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Project Title

The moderating role of cognitive reserve on relations between health conditions and cognitive functioning

Project Summary

It has been well established that older adults often exhibit deficits in cognitive functions, which may stem from or be exacerbated by different health conditions, including traumatic brain injuries, cancer treatments, or cardiac events. This project will therefore examine relations between various health conditions and cognitive functioning among older adults, and evaluate whether certain factors (e.g., social support, leisure activities, education level, etc.) may act in a protective capacity to help confer resilience to cognitive impairments.

Keywords

Cognitive deficits, health conditions, cognitive reserve