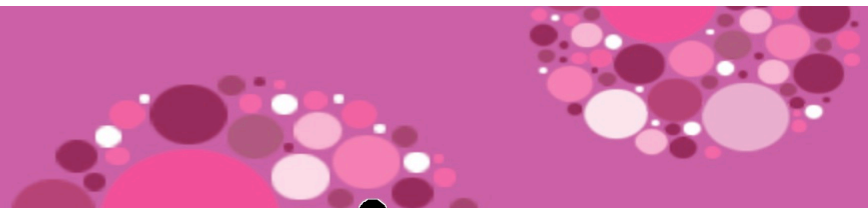
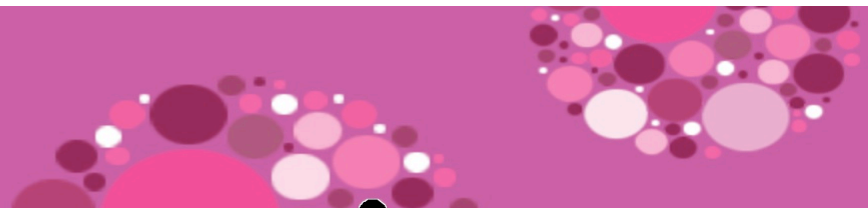


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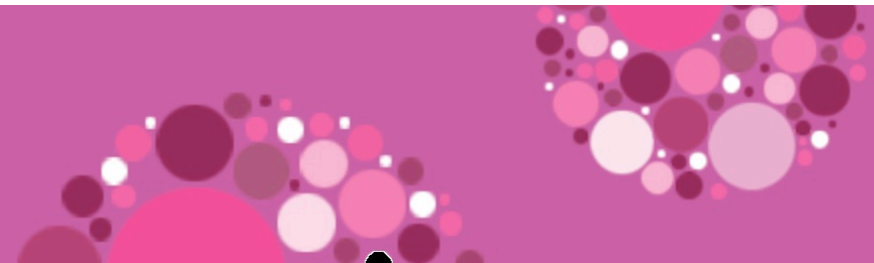
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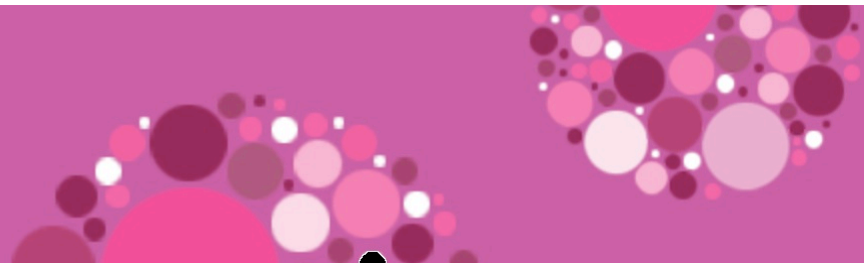
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**Supporting the needs and rights  
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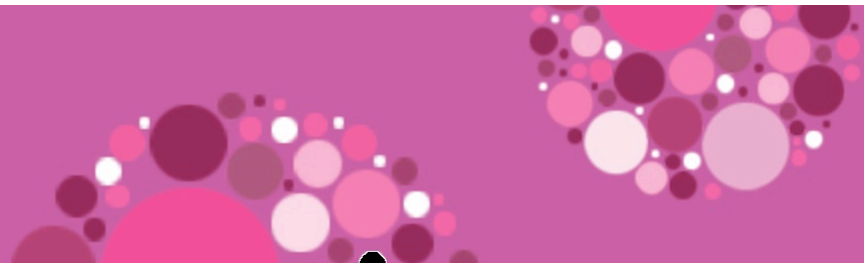


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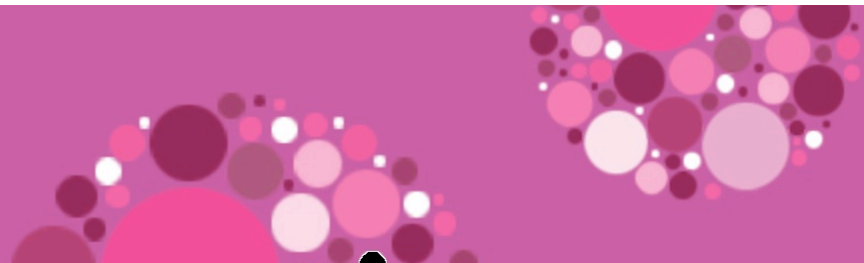
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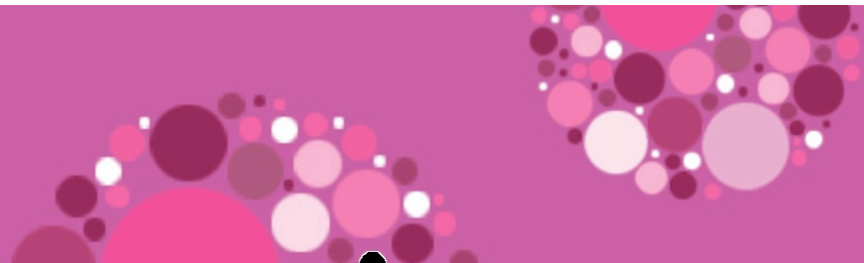
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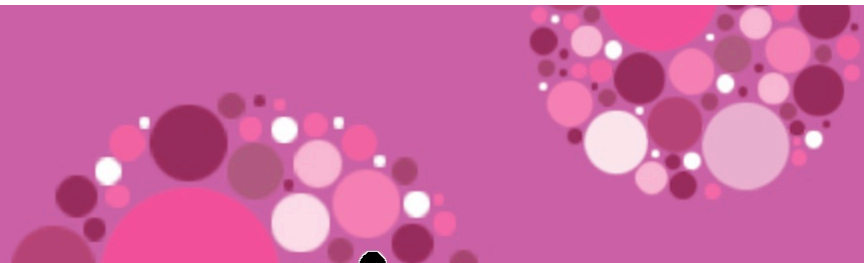
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Family carers of people with dementia should have access to expertise in dementia care for personalised information, advice, and support.



