

**Figure. 1** Food consumption in the normal (N); chronic mild stress (CMS); CMS+imipramine (CMS+P); CMS+fish oil (CMS+F); and CMS+olive oil (CMS+O) groups. CMS was implemented from week 2 and significantly decreased the food consumption in weeks 4–6. Data are expressed as mean  $\pm$  SD (n = 8 or 9 per group). \* Significantly elevated in the N group compared with other groups, as determined using analysis of variance (p < 0.05); # Significantly decreased in the P+CMS group compared with other groups, as determined using analysis of variance (p < 0.05).

Supplementary table 1. Selected fatty acid profiles of different brain regions

Fatty acids			Groups		
profile (%)	N	CMS	P+CMS	F+CMS	O+CMS
PFC					
SFA					
C14:0	$2.91 \pm 3.19$	$2.33\pm1.80$	$2.35\pm1.68$	$2.75 \pm 3.82$	$2.51\pm2.59$
C16:0	$35.1 \pm 5.7$	$37.2 \pm 4.5$	$32.7 \pm 8.0$	$28.6 \pm 10.1$	$34.9 \pm 7.8$
C18:0	$18.3\pm8.9^{b}$	$22.4 \pm 6.9^{ab}$	$25.6 \pm 5.8^{ab}$	$20.7 \pm 5.0^{ab}$	$29.5\pm10.1^a$
MUFA					
C16:1	$0.83\pm1.02$	$0.89 \pm 1.08$	$0.67 \pm 0.33$	$2.55 \pm 5.29$	$1.42\pm2.55$
C18:1 (OA)	$12.7 \pm 5.6$	$11.5\pm2.2$	$11.8 \pm 4.9$	$11.3\pm3.2$	$9.15 \pm 5.8$
PUFA					
C18:2	$1.43\pm1.47$	$1.21\pm1.18$	$1.22\pm1.16$	$0.71 \pm 0.46$	$0.89 \pm 1.20$
C20:4 (AA)	$7.35\pm2.14$	$8.43\pm2.54$	$7.59 \pm 4.39$	$7.87 \pm 2.30$	$6.55 \pm 4.17$
C22:4	$5.96\pm2.30$	$5.27\pm1.68$	$4.65\pm3.46$	$5.04 \pm 2.81$	$3.02\pm2.00$
C18:3 (ALA)	$1.59\pm1.71$	$0.88 \pm 0.76$	$1.11 \pm 0.62$	$1.62\pm2.21$	$0.88 \pm 0.56$
C20:5 (EPA)	$0.37\pm0.59^{b}$	$0.57\pm0.65^{b}$	$0.65\pm0.26^b$	$2.56\pm2.29^a$	$0.82\pm1.11^{ab}$
C22:5 (DPA)	$0.0\pm0.0$	$0.0\pm0.0$	$0.51\pm0.59$	$0.76 \pm 1.46$	$0.77\pm1.95$
C22:6 (DHA)	$13.4 \pm 8.7$	$9.13 \pm 3.11$	$11.1 \pm 5.7$	$13.5 \pm 4.9$	$9.51 \pm 7.20$
n-6/n-3 ratio	$1.19 \pm 0.41$	$1.50 \pm 0.33$	$\boldsymbol{0.97 \pm 0.18}$	$0.73 \pm 0.21$	$0.90 \pm 0.26$
Hippocampus					
SFA					
C14:0	$0.58\pm0.47^{b}$	$0.73\pm0.20^{b}$	$0.63\pm0.08^{b}$	$1.74\pm1.31^{ab}$	$2.26\pm0.92^a$
C16:0	$37.7 \pm 2.9$	$36.7 \pm 3.9$	$40.4 \pm 5.3$	$34.5 \pm 7.1$	$33.1\pm1.2$
C18:0	$28.2\pm1.1^{a}$	$27.5\pm2.0^{ab}$	$29.7\pm1.8^a$	$27.7 \pm 2.7^{ab}$	$25.4\pm1.2^b$
MUFA					
C16:1	$0.24 \pm 0.05$	$0.26 \pm 0.07$	$0.32 \pm 0.24$	$0.29 \pm 0.38$	$0.34 \pm 0.34$
C18:1 (OA)	$15.2\pm3.0$	$14.3\pm3.4$	$10.4 \pm 6.0$	$12.2\pm7.5$	$16.9\pm1.3$
PUFA					
C18:2	$0.71 \pm 0.43$	$0.86 \pm 0.33$	$0.55 \pm 0.35$	$0.51 \pm 0.21$	$1.03\pm1.19$
C20:4 (AA)	$5.30 \pm 0.36$	$5.99 \pm 2.11$	$5.51 \pm 0.65$	$5.50\pm1.42$	$6.72\pm1.16$
C22:4	$4.38\pm1.19$	$5.70\pm1.31$	$4.30\pm1.44$	$5.13\pm2.15$	$3.88 \pm 0.88$
C18:3 (ALA)	$0.44 \pm 0.19$	$0.55\pm0.25$	$0.58 \pm 0.37$	$0.80 \pm 0.43$	$0.93 \pm 0.73$
C20:5 (EPA)	$1.23\pm0.41^{ab}$	$0.99\pm0.54^b$	$1.07\pm0.60^b$	$1.95\pm0.68^a$	$0.85\pm0.36^{b}$
C22:5 (DPA)	$0.05\pm0.14$	$0.0\pm0.0$	$0.0\pm0.0$	$0.34 \pm 0.69$	$0.77\pm1.14$
C22:6 (DHA)	$6.01\pm0.57^b$	$6.42\pm1.56^{ab}$	$6.60\pm1.34^{ab}$	$9.32\pm3.34^a$	$7.88\pm1.16^{ab}$
n-6/n-3 ratio	$1.35\pm0.16$	$1.69 \pm 0.65$	$1.37 \pm 0.31$	$0.97 \pm 0.32$	$1.14 \pm 0.74$

