



Missouri Alzheimer's and Dementia Program

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Today's Topics

- CDC grant: a public health focus
- Common prevention definitions
- Training and resource partnerships
- Alzheimer's information resources
- Next steps



Missouri's Alzheimer's Grant

- Missouri is 1 of 45 CDC funded states for a 5-year renewable cycle
- A focus of Missouri's CDC grant is caregiver training to providers caring for clients with Alzheimer's and Dementia.
- LPHAs are a selected group of providers, among others, to receive caregiver training to provide resources to help better care for patients with memory loss, dementia and/or Alzheimer's.





Dementia Prevention Definitions

- Primary Prevention refers to reducing the incidence of the disease by eliminating or treating specific risk factors
- Secondary Prevention aims to detect the disease at an early stage, before any symptoms emerge when treatment could halt or limit progression.
- Tertiary Prevention improves the impact of complications and disability of LT of the disease, improving quality of life.



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Partnerships

Training Partnerships



Department of Health and Senior Services is not only where the grant is housed but include many partnerships within, such as CPHE, CHW Program and other chronic disease programs.



University of Missouri, Columbia is home to the MO Alzheimer's Program Director, Neurology providers, MU Extension and ECHO, School of Medicine.



Missouri Alzheimer's Association is truly the content experts for all things Alzheimer's and Dementia. They provide an enormous amount of resources and support programs to continue reaching caregivers and persons with Alzheimer's with important information and resources.



Memory Care Home Solutions will develop the caregiver training materials specifically for healthcare providers for the chosen format for the purpose of improving dignity and quality of life for people living with dementia and their families.

Alzheimer's Informational Resources

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[Alzheimer's Disease | Health & Senior Services \(mo.gov\)](#)

National Alzheimer's Association

[Alzheimer's Association | Alzheimer's Disease & Dementia Help](#)

Centers for Disease Control

[BOLD Infrastructure for Alzheimer's Act | CDC](#)

Memory Care Home Solutions

[Memory Care Home Solutions Home - Memory Care Home Solutions \(memorycarehs.org\)](#)

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Thank you

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[Alzheimer's Disease | Health & Senior Services \(mo.gov\)](https://www.mo.gov/health-services/alzheimers-disease)