## **Catalog of Existing Trainings (Re: Dementia)**

Name of Training	Audience	Locat	ion	Certificati	on or CEUs	Available	Link to Training
		In-person	On-line	Yes	No	Unknown	
Dementia Care: Best Practices	Professionals	х		х			www.alz.og/gwwi
Dementia Specialist: Best Practices for Direct Care Staff	Professionals	х		х			http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Introduction to Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia	Professionals	х				х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Stages of Alzheimer's - Tips to Help Throughout the Disease	Professionals	х				х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Positive Communication	Professionals	x				х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Understanding Behavior Changes	Professionals	х				х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Person-Centered Care in Late Stage Dementia	Professionals	Х				х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm

Meaningful Activities	Professionals	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Dementia Basics	Professionals	x		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Personal Care Success for People with Dem	Professionals	х			http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Reducing Pain in People With Dementia	Professionals	х			http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
Between the Words: Effective Communicatio	Professionals	х		x	http://www.alzwisc.org/Professional% 20development.htm
ABC's of Alzheimer's and Dementia	Caregivers	x		x	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm

Legal and Financial Planning Seminar	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Dementia Care at Home: Eating, dressing, toileting, and bathing	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Powerful Tools for Caregivers	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Savvy Caregiver Training	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Maintaining Brain Health	All	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm

Positive Communication with Persons with Dementia	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Making the Move to Facility Care	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Monthly Family Caregiver Education Program	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alzwisc.org/Education%20 and%20s ervices.htm
Know the 10 Signs	All	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58872.asp

Maximize Your Memory	All	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58872.asp
The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease	All	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58872.asp
Nourish Your Noggin	All	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58872.asp
Orientation to Early Memory Loss	Individuals diagnosed with early stage Alzheimer's or related dementia	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm_unity_58879.asp_
Living with Alzheimer's Disease	Individuals with early stage Alzheimer's; Caregivers	X		x	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58879.asp

	Individuals with memory loss; Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58879.asp
Legal and Financial Planning for Alzheimer's	Individuals with early stage Alzheimer's and their family, caregivers	x		x	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58876.asp

Living with Alzheimer's	Individuals with early stage Alzheimer's; Caregivers	х			х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58876.asp
Living with Alzheimer's Disease - Moderate Stage	Caregivers	x			x	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58876.asp
The Savvy Caregiver	Caregivers	х			х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_58876.asp
The Savvy Caregiver	Caregivers		х		х	http://www.hcinteractive.com/families

Understanding Dementia	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in my comm unity 58876.asp
The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease	Professionals	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_9034.asp
The 3 R's of Caregiving: Resources, Responsibilities and Respite	Caregivers	x		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_9034.asp
Know the 10 Signs	Professionals	х		х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_9034.asp_

Nourish Your Noggin	All	х			х	http://www.alz.org/sewi/in_my_comm unity_9034.asp
CARES Dementia Basics & essentiALZ Certification	Professionals		x	x		http://www.hcinteractive.com/1
CARES Dementia Advanced Care & essentiALZ Plus Certification	Professionals		x	x		http://www.hcinteractive.com/1

CARES Dementia Care for Families	Caregivers	х		х	http://www.hcinteractive.com/1
CARES Dementia-Related Behaviors & essentiALZ Certification	Professionals	х	x		http://www.hcinteractive.com/1
CARES Activities of Daily Living & essentiALZ Certification	Professionals	х		x	http://www.hcinteractive.com/1
AMDA—The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine™	Professionals	х		х	https://amda-training.com/

ACT on Alzheimer's	Professionals		х			х	www.actonalz.org/dementia- curriculum
Approaching Alzheimer's: First responder tra	Professionals		x			х	www.alz.org/firstresponders
Alzheimer's & dementia education	Caregivers; Professionals	X		x			www.familieswithdementia.com
Understanding Frontotemporal Dementias	Caregivers		X		x		https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
The Inevitable Hospital Stay - How to Advocate for Your Loved One with Dementia	Caregivers		х		х		https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/

Lewy Body Dementia - What Everyone Needs to Know	Caregivers	х	х	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
The Journey of Dementia	Caregivers	x	X	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
The Art of Caregiving	Caregivers	X	X	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
Its All in Your Approach	Caregivers	X	X	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
Progression of Dementia - Seeing Gems - Not Just Loss	Caregivers	х	х	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/