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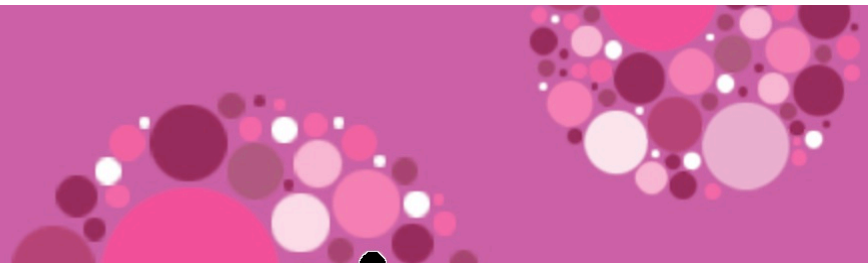
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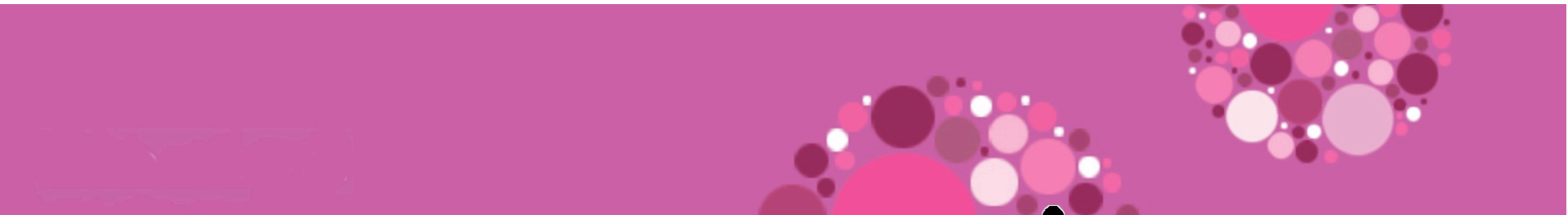


# The Five Aims: Aim 5

Family carers of people with dementia should have confidence that they can access good quality care, support and respite services.



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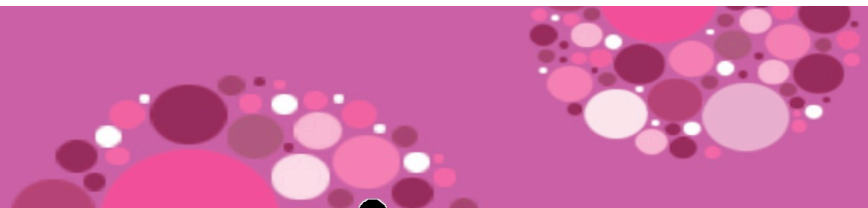


**PLEASE SIGN UP &  
TELL EVERYBODY  
ABOUT OUR SHARED VISION**

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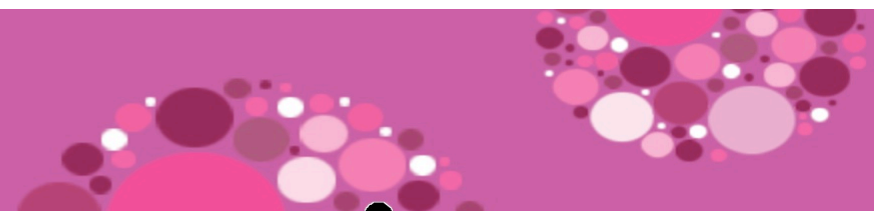


