



Improving Outcomes in People with Dementia

Knowledge Paper

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1. What is dementia?

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2. Dementias are more common in people over the age of?

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3. What is the most common type of dementia?

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4. Why might depression be mistaken for dementia?

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5. Why is it important to get to know clients as individuals?

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6. Suggest 3 ways in which you might answer the question 'Who are you?'

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7. What is 'objectification'?

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8. Why do you think it would be wrong to make false promises to a client with dementia, even if you knew they would forget what you had said?

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9. Give 3 examples of barriers to communication.

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10. Give 2 examples of non-verbal communication

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11. What is a life book?

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12. Suggest 2 ways in which a client might act if they are unable to communicate with carers.

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13. Give 3 examples of person-centred values.

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14. Why is dementia a protected characteristic under the Equality Act 2010?

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15. Give an example of a human right.

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16. Why is it important to take a positive approach to risk management and to focus on what clients are able to achieve?

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17. Suggest 2 reasons why people with dementia may need help with personal care.

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18. Suggest 2 ways in which you could help a client to dress themselves independently

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19. Why is it important to adapt the care environment to improve accessibility for people with different needs?

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20. Give an example of a way in which you might support a client to feel useful.

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