Macro Level Cultural Consideration in Dementia Care: A Population-Based Approach

Social and Cultural Competence Course

Location: LIVE INTERACTIVE Webinar
Date: May 18, 2022
Time: 1:00pm – 3:00pm ET

Course Description: In American society, our most vulnerable populations are at a greater risk for morbidity and mortality. This phenomenon is the same for dementia. This LIVE Interactive workshop aims to look at the following three modifiable health factors 1) social determinants of health 2) barriers to care and 3) health disparities impact populations pertaining to Alzheimer's disease and other related dementias, and how they impact dementia in different communities. We will also learn about culture and what culture broadly means in America. We aim to understand the different cultures individuals can belong to and predominantly how those identities can impact rate of Alzheimer's disease and other related dementias. Additionally, we will use case studies to explore how different kinds of interventions can aid in assisting specific population health. Our goal for the case studies to examine how these particular interventions are focusing on either social determinant of health, barriers to care and health disparities and how they are incorporating the community into the health process. Finally, we will discuss the importance of cultural competence in care and culturally awareness in the creation of macro-level interventions to ensure inclusivity and reduce society-level inequalities. This workshop is fully interactive. Attendees may ask and answer questions throughout the presentation and participate in instructor-led discussions, case vignette discussions, and a Q&A session at the end.

From this workshop you will learn to:

1. Define culture and social determinants of health in the context of American society.
2. Identify cultural-related issues around Alzheimer's disease and dementia.
3. Describe the impact of barriers to care impacting specific populations.
4. Assess the implementation of evidence-based programs to assist with health disparities related to dementia.
5. Apply strategies and policies to assist with affecting modifiable health factors.

Course Agenda:

1:00pm-1:30pm – Explore the meaning of culture, and how one's culture affects social determinants of health.
1:30pm-2:00pm – Identify how cultural related issues affect health care for those with dementia.
2:00pm-2:30pm – Utilize case studies to explore how different kinds of interventions can aid in assisting specific population health.
2:30pm-3:00pm – Determine the need for additional research and development of macro-level interventions to ensure inclusivity and reduce society-level inequalities.

Program Goals and Target Audience: To educate CCM board-certified case managers, social workers, paraprofessionals, and health care professionals of all levels about dementia care and supporting those affected by dementia-related illnesses.

Content Level: Intermediate, Advanced

Presenter Bio: Jennifer Reeder, LCSW, SIFI

Jennifer Reeder is the Director of Education and Social Services for the Alzheimer's Foundation of America. This includes overseeing AFA's National Toll-Free Helpline staffed by licensed social workers, and community class programs all instructed by various therapists and educators. Ms. Reeder graduated in 2011 from Temple University with a Maters of Social Work, and entered the not-for-profit sector providing in-home therapy to families in the Philadelphia area for over 9 years. She is proud to now be supporting individuals and families affected by Alzheimer's and dementia-related illnesses while providing clinical guidance to the licensed social workers of AFA. She encourages engagement and peer support from attendees, while drawing from real life situations to enhance the learning process.

Fee and Registration Information: Cost is $25 and includes 2 CE credits. To begin registration follow this link: https://alzfdn.org/education-workshop/ Once the first step of payment process is completed a link will be emailed to register on the platform GoToWebinar. Attendees will receive a final email with a link to log on to the actual webinar at the specific start date and time. Registration remains open until start of the live webinar. Cancellations must be received 24 hours prior to the live webinar to receive a refund.

Course Completion and CE Information

Course completion requirements:

- Licensed social workers must attend the entire course, complete an online course evaluation, and pass the online exam by 80% which can be taken as many times as needed to pass. AFA will email all registrants who attended the entire course with a link to the exam and evaluation which are completed through SurveyMonkey.
- Other professionals seeking CEs must also attend the entire course and complete the online evaluation. Exam not necessary.
- Certificates of completion will be emailed or mailed (attendee's preference indicated on the evaluation) within 10 business days of course completion and the exam is graded.

- Alzheimer's Foundation of America, Inc. is recognized by the New York State Education Department's State Board for Social Work as an approved provider of continuing education for licensed social workers #SW-0222.
- Macro Level Cultural Consideration in Dementia Care: A Population-Based Approach, Course #3962, is approved by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program to be offered by [provider name] as an individual course. Individual courses, not providers, are approved at the course level. State and provincial regulatory boards have the final authority to determine whether an individual course may be accepted for continuing education credit. ACE course approval period: 2/8/2022 – 2/8/2024. Social workers completing this course receive 2 Social and Cultural Competence continuing education credits.
- This program has been pre-approved by The Commission for Case Manager Certification to provide continuing education credit to CCM® board certified case managers. The course is approved for 2 CE contact hours. Activity code: I00049525 Approval Number: 220000369. To claim these CEs, log into your CCMC Dashboard at www.ccmcertification.org.

For questions, concerns, or to request special accommodations, please call: 866-232-8484 or email Jennifer Reeder – jreeder@alzfdn.org.

System Requirements

Operating system	Windows 7 - Windows 10 Mac OS X 10.9 (Mavericks) - macOS Big Sur (11) Linux Google Chrome OS Android OS 5 (Lollipop) - Android 10 iOS 10 - iOS 12

Web browser	Google Chrome (most recent 2 versions) Mozilla Firefox (most recent 2 versions)
Internet connection	Computer: 1 Mbps or better (broadband recommended) Mobile device: 3G or better (WiFi recommended for VoIP audio)
Software	GoToWebinar desktop app GoToWebinar mobile app JavaScript enabled
Hardware	2GB of RAM (minimum), 4GB or more of RAM (recommended) Microphone and speakers (USB headset recommended)
Mobile device	iPhone 4S or newer iPad 2 or newer