# KEY POINTS FOR COMMISSIONERS

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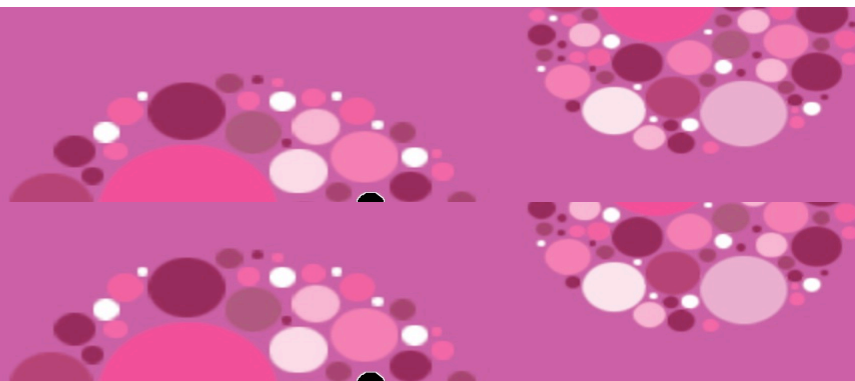
The 20 point checklist

Highlighting the strengths & the gaps  
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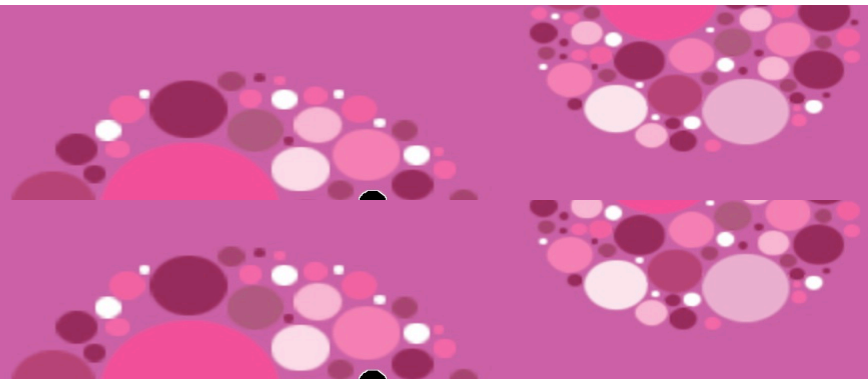
# **Top 20 Checklist for Commissioners – Examples of Services Supporting Family Carers**

**We are collating examples of good practice where services support family carers of people living with dementia. If you provide, or know of, a good service supporting family carers needs and rights. We really need your input in developing this really important resource.**



## Example No. 3 on Checklist

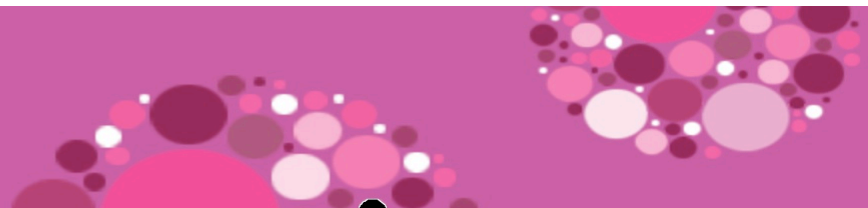
***A dementia adviser/support worker/Admiral Nurse/ to provide on-going & timely access to local, face to face, personalised, dementia expertise and practical advice as well as psychological & emotional support***



# DISCUSSION

## Supporting the health and wellbeing of family carers

- Highlighting good practice in your area
- How we can better work together across organisational and political boundaries
- Creative and pragmatic solutions
- What can you do?

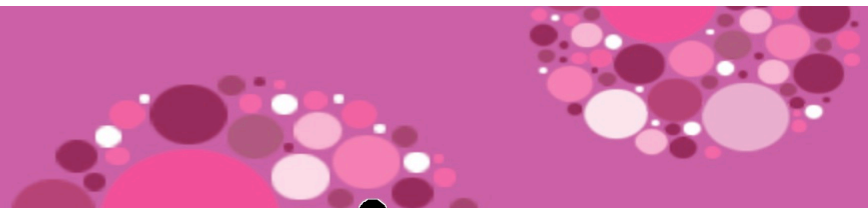






# What you can all do now

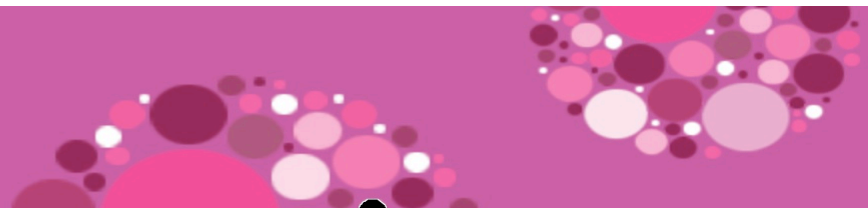
- Spread the awareness using our booklet & 20 point checklist
- Take action in your local area about the needs rights of family carers living with dementia
- Engage with your local carers/commissioners/H&W Boards
- Think about how we can support you in your areas
- Sign up to the future after The Carers' Call to Action



# Beyond The Carers' Call to Action

Jean Tottie

## Carer's Network





# THANK YOU

