plasma T-tau	ns	ns	ns
Plasma P-tau181	ns	11.101 [5.136]*	ns
Plasma NFL	ns	6.077 [2.632]*	ns
Plasma GFAP	6.610 [1.862]***	75.381 [16.920]***	5.559 [1.965]**

Mixed effects models of longitudinal data. 112 samples were included (35 samples from 13 APParc MC and 77 samples from 42 NC). Table shows estimates, the standard error [SE] and statistical significance (\*p<0,05, \*\*p<0,01, \*\*\*p<0,001). All models were corrected for APOE status and sex. Mut status= Mutation status, here APParc mutation carriers compared to non-carriers.

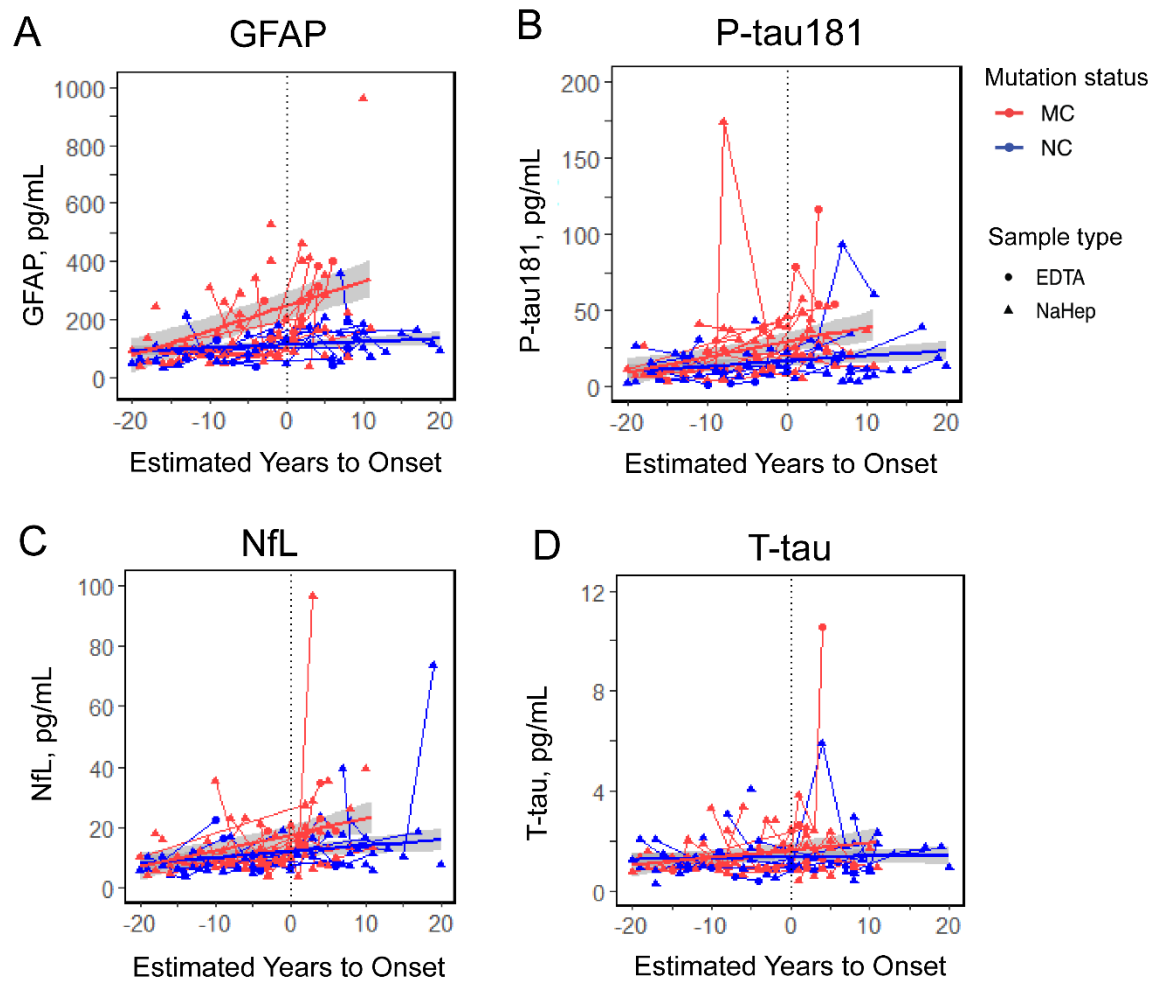
**Supplementary Table 7. Exploratory results from the longitudinal analyses of plasma biomarkers in PSEN1 MC vs NC using mixed effects models**

