



## Dementia

For providers:

### [Alzheimer's Greater Los Angeles: Dementia Care Management Toolkit](#)

The Dementia Care Management Toolkit provides healthcare professionals with tools to support dementia care management. It includes assessment instruments to help identify people with dementia and their family, and to assess their needs. The contents of this toolkit are not all-inclusive and are meant to complement and enhance existing care management tools and practices. Clinical judgement should be used when working with individuals and families, and procedures, policies, regulations, laws, and mandates should always be followed.

### [Dementia Care Practice Recommendations for Professionals Working in a Home Setting](#)

Dementia Care Practice Recommendations for Professionals Working in a Home Setting is the latest in a series of dementia care practice recommendations offered by the Alzheimer's Association. Three previously published manuals (Phases 1, 2 and 3) provide recommendations for care in nursing homes and assisted living residences.

[Dementia Fact and Resource Sheets from NIA](#); many in both English and Spanish

### [Dementia Friendly America](#)

Through the work of over 35 national, leading organizations, the Dementia Friendly America initiative is catalyzing a movement to more effectively support and serve those across America who are living with dementia and their family and friend care partners. The lead organizations represent all sectors of community and are collectively leveraging their national reach to activate their local affiliates, members and branches to convene, participate in and support dementia friendly community efforts at a local level.

### [GeroCentral: Dementia](#)

[Healthy Brain Initiative](#): The Public Health Road Map for State and National Partnerships, 2013–2018

[Memory Loss, Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia: A Practical Guide for Clinicians, 2nd Edition](#) by Andrew Budson and Paul Solomon

### [Webinar: Geriatric-Competent Care – Caring For Individuals With Alzheimer's Disease And Related Dementias \(2015\)](#)

Due to continued interest in the content that was presented in 2015, the Medicare Medicaid Coordination Office (MMCO) in collaboration with The Lewin Group and Community Catalyst, is excited to announce that the four webinars from the 2015 series will be presented again starting in June 2016. Additional content will also be presented in new webinars. Continuing Medical Education will be offered for these webinars through the

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American Geriatrics Society, and Continuing Education credits will be available through the National Association of Social Workers at no cost to the participants.

For providers, older adults, and families:

[Alzheimer's Association](#)

1-800-272-3900

[The Alzheimer's Disease Education and Referral Center \(ADEAR\)](#)

1-800-438-4380

[Alzheimer's Greater Los Angeles](#)

[ElderCare Locator](#)

Eldercare Locator is a public service of the U.S. Administration on Aging connecting you to services for older adults and their families. Phone: 1-800-677-1116.

[Lewy Body Dementia Association](#)

[The Association for Frontotemporal Degeneration](#)

For older adults and families:

[Caregiver's Guide to Understanding Dementia Behaviors](#)

This Fact Sheet provides some practical strategies for dealing with the troubling behavior problems and communication difficulties often encountered when caring for a person with dementia.

[Dementia Resources for Caregivers](#)

[The 36-Hour Day: A Family Guide to Caring for People Who Have Alzheimer Disease, Related Dementias, and Memory Loss](#)

When someone in your family suffers from Alzheimer disease or other related memory loss diseases, both you and your loved one face immense challenges. For over thirty years, this book has been the trusted bible for families affected by dementia disorders. Now completely revised and updated, this guide features the latest information on the causes of dementia, managing the early stages of dementia, the prevention of dementia, and finding appropriate living arrangements for the person who has dementia when home care is no longer an option.

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