COPC Center to Advance Palliative Care

Best Practices in Dementia Care Designation

This learning pathway provides comprehensive continuing education on practical strategies to support patients living with dementia, and their families. Clinicians can use CAPC Designation to demonstrate expertise in caring for patients with Alzheimer's Disease and other dementias.

Discussing Your Patient's Dementia Diagnosis

Disclosing a dementia diagnosis to patients and caregivers in a way that is sensitive, clear, and supportive.

Communicating About What to Expect as Dementia Progresses

Helping patients and caregivers understand challenges they may face as dementia worsens.

Planning for the Future with People Living with Dementia

Enabling patients and caregivers to plan ahead for the financial, legal, and other impacts of dementia.

Supporting the Caregivers of People Living with Dementia

Assessing for caregiver burden and connecting caregivers to needed support systems.

Understanding and Responding to Behavioral and Psychological Symptoms of Dementia

Strategies for understanding and addressing the sources of behavioral symptoms for people living with dementia.

Mood and Sleep Disturbances in People Living with Dementia

Addressing common sources of suffering for people living with dementia.

Critical Decisions in Advanced Dementia

Addressing common sources of suffering for people living with advanced dementia.

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