	<b>EYO</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status</b> Estimate [SE]	<b>Mut status*EYO</b> Estimate [SE]
Plasma T-tau	ns	ns	ns
Plasma P-tau181	0.383 [0.116]**	17.290 [5.164]**	0.985 [0.307]**
Plasma NFL	0.207 [0.062]**	ns	ns
Plasma GFAP	1.037 [0.476]*	55.878 [19.570]**	4.493 [1.332]**

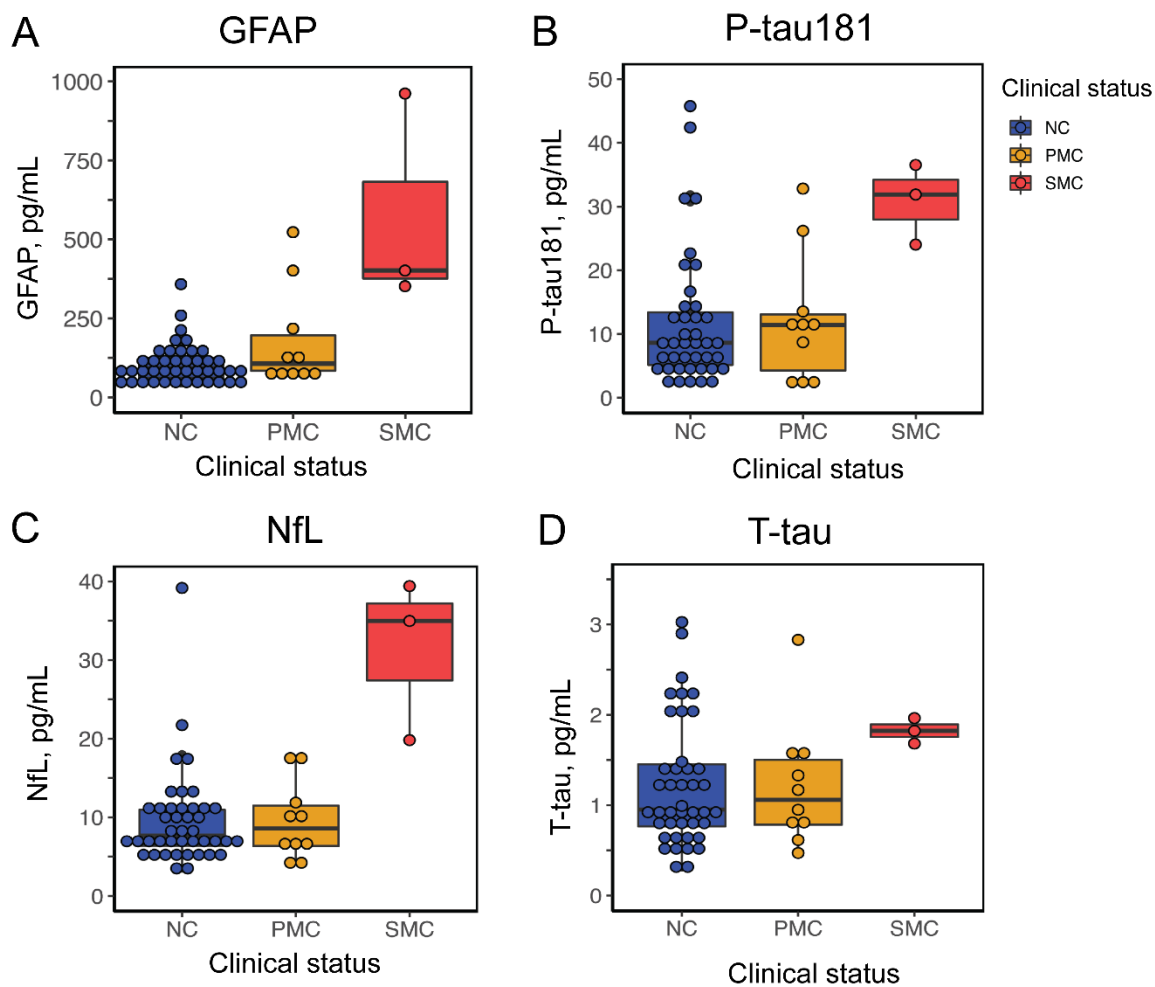
Mixed effects models of longitudinal data. 106 samples were included (29 samples from 7 PSEN1 MC and 77 samples from 42 NC). Table shows estimates, the standard error [SE] and statistical significance (\*p<0,05, \*\*p<0,01, \*\*\*p<0,001). All models were corrected for APOE status and sex. Mut status= Mutation status, here PSEN1 mutation carriers compared to non-carriers.