Filling the Day with Meaning	Caregivers	x	x	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
Maintain Your Brain: Dementia Risk Reduction & Life After Diagnosis	Caregivers	x	x	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
End of Life Care for People with Dementia	Caregivers	X	X	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
Improving Emergency Services for Dementia Patients	Professionals	x	x	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/
Dental Care for People with Dementia	Professionals	x	x	https://dementiacareacademy.com/ program_catalog/

Living with Dementia: Impact on Individuals, Caregivers, Communities and Societies	AII	х	X		https://www.coursera.org/course/dementiacare?utm_source=Aging&utm_campaign=c02c8e68dd-Dementia_MOOC_2014.10.0&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_db254c31c5-c02c8e68dd-161250857
Wisconsin Dementia Care Project- Crisis Response	Professionals	x	x		https://wss.ccdet.uwosh.edu/stc/dh sdementia

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Brief Description	Wisconsin/Other State/National/International
Will cover the basics of Alzheimer's and other related dementias, importance of life story, communication and positive interaction. Problem solving techniques to assist with challenging behaviors will also be addressed.	Wisconsin
Recommended for direct-care staff. Provides comprehensive training on dementia, its impact on a person's life, how to effectively communicate and build relationships with people with dementia and give them extraordinary care. The two-day program offers creative and interactive learning with many opportunities for skills application and team building.	Wisconsin
Learn the basics of Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia, as well as key information on treatment options.	Wisconsin
Learn about the changing needs and approaches to use as Alzheimer's disease progresses.	Wisconsin
Learn the art of communicating to effectively accommodate dementia-related brain changes.	Wisconsin
Learn problem-solving steps and best approaches for common changes in behavior.	Wisconsin
Learn the best approaches to provide quality care specific to late stage dementia	Wisconsin

Learn how to use a person's life story to provide simple, effective activities.	Wisconsin
Improving communication and understanding behavior: This workshop provides a definition of dementia and its impact on a person's ability to function. Learn vital tools to understand and respond to challenges with communication and behaviors.	Wisconsin
Learn to use a person's individual preferences, needs and abilities to most effectively help with common problems in bathing, eating, dressing and toileting. Practice these skills through interactive exercises.	Wisconsin
Many people with dementia are unable to communicate their pain. This leads to unnecessary suffering and care challenges. Through real-life scenarios, learn how to recognize, prevent and reduce pain in persons with dementia.	Wisconsin
In this highly interactive workshop, direct care providers will learn the most effective communication practices, approaches, validation and redirection techniques by first understanding the effects of dementia on the brain.	Wisconsin
This program is for families of people diagnosed with Alzheimer's or a related disorder. The sessions include information on medical aspects of dementia, research, effects of dementia on the person, safety, communication, and much more.	Wisconsin

A two-part seminar for families that provides a general overview of legal and financial issues to consider for loved ones with memory loss, Alzheimer's disease, or another dementia.	Wisconsin
This half-day training is designed to help family caregivers turn personal care tasks such as toileting, bathing, eating and dressing into successful, safe and meaningful activities. Learn techniques and strategies to improve communication, modify the environment, and adapt each task to increase success and decrease stress.	Wisconsin
A six-part class for people who care for loved ones with stroke, Alzheimer's, Parkinson's disease, or similar long-term conditions. Classes cover a variety of topics such as reducing stress; communicating effectively; practicing self-care; dealing with emotions; and making tough decisions.	Wisconsin
Many caregivers would like to go beyond introductory education offereings, so this training goes in-depth into what it takes to provide care for a peron with Alzheimer's disease. It can be thought of as professional-level training for non-professionals. 12-hour commitment; caregiver's manual included.	Wisconsin
An interactive workshop for the general public which features nutritional and lifestyle advice and strategies to keep your memory sharp.	Wisconsin

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A two-hour workshop for those caring for a loved one with Alzheimer's and wanting to understand how dementia affects communication and how to carefully observe, listen and interact effectively with persons with dementia.	Wisconsin
An educational program to help families caring for a loved one with dementia make the transition from home to facility care. The program covers how and when to make the decision to move a loved one to a residential facility or nursing home, as well as what to consider when making the actual move.	Wisconsin
The Family Caregiver Education series will meet on the 3rd Monday of each month and alternate between the Hawthorne and Alicia Ashman branches of the Madison Public Library. Learn about topics of interest to family and friends of those with dementia like activities, communication, help for caregivers, resources and more. See our education calendar for current topics - no reservations needed.	Wisconsin
This interactive workshop identifies the 10 warning signs of Alzheimer's disease and the benefits of early detection. Separate myth from reality and address commonly-held fears about Alzheimer's in America. Hear from people who have the disease and find out how to recognize the signs.	Wisconsin

