

An Overview of the Other Types of Dementia-Related Illnesses **General Social Work Practice Course**

Location: LIVE INTERACTIVE Webinar Date: August 16, 2023

Time: 12:00pm – 2:00pm ET

Course Description: When people think of dementia, many times the first thing that comes to mind is

Alzheimer's disease. In this live interactive webinar, we are going to learn about the other types of dementia-related illnesses. In this general course, we will be looking at the ripple effect of dementia, we will dive deep into three main types of dementias: dementia with Lewy bodies, vascular dementia, and frontotemporal dementia. For each dementia, we will learn about causes, risk factors, characteristics, symptomology, treatment and how to cope. Lastly, we will be discussing recommendations for family members as well as how we can see dementia impacting family dynamics. In conclusion, our goal for this webinar is for individuals to not only gain a greater understanding of the many different types of dementia, as well as understanding how symptoms can change and what we can do for the individuals with dementia. 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. Participants will be able to leave this training not only with a greater understanding dementia with Lewy bodies, vascular dementia, and frontotemporal dementia but the importance of high-quality dementia care.

From this workshop you will learn to:

- 1. Identify the signs and symptoms of various dementia-related illnesses.
- 2. Define important differences in diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and assessment of other types of dementia.
- 3. Utilize strategies to cope with different types of dementia.
- 4. Explain the impact of varying types of dementia on family dynamics.
- 5. Apply recommendations on how to best ameliorate symptoms associated with specific dementia types.

Course Agenda:

12:00pm-12:30pm – Gain a foundational understanding of dementia, medications and dementia with Lewy bodies.

12:30pm-1:00pm – Explore causes, types and treatment for vascular dementia.

1:00pm-1:30pm – Identify the link between FTD and agitation and aggression.



1:30pm-2:00pm – Learn about changes that may affect family dynamics as well as summarizing recommendations for loss of empathy and connection for individuals with dementia.

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: Beginner, 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 ZOOM. 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 and complete an online course evaluation. AFA will email all registrants who attended the entire course with a link to the evaluation which is completed through SurveyMonkey.
- Other professionals seeking CEs must also attend the entire course and complete the online evaluation.
- Certificates of completion will be emailed within 10 business days of course completion.



- 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.
- An Overview of the Other Types of Dementia, Course #4263, is approved by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program to be offered by Alzheimer's Foundation of America 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: 6/1/2022 6/1/2024. Social workers completing this course receive 2 General Social Work Practice 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 hour(s). Activity code: I00055675 Approval Number: 230002125.

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

System Requirements

- An internet connection broadband wired or wireless (3G or 4G/LTE)
- Speakers and a microphone built-in, USB plug-in, or wireless Bluetooth
- A webcam or HD webcam built-in, USB plug-in, or:
 - An HD cam or HD camcorder with a video-capture card
 Note: See the list of supported devices.
 - Virtual camera software for use with broadcasting software like OBS or IP cameras **Note**: For macOS, <u>Zoom client 5.1.1 or higher is required</u>.

Supported operating systems

- macOS X with macOS X (10.10) or later
- Windows 11*
 - *Note: Windows 11 is supported on version 5.9.0 or higher.
- Windows 10*
 - *Note: Devices running Windows 10 must run Windows 10 Home, Pro, or Enterprise. S Mode is not supported.
- Windows 8 or 8.1
- Windows 7
- Ubuntu 12.04 or higher
- Mint 17.1 or higher
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.4 or higher
- Oracle Linux 6.4 or higher



- CentOS 6.4 or higher
- Fedora 21 or higher
- OpenSUSE 13.2 or higher
- ArchLinux (64-bit only)

Supported tablet and mobile devices

- iOS and Android devices
- Blackberry devices
- Surface PRO 2 or higher, running Windows 8.1 or higher

Notes

- Tablet PCs running Windows 10 must run Windows 10 Home, Pro, or Enterprise. S Mode is not supported.
- Tablet PCs only support the desktop client.

Supported browsers

- Windows: Edge 12+, Firefox 27+, Chrome 30+
 macOS: Safari 7+, Firefox 27+, Chrome 30+
- Linux: Firefox 27+, Chrome 30+

High-DPI support

High-DPI displays are supported in Zoom version 3.5 or higher

Bandwidth requirements

The bandwidth used by Zoom will be optimized for the best experience based on the participant's' network. It will automatically adjust for 3G, WiFi, or wired environments.

Recommended bandwidth for meetings and webinar panelists:

- For 1:1 video calling:
 - For high-quality video: 600kbps (up/down)
 - For 720p HD video: 1.2Mbps (up/down)
 - For 1080p HD video: 3.8Mbps/3.0Mbps (up/down)
- For group video calling:
 - For high-quality video: 1.0 Mbps/600kbps (up/down)
 - For 720p HD video: 2.6Mbps/1.8Mbps (up/down)
 - For 1080p HD video: 3.8Mbps/3.0Mbps (up/down)
 - For gallery view receiving: 2.0Mbps (25 views), 4.0Mbps (49 views)
- For screen sharing only (no video thumbnail): 50-75kbps
- For screen sharing with video thumbnail: 50-150kbps
- For audio VoiP: 60-80kbps
- For Zoom Phone: 60-100kbps