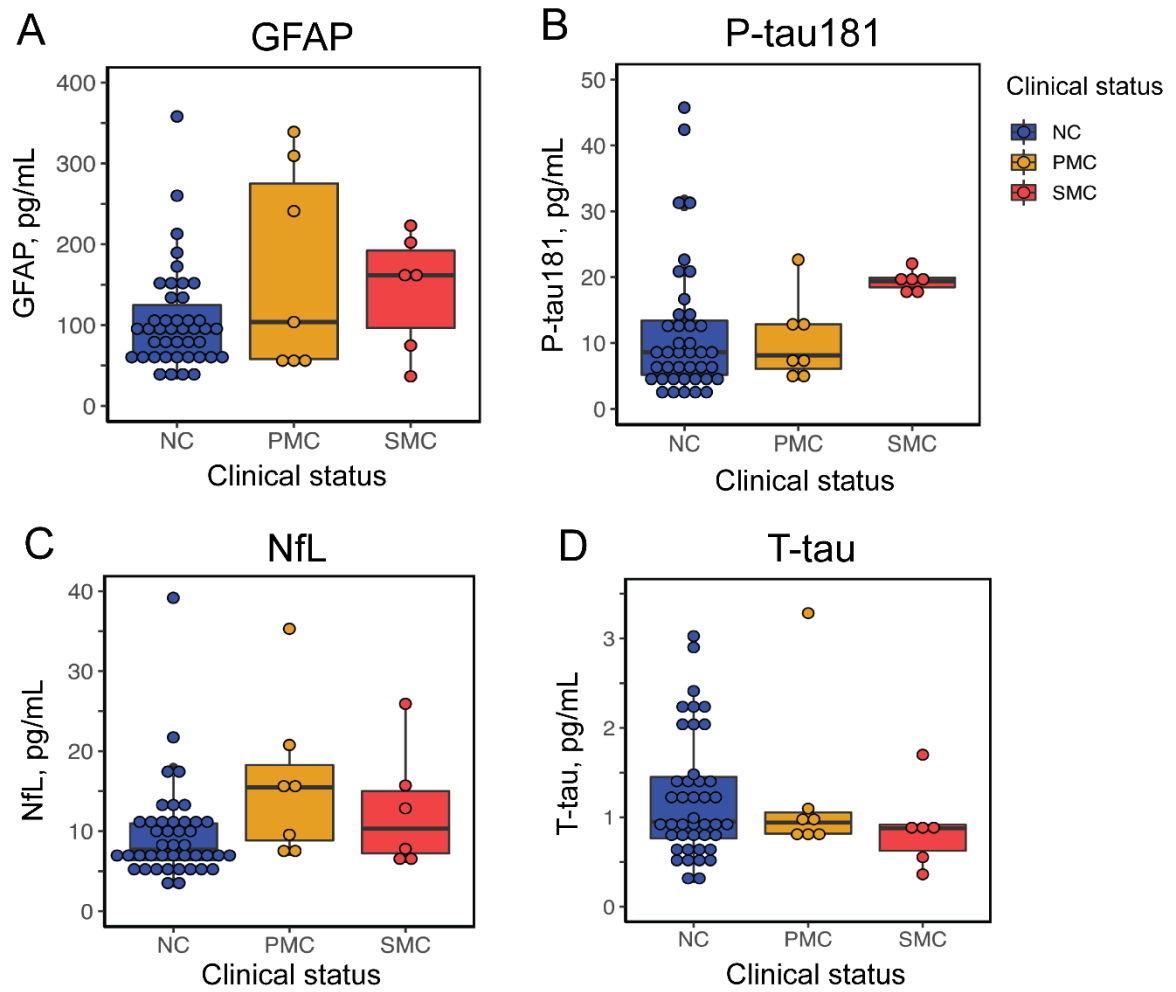
**Supplementary Figure 1. Flow chart of sample cohort.** 75 participants were eligible for inclusion in the plasma biomarker analyses. One NC outlier sample was removed from all analyses due to quality control issues. PMC= Presymptomatic mutation carriers, SMC= Symptomatic mutation carriers, NC= Non-carriers.



