

# Scottish Longitudinal Study

<https://www.neurodegenerationresearch.eu/cohort/scottish-longitudinal-study/>

## Cohort Acronym

SLS

## Cohort type

General population-based cohort

## Disease

## Participant type

No diagnosis

## Profile

Recruitment Period 1991 - present

Sample size at start or planned sample size if still recruiting

Estimated Current Sample Size

Age at Recruitment >0

Gender Male and Female

Abstract

The Scottish Longitudinal Study (SLS) is a large-scale linkage study created using data from administrative and statistical sources. These include: census data from 1991 onwards; vital events data (births, deaths, marriages); NHS Central Register data (gives information on migration into or out of Scotland); and education data (including Schools Census and SQA data).

Country United Kingdom

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## Variables Collected

### Brain related measures:

N/A

### Functional rating:

N/A

### Anthropometric:

N/A

### Physical:

Reproductive

**Biological samples:**

N/A

**Genotyping:**

N/A

**Brain imaging:**

N/A

**Brain banking:**

N/A

**Lifestyle:**

N/A

**Socio-economic:**

Education, Ethnic group, Family circumstances, Housing and accommodation, Income and finances, Informal support, Marital status, Occupation and employment, Unpaid care

**Health service utilisation:**

Formal health and social care service utilisation including private care