N, normal group; CMS, chronic mild stress group; P+CMS, pharmaceutical + CMS group; F+CMS, fish oil + CMS group; O+CMS, olive oil + CMS group; SFA: saturated fatty acid; MUFA: monounsaturated fatty acid; PUFA: polyunsaturated fatty acid; OA: oleic acid; ALA:  $\alpha$ -linolenic acid; AA: arachidonic acid; EPA: eicosapentaenoic acid; DPA: docosapentaenoic acid; DHA: docosahexaenoic aicd. Data are expressed as means (%)  $\pm$  SD (n = 8-9/group). Values with different superscript letters mean significantly different at p < 0.05.

Supplementary table 2. Selected fatty acid profiles of RBC

Fatty acids	Groups						
profile (%)	N	CMS	P+CMS	F+CMS	O+CMS		
RBC							
SFA							
C14:0	$1.35 \pm 0.84$	$0.94 \pm 0.53$	$0.82 \pm 0.72$	$1.21\pm1.07$	$1.01\pm0.71$		
C16:0	$57.3 \pm 8.3$	$56.5\pm11.5$	$53.5 \pm 9.3$	$62.2 \pm 7.0$	$54.2\pm10.0$		
C18:0	$17.4 \pm 3.5$	$17.2 \pm 2.0$	$16.6\pm1.9$	$14.4 \pm 2.0$	$20.4 \pm 7.5$		
MUFA							
C16:1	$0.22 \pm 0.25$	$0.13 \pm 0.14$	$0.26 \pm 0.21$	$0.54 \pm 0.75$	$0.38 \pm 0.51$		
C18:1 (OA)	$7.72 \pm 4.49$	$5.80 \pm 3.27$	$6.42 \pm 3.03$	$6.57 \pm 2.76$	$7.32 \pm 5.45$		
PUFA							
C18:2	$3.79 \pm 1.73$	$4.04\pm2.18$	$5.23\pm1.56$	$4.30\pm1.42$	$3.58\pm1.94$		
C20:4 (AA)	$6.11 \pm 4.18$	$8.11 \pm 5.85$	$8.74 \pm 4.38$	$3.55\pm1.03$	$7.11 \pm 5.13$		
C22:4	$3.48 \pm 2.52$	$4.12\pm2.34$	$5.22\pm2.50$	$3.51\pm2.12$	$2.72\pm1.85$		
C18:3 (ALA)	$0.47 \pm 0.51$	$0.32 \pm 0.38$	$0.28 \pm 0.19$	$0.48 \pm 0.43$	$0.60\pm0.63$		
C20:5 (EPA)	$0.13\pm0.14^{\text{b}}$	$0.25\pm0.37^{\rm b}$	$0.10\pm0.11^{\text{b}}$	$0.67\pm0.49^a$	$0.24\pm0.23^{\rm b}$		
C22:5 (DPA)	$0.66 \pm 0.84$	$1.20 \pm 0.99$	$1.14 \pm 0.66$	$1.15 \pm 0.74$	$1.07\pm1.30$		
C22:6 (DHA)	$1.38 \pm 0.96$	$1.28 \pm 0.87$	$1.74\pm1.16$	$1.35 \pm 0.55$	$1.36\pm1.19$		
n-6/n-3 ratio	$5.36 \pm 1.84$	$5.55 \pm 1.76$	$6.72 \pm 2.07$	$3.82\pm1.99$	$6.97 \pm 5.16$		

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