This presentation addresses the difference between normal age-related memory loss and dementia. Learn tips and strategies for improving memory and explore the importance of a brain healthy lifestyle.	Wisconsin
This program provides information that everyone should know about memory loss and what that means for all of us. Explore memory loss, dementia and Alzheimer's disease. Learn about risk factors, research, treatments and steps to a proper diagnosis/assessment.	Wisconsin
This fun and interactive program is for anyone interested in brain health. Topics include how memory works, age-related memory changes—what is normal, what is not—and how to live a brain-healthy lifestyle.	Wisconsin
This free introductory program is for individuals who have been diagnosed with early Alzheimer's disease or a related memory disorder and their family and friends. Topics include beginning changes, common decisions and the first step in care	Wisconsin
The diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease is lifechanging and leads to many questions. What will this mean for me and my family? How do I plan for the future? Where can I get the help I need? Join us for this three-part program where you will hear from others who have been where you are. We will discuss what you need to know, what you need to plan, and what you can do as you navigate this chapter of your life.	Wisconsin

This workshop will help those with memory loss and their caregivers improve how they work with their doctor. This workshop will help you let your doctor know of and take care of your concerns. You will learn how to prepare for doctor visits and how to log the use of medications. We will also talk about lowering your stress and how to ensure the best health care possible.

This two session program is designed to help those affected by dementia, their care partners and family members to better understand the legal and financial issues that may impact them.

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This three part program includes many topics for caregivers of individuals with moderate Alzheimer's disease. Topics to be covered include understanding the symptoms and care needs, understanding relationship changes, learning ways to maximize safety, preparation for emergencies and learning how to get respite care. Effective strategies will also be discussed regarding personal care and managing challenging behaviors.	Wisconsin
This training is designed specifically for family caregivers and goes beyond traditional introductory education classes.	Wisconsin
Do you know or care for someone who currently has memory loss, dementia, or even Alzheimer's disease? We recommend The Savvy Caregiver Series—our award-winning program for caregivers of someone living with dementia. The Savvy DVDs, "Homework" CD-ROM, and Online Workbook are a coordinated set of materials recognized nationally by the U.S. Administration on Community Living.	

Learn more about Alzheimer's disease and ways to better communicate and manage challenging behaviors. If a family member or friend is experiencing memory-related issues or a recent diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease/dementia, this free presentation series will provide valuable information.	Wisconsin
This program provides information that everyone should know about memory loss and what that means for all of us. Explore memory loss, dementia and Alzeimer's disease. Learn about risk factors, research, treatments and steps to a proper diagnosis/assessment.	Wisconsin
This presentation covers help available, why caregiving is difficult and the need to take a break. The <b>Responsibilities</b> of caring are discussed so participants recognize their role. Through a review of <b>Resources</b> that are available, caregivers can expand their support as they care. <b>Respite</b> , the need to take a break, is explored. This basic session helps caregivers to go forward supported in their role.	Wisconsin
This interactive workshop identifies the 10 warning signs of Alzheimer's disease and the benefits of early detection. Separate myth from reality and addres commonly held fears about Alzheimer's in America. Hear from people who have the disease and find out how to recognize the signs.	Wisconsin

This fun and interactive program is for anyone interested in brain health. Topics include how memory works, age-related memory changes - what is normal and what is not - and how to live a brain healthy lifestyle.  This 4-module (4-hour) online training program provides caregivers with the core or "basic"	Wisconsin
information needed for dementia care. It focuses on person-centered care, the changes that happen to thinking skills as dementia progresses, how those changes impact behavior, and how to understand behavior as communication. It also includes an entire module on the CARES® Approach, a person-centered, easy-to-remember approach to care for any person in any situation and at any level of dementia thinking decline. The letters in CARES stand for: Connect with the Person, Assess Behavior, Respond Appropriately, Evaluate What Works, and Share with Others.	National
After completing the CARES® Dementia Basics™ program, you'll want to continue with CARES® Dementia Advanced Care™. It includes six modules on specific topics and concerns like making a connection, eating, pain, wandering, falls, and eliminating restraints. These modules also use a wide variety of exercises and video activities of real people with dementia, CNAs, and staff members. Like our Basics program, users have commented that this is the best dementiacare training available.	National



