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Dear Colleague,

As a professional with an interest in Dementia Care, we very much hope you will wish to attend this important conference. Please complete the booking form on the back page. We would be most grateful if you would also forward the brochure to those who you believe would also benefit from the conference.

Yours sincerely,

Shital Patel, Events Manager



Conference Dementia Care in the Community 2008

Botanical Gardens,
Birmingham

22 April 2008

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- ✓ Personal training
- ✓ Resources for colleagues

- ✓ Debate and discussion
- ✓ Networking opportunities

Who should attend

- ✓ Advocacy workers
- ✓ Clinical psychologists
- ✓ Commissioners
- ✓ Community mental health teams
- ✓ Day care managers
- ✓ Inspection teams
- ✓ Home care staff
- ✓ Mental health service managers
- ✓ Nursing staff
- ✓ Old age psychiatrists
- ✓ Occupational therapists
- ✓ Project managers
- ✓ Physiotherapists
- ✓ Service providers
- ✓ Social care workers
- ✓ Social work staff
- ✓ Speech and language therapists

Dementia Care

FROM

9.15-9.45am

Registration. Refreshments and exhibition viewing

9.50am

Chair's introduction: Professor David Jolley, Consultant Old Age Psychiatrist and Director of *for dementia plus*

10.00-10.40

The National Dementia Strategy: will it bring real improvements in services for people with dementia and carers?

Neil Hunt, Chief Executive, Alzheimer's Society
Followed by questions and discussion

10.40-11.30

Personal budgets for care: new developments and the implications for dementia care services

Jill Manthorpe, Professor of Social Work, Social Care Workforce Research Unit, King's College London
Followed by questions and discussion

11.30-12.00

Refreshments and exhibition viewing

12.00-1.00pm

PARALLEL SESSIONS

1. CHANGING LIVES FOR THE BETTER: REACHING OUT TO SOUTH ASIAN FAMILIES

Akhilak Rauf, Project Manager, Meri Yaadain Dementia Project, Bradford, will describe how this award-winning dementia project has successfully reached out to South Asian older people and their families to raise awareness about dementia and provide support. He will invite discussion on the opportunities and barriers to developing such a service.

2. IMPROVING ASSESSMENT FOR OLDER PEOPLE:

THE IMPACT OF THE SINGLE ASSESSMENT PROCESS (SAP) IN ENGLAND

Paul Clarkson, Research Fellow at the Personal Social Services Research Unit (PSSRU), University of Manchester will present some of the findings from a national evaluation of the SAP with particular emphasis on older people with dementia. He will invite discussion of the benefits and pitfalls in the implementation of this major policy initiative.

3. LEARNING FROM FAMILY CARERS' EXPERIENCES

Joy Watkins, Resource Co-ordinator, *Uniting Carers for dementia* will explore the importance and impact of learning from family carers' experiences. Through *Uniting Carers for dementia*, carers are empowered to have a voice. The outcomes can be powerful, leading to a shift in awareness, improvements in the quality of services provided and enhanced understanding of the realities of

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- ✓ Expert speakers
- ✓ Certificate of attendance

- ✓ In-depth workshops
- ✓ Run by experienced JDC team

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caring for someone with dementia. The experience can also be positive and healing for the carers involved. Family carers will co-present this workshop and share their personal reflections of their involvement.

4A. PERSONAL BUDGETS FOR CARE

An opportunity for further questions and discussion with Jill Manthorpe about the opportunities presented by the new personalisation agenda for people working in dementia services in England – and most importantly for people with dementia and for carers – including details on the wider roll-out of self-directed support, personal budgets and individual budgets, or cash for care schemes.

1.00-2.00pm *Lunch and exhibition viewing*

Afternoon chair: Barbara Stephens, Chief Executive, *for dementia*

2.00-2.40 **The Mental Capacity Act: what does it really mean for us?**

Dr Julian Hughes, Consultant in Old Age Psychiatry, North Tyneside General Hospital and Honorary Clinical Senior Lecturer, Institute for Ageing and Health, Newcastle
Followed by questions and discussion

2.40-3.20 **Global ageing, technology and independent living**

Dr David Prendergast, Digital Health, Intel Corp and Dr Athena McLean, Senior Researcher, Irish Centre for Social Gerontology, National University of Ireland
Followed by questions and discussion

3.30-4.30 **PARALLEL SESSIONS (1-3 REPEATED):**

1. CHANGING LIVES FOR THE BETTER: REACHING OUT TO SOUTH ASIAN FAMILIES
2. IMPROVING ASSESSMENT FOR OLDER PEOPLE
3. LEARNING FROM FAMILY CARERS' EXPERIENCES

4. TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

Ethnographic research has been increasingly used to provide user perspectives regarding the potential benefits of technological and other interventions for older people, including those with dementia. Dr Athena McLean will introduce examples of ethnographic study in the Technology Research for Independent Living (TRIL) project and invite discussion and insights from participants.

4.30pm *Tea and close*

Cover image: one of a series of art works made by people with dementia at Fountainsway Hospital, Salisbury, during an arts project run by Karen Hayes and Richard Aylwin (Margent). The image is also shown in JDC's *Creativity in Dementia Care* Calendar 2008.



Conference themes

- ✓ New ideas and perspectives
- ✓ Evidence-based practice
- ✓ Person-centred approach
- ✓ The National Dementia Strategy
- ✓ Personal budgets for care
- ✓ Global ageing and technology
- ✓ The Mental Capacity Act
- ✓ Outreach to BME communities
- ✓ Learning from family carers
- ✓ Update on assessment (SAP)

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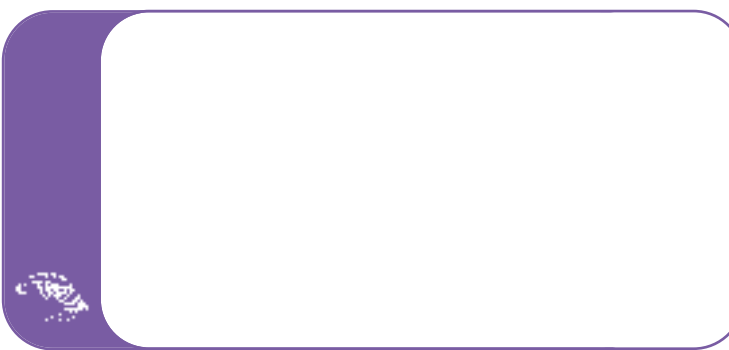
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