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Dr. Sullivan is Professor in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Stanford University School of Medicine in Stanford, California. She received her Ph.D. from the University of Connecticut. Following graduate school, Dr. Sullivan was a research scientist in the Department of Brain and Cognitive Sciences at MIT for a decade, focused on component processes of amnesic syndromes and then research scientist in the Ashton Graybiel Spatial Orientation Laboratory at Brandeis University. On moving to Stanford, she complemented her neuropsychological studies with quantitative brain imaging to establish selective brain structure-function relations in alcoholism. Dr. Sullivan's funded program of research focuses on faulty frontocerebellar circuitry as underlying a selective subset of cognitive and motor dysfunctions

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