This program was developed for family members or friends caring for a loved one with memory loss or dementia. It's rich with activities and video interviews with family caregivers, people with dementia, and dementia experts who openly and honestly share their insights about and struggles with the disease.	National
CARES® Dementia-Related Behavior™ is a 4-module (4-hour) program that focuses on the behavior of people with dementia that is hard to understand and difficult to respond to.  Sometimes referred to as "challenging behavior" or "inappropriate behavior," we use the term "dementia-related behavior" as a personcentered, respectful term that does not put blame on the person with dementia.	National
CARES® Activities of Daily Living™ is a 10-module (10-hour) program that focuses on the activities of daily living (ADLs) across all levels of thinking decline, progressing from normal thinking to the first signs of dementia all the way to late and end stages of the disease process.	National
This course is a 5-hour professional development experience that focuses on the recognition, assessment, treatment and monitoring of dementia in the long term care facility.	National

10 learning modules on the following topics: Disease Description, Demographics, Societal Impact, Effective Interactions, Cognitive Assessment and Value of Early Detection, Screening, Disease Diagnosis, Quality Interventions, Dementia as an Organizing Principle of Care, Caregiver Support	Minnesota
The Alzheimer's disease epidemic continues to grow. As a first responder, it's critical to understanding how to best approach situations	National
Presentations are available on a variety of topics to educate and raise understanding about dementia at all levels in the community. Education about dementia is enhanced with personal experiences to engage the audience. Information and tools are provided to help improve interactions with individuals with dementia and enable communities to cope better through the progression.	Minnesota
Frontotemporal Dementias (FTDs), an umbrella term for a range of disorders affecting the frontal and temporal lobes of the brain, are particularly challenging for families and professional caregivers. Odd, often impulsive behaviors and potential loss of language are just a few symptoms causing frustration and anxiety	National
Most people with dementia will require multiple hospital stays as the disease progresses. Learn why being prepared is key to advocating for your loved one when he or she no longer can.	National

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This session is designed to help care providers recognize and appreciate the unique features of Lewy Body Dementia (LBD)	National
Teepa Snow teaches about appropriate levels of	
care needed during different stages of dementia,	National
which behaviors to expect and how to handle them, how to reduce the risk of falls, and much	National
more	
Teepa Snow discusses how to develop the best	
possible approach to care and creating the best	
quality of life. Teepa demonstrates techniques in	National
bathing, eating, dressing, transfers, as well as	Tradional .
demonstrating different types of physical	
behaviors	
In this program, Teepa Snow teaches how a person with dementia perceives his/her world and how to properly adapt one's own behavior to increase communication and the patient's quality of life. It's based on managing your (not the person with dementia) behavior, actions, words & reactions so you can change the outcome of your experience with the person to a positive interaction for both of you	National
Teepa Snow discusses the appropriate levels of care needed during different stages of dementia, which behaviors to expect and how to handle them, how to reduce the risk of falls, and much more	National

Teepa Snow demonstrates the use of engaging activities to give back moments of joy and happiness to more challenging individuals, such as those with early onset, tendencies for elopement, falls, and more	National
More and more people in the U.S. are diagnosed with dementia. Most of us fear developing this disease, but few know how to actively reduce their risk. Learn about risk factors, brain exercises, physical and cognitive activity, nutrition and diet. Know about important lifestyle choices affecting brain health even after diagnosis	National
This session focuses on the changes that occur in the later stages of dementia and how to provide the 'just right' support and engagement through the end of the person's life. It emphasizes the need to recognize and advocate for best care, not just what is 'possible' or 'how it used to be'. It also addresses the issues related to 'letting go' when the person is losing basic survival skills, not giving up, but letting go	National
Improving Emergency Services for Dementia Patients teaches law enforcement officers, fire fighters, EMTs, 911 Dispatchers, and emergency room personnel how to best handle challenging behaviors and issues related to abuse or neglect	National
Learn effective techniques to handle challenging situations and provide the best dental care for a person with dementia, including but not limited to Alzheimer's, Lewy Body or Frontotemporal Dementia	National

Health professionals and students, family caregivers, friends of and affected individuals, and others interested in learning about dementia and quality care will benefit from completing the course. Participants will acquire foundational knowledge in the care of persons with Alzheimer's Disease and other neurocognitive disorders.	Other state
This course will cover: An overview of dementia, Emergency protective placement (Helen E.F. Supreme Court Decision, Wisconsin Silver Alert Program, moderate behavioral symptome that may lead to crisis situations, de-escalation techniques and assessment strategies	Wisconsin

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