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- Mental health service managers • Neurologists
 - Nursing staff • Occupational therapists
- Old age psychiatrists • People with dementia
- Physiotherapists • Project managers • Researchers
 - Social care workers • Social workers
 - Speech and language therapists

Also in association with:

- Alzheimer's Society Quality Care Team
 - Bradford Dementia Group
 - Dementia Care Matters
 - for dementia & for dementia plus
 - Help the Aged
- National Association of Providers of Activities
- Psychology Specialists Working with Older People
- Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists
 - Mental Health Nurses Association
- UK Network of Dementia Services Development Centres

Welcomed and supported by the National Dementia Strategy Work Programme and the Care Services Improvement Partnership, Department of Health, England

Call for papers

We invite abstracts of proposed papers and posters, on any aspect of support, care and treatment for people with dementia, their families and care staff, in any service setting, to reach us by 30 May 2008.

Full details at www.ukdementiacongress.co.uk or contact Helena Stroud at helena@hawkerpublications.com, or call 020 7720 2108 ext 214.

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The largest dementia-focused event in the UK returns to Bournemouth this autumn

The 3rd UK Dementia Congress offers an exciting mix of plenary sessions, parallel sessions, workshops and posters as well as breakfast and lunchtime special interest symposia. These are the main themes of the 2008 congress:

People with dementia and their carers

Representatives from the Alzheimer's Society Living with Dementia programme and the Scottish Dementia Working Group will open the main conference proceedings, and their involvement will be a strong thread through the whole event.

National Dementia Strategy

This year's congress will provide the first professional analysis of the National Dementia Strategy, with presentations from:

- Ivan Lewis MP, Minister for Care Services
Jenny Owen, Executive Director of Adults, Health and Community Wellbeing in Essex, co-leader of the National Dementia Strategy work programme
Professor Sube Banerjee, Professor of Mental Health and Ageing at the Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, co-leader of the National Dementia Strategy work programme
Perspectives from Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland

Streams and themes include:

- Designing the best environment for dementia care
Debate: What are the benefits of obtaining a diagnosis of dementia?
End-of-life support and palliative care
Dementia Care Mapping - led by Bradford Dementia Group
Quality of life for people with dementia in care homes

Knowledge-based practice

All presentations will demonstrate how practice is linked to knowledge and evidence gained from research, experience, guidelines or expert consensus.

The Tom Kitwood Memorial Address will be given by Virginia Moore, Dementia Consultant, Brightwater Care Group, Western Australia.

The energy at the congress was inspiring - so many like-minded people gathering to learn from each other

As a relative newcomer I found the congress welcoming, informative and compassionate

The debate really challenged my thinking

Congress topics

- Prevention, Living with dementia, Drug treatments, Communication, Support for carers, Assistive technology, Perspective of the person, Designing services, Consultation, Planning, Commissioning, Challenging behaviour, Inclusion, Reminiscence, Life story, Care planning, Environment, Mobility, Design for dementia, Ethnic minorities, Younger people, Spirituality, Psychosocial approaches, Quality of care, Activities, Sexuality, Training, Evidence-based practice, Research, Person-centred care, Arts and creativity, Support at home, Occupation, Long-term care, International perspectives, Inspection, Care pathways, Sheltered housing, End-of-life care

Social events

Welcome Drinks Reception

All welcome, 28th October, 7.30pm

Congress Drinks Reception

All welcome, 29th October, 6pm

Congress Buffet

29th October, 7pm, £25 + VAT, order tickets on booking form.

To book, use the form on this leaflet or visit www.ukdementiacongress.co.uk

Quotes are from delegates at the 2007 UK Dementia Congress

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