

FIGURE 13.8 Gray Matter Reductions After 5 Years

Gray matter continues to decrease as schizophrenia develops. This figure shows early and late gray matter deficits in schizophrenia. Note: Color represents the difference in gray matter between individuals with schizophrenia and matched controls.

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