**Supplementary Figure 2. Exploratory longitudinal data, individual trajectories.** Longitudinal plasma concentrations of **(A)** GFAP, **(B)** P-tau181, **(C)** NfL and **(D)** T-tau. Trajectories show repeated measures at the individual level and mixed-effects model fits with 95% confidence bands at the group level in grey, separately for MC (n=33, 87 samples) and NC (n=42, 77 samples). Two presymptomatic MC in the *APP*<sup>swe</sup> family converted (had symptom onset) during follow-up, four in *APP*<sup>arc</sup> and one in the *PSEN1* p.H163Y family. All sampling occasions with positive estimated years to onset ( $\geq 0$ ) were in symptomatic individuals, except for one *PSEN1* MC with reduced penetrance. EDTA samples (n=16) and outliers ( $>3 \times$  interquartile range) were removed as part of a mixed models sensitivity analysis as described in text. NC = non-carriers, MC = mutation carriers. EDTA = ethylenediamine tetraacetic acid anticoagulant, NaHep = sodium heparin anticoagulant.

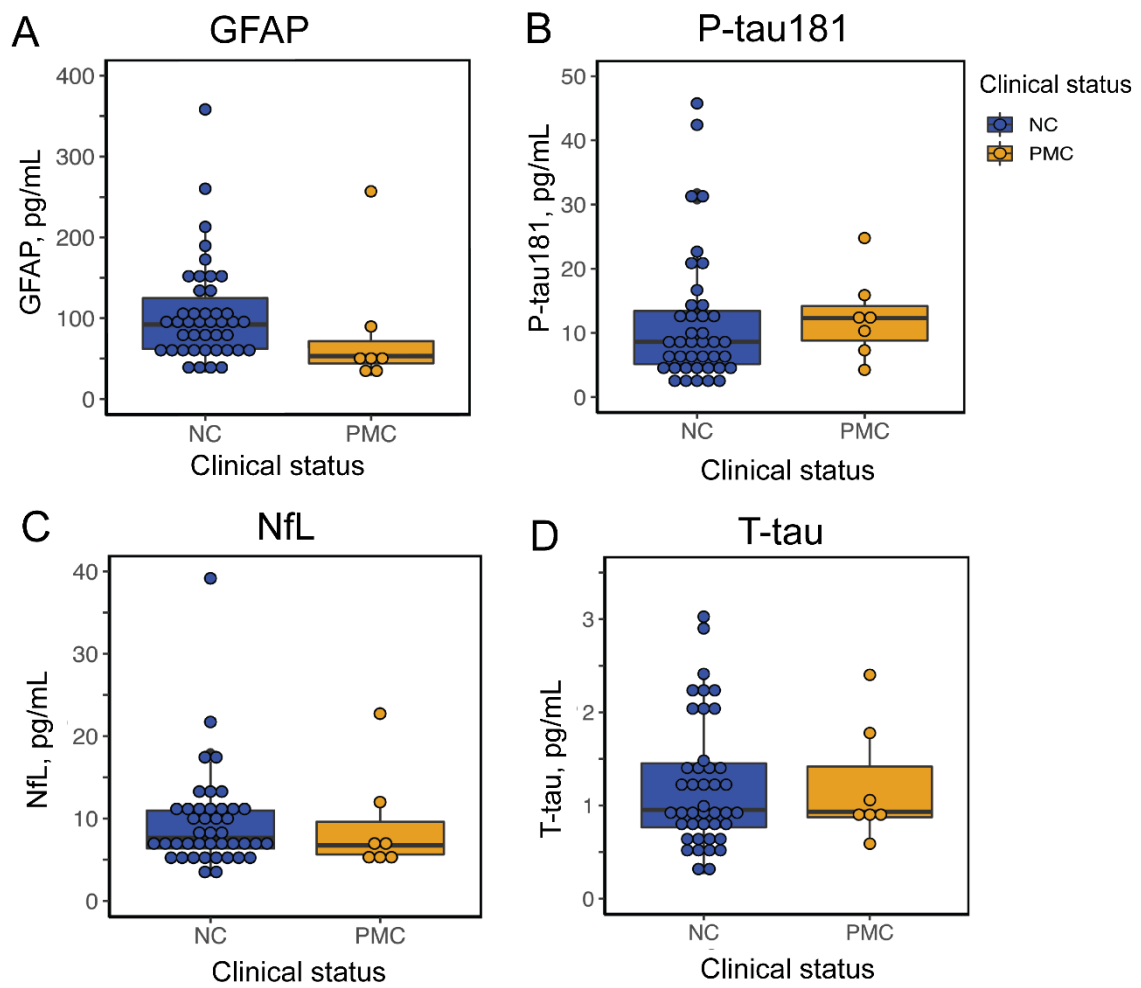


**Supplementary Figure 3. Exploratory cross-sectional data, APPswe.** Baseline data, plasma biomarkers in the APPswe family. NfL was significantly increased in SMC compared to both NC and PMC ( $p < 0.05$ ). GFAP and P-tau181 was increased in SMC compared to NC, but not PMC ( $p < 0.05$ ), as calculated with Kruskal Wallis test.

