



MORE THAN NORMAL AGING: UNDERSTANDING MILD COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT

More than
80% of Americans know little or are not familiar
with mild cognitive impairment (MCI)

Physicians and MCI

90%
say it's important to diagnose
MCI due to Alzheimer's

However, over 1/2 say they are
not fully comfortable diagnosing it

An estimated
10-15%
of individuals with MCI develop
dementia each year

Over
50%
of all Americans say MCI
sounds like "normal aging"

96%
say it's important to assess
patients aged 60 and older for
cognitive impairment

About
1/3
of people with MCI develop
dementia due to Alzheimer's
disease within 5 years

42%
of Americans say they worry
about developing MCI due to
Alzheimer's disease

Yet assessments are conducted
for just 1/2 of their patients

What is MCI?

Mild cognitive impairment is an early stage of memory loss or other cognitive ability loss in individuals who are able to perform most activities of daily living.

MCI can be an early stage of the Alzheimer's disease continuum if the hallmark changes in the brain are present.

Alzheimer's Disease (AD) Continuum

