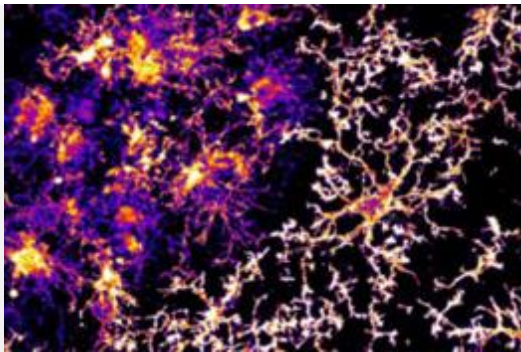




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Monthly Newsletter



[AFA Announces \\$518,391 Research Grant to Broad Institute of MIT & Harvard/One Mind](#)

AFA announced a research grant of \$518,391 to the Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard and One Mind, partners on a three-year study to examine the role of the brain's immune cells



[Register for an Upcoming "Virtual" Educating America Tour Stop](#)

AFA's Educating America Tour is continuing to go virtual in September! AFA's three September tour stops (Arkansas, Mississippi and Montana) will be free, virtual Alzheimer's

in the onset and progression of Alzheimer's disease. Scientists believe that gaining a better understanding of immune cells and inflammatory processes in the brain could be key to understanding Alzheimer's mechanisms, potentially leading to identifying biomarkers for early detection and guiding treatment.

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educational conferences that are open to everyone.

Upcoming tour stops:

- [Arkansas \(8/1\)](#)
- [Mississippi \(9/15\)](#)
- [Montana \(9/29\)](#)

Register by visiting www.alzfdn.org/tour or by clicking the links above.

[Learn more and register](#)



[In the News: AFA Expands Virtual Memory Screening Program](#)

AFA started providing virtual memory screenings in July, and the program has been so successful that it has been expanded. Screenings are now offered every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. A [NewsWest9 TV story](#) explains how the virtual memory screenings work and how you can make an appointment.

[Read more](#)



[August 28th Webinar: Racial Disparities and Their Impact on Dementia and Barriers to Caregiving](#)

This free AFA educational webinar on Friday, August 28th at 1 pm (ET) will explore the question of racial disparities and their impact on increasing incidences of dementia-related illnesses, including Alzheimer's disease, among Black, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC).

[Learn more and register](#)



Upcoming Continuing Education Programs for Healthcare Professionals

AFA has several upcoming virtual professional training programs that provide continuing education credits to healthcare professionals. Click each event below to learn more and register.



August 31: Dementia's Ripple Effect

CE's available for
licensed social
workers

[Register here](#)



September 10: Removing the Barriers

CME credits
available for
physicians

[Register here](#)



October 7: Removing the Barriers

CME credits
available for
physicians

[Register here](#)



AFA continues to hold daily virtual community classes on its Facebook page, as well as educational webinars and other informative programs. View the schedule of upcoming programs through our events calendar.

[**View the events calendar**](#)