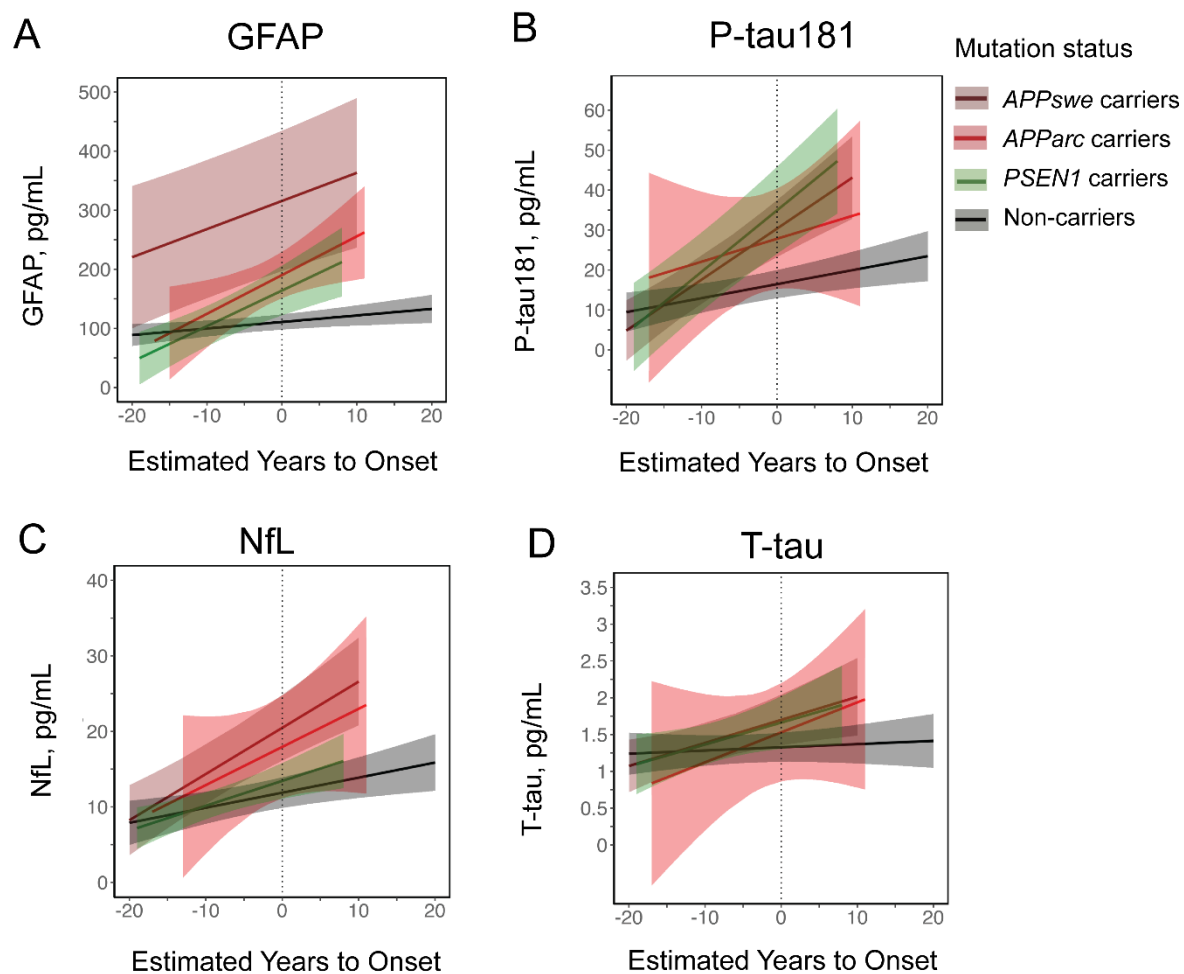


**Supplementary Figure 4. Exploratory cross-sectional data, APParc.** Baseline data, plasma biomarkers in the APParc family. P-tau181 was significantly increased in SMC compared to NC ( $p < 0.05$ ), but not PMC, as calculated with Kruskal Wallis test. No other between-group differences were detected.





**Supplementary Figure 5. Exploratory cross-sectional data, *PSEN1* p.H163Y.** Baseline data, plasma biomarkers in the *PSEN1* p.H163Y family. GFAP was lower in PMC compared to NC ( $p < 0.05$ ) as calculated with Mann-Whitney U test. No other between-group differences were detected. This finding is likely explained by the younger age of *PSEN1* PMC (median age 31, range 27-44) compared to NC (median age 43, range 20-86).



**Supplementary Figure 6. Exploratory analysis of longitudinal plasma biomarker levels, by mutation.** Longitudinal plasma concentrations of **(A)** GFAP, **(B)** P-tau181, **(C)** NfL and **(D)** T-tau. Trajectories show mixed-effects model fits with 95% confidence bands at the group level, separately for APP<sub>swe</sub> MC (n=13, 23 samples), APP<sub>arc</sub> MC (n=13, 35 samples), PSEN1 p.H163Y MC (n=7, 29 samples) and NC (n=42, 77 samples). NC = non-carriers, MC = mutation carriers.