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THE GENETIC ORIGINS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

Join us at our free virtual webinar and Q&A featuring Dr. Juan Fortea as he discusses his research paper: "APOE4 homozygosity represents a distinct genetic form of Alzheimer's disease."

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Fortea's 2024 study published in Nature Medicine concluded that APOE4 homozygosity – having two copies of the APOE4 gene – represents not only a risk factor, but a distinct genetic form of Alzheimer's Disease. Almost all APOE4 homozygotes studied exhibited AD pathology from age 55, and had an earlier average age of symptom onset at 65.1.

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