

Dementia Training for First Responder Example Videos

Building a Dementia Training for First Responders

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MXR8-9ipa4Q&ab_channel=CMSHHSgov

(Not a helpful video at first glance. 50 min seminar given by several people. Very inside baseball on training for first responders. Appreciate that they bring up ageism in relations to dementia when training first responders).

Dementia Friendly - First Responders

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3h4YuHZkoSE>

(Ageguide, North Easter Illinois. They use the TALK framework. 9 Mins long. Very basic and helpful. Cover basics of dementia, basic symptoms, fear that people with dementia have as well as challenging behaviors, address weapons in the home with caregivers, wandering, driving, disaster response, shoplifting, abuse and neglect)

Ep 7: Dementia Training for First Responders

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7cmzJ45ISLY>

(Memory care with Teresa Youngstrom, 30 minutes long. Podcast, Interviews a first responder EMT, nice to be exposed to a real first responder. Very chatty. Gives examples of working with people who have mental health/cognitive issues. Talk about how first responders usually only see people with dementia when they are in crisis, Talks about how they used to sedate and transport but no longer do that because of dementia training! “get on their team and offer to help” rather than sedate. EMS often called to retirement homes to help de-escalate because retirement homes are understaffed. “Don’t have to be right, Don’t start arguments if you don’t have to”. Discuss resources that the EMS uses locally.)

Dementia & Alzheimer's First Responder Training 1

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b7y-6w9EnN4>

(AlzOrangeCounty case-based videos-Driving. 5 Mins long. Police over pulls over older adult with dementia who is driving and lost. Dementia assessment: What time of day it is. Who is the president, medical problems? Shows what to do to keep safe and get older adult home, How to talk to a caretaker, has a reminder slide at the end to emphasize points.)

Dementia & Alzheimer's First Responder Training 2

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xx-o-dSP5-U&ab_channel=AlzOrangeCounty

(AlzOrangeCounty case-based videos-Wandering. 2 Mins long. Police finds older adult walking. Shows what to do and provides a reminder slide at the end emphasizing points.)

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vkZR8l78myM&ab_channel=AlzOrangeCounty

(AlzOrangeCounty case-based videos-Home confrontation. 2 Mins long. Daughter calls police because her mother won't calm down-accuses daughter of stilling, physically violent. Emphasized that issue could be medical emergency-calls paramedics. Shows idea of first responders working together. Shows what to do and provides a reminder slide at the end emphasizing points which includes assessing for abuse and neglect.)

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5ype1MUb1Ew&ab_channel=AlzOrangeCounty

(AlzOrangeCounty case-based videos-Home visit-lost wallet and check book. 3 Mins long. Neglect case. This is a good video but the summary slides of what to do don't always match what the video shows. Also think it is helpful to tell what to do, show, and then review again for learning consolidation)

Study: 9/11 first responders report increased rates of dementia (TV News)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cQkQaPlm8ls&ab_channel=FOX5NewYork

(Fox news. 2 minutes. About how first responders have higher risk of dementia.)

Dementia Friends USA First Responders

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=80mArcyr5ng&ab_channel=DementiaFriendlyAmerica

(Dementia friends first responders. 1 min. Covers symptoms of people with dementia. Tells what first responders should do when talking to person with dementia. Basic skills-not specific scenarios. Super brief and simple)

Ep 28: Dementia Care Tips for First Responders

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bYdclz56aUQ>

(Memory care with Teresa Youngstrom, 30 minutes long. Podcast. Very chatty. Talking directly to first responders. Too chatty to listen to the whole thing.)

Alzheimer's Disease & Memory Loss - First Responder Access & Functional Needs Training Series

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fPx-UP7hjW8>

(County of San Diego, Office of Emergency Services, 10 mins long. Question and answers with Police person and person from the AZ association-sitting next to each other talking. Video and signs and symptoms of dementia. Talking about how to work with someone who has dementia in an emergency-like a gas leak. Shows what someone's home might look like at home. Look for IDs and bracelets. Visual cues and Behavioral cues. Confusion. Might confuse the first responder with someone else. Breaking routines can be very disorienting) Very helpful video with tips about how to handle emergency situations. Don't argue. Join their reality.

Through the Eyes of A Person With Dementia: 3- First Responders

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h51Obxf-5QI>

Milwaukee County Department on Aging and AZ Association. 5 mins long. Video of a person with dementia who is agitated, and his partner calls the cops. Shows the perspective of the person with dementia-very helpful to show how not to do something and the results. Then show a better job for interacting with someone who is frightened and the results. Do medical assessment, use names, calm voice, be very clear about what is happening and what the first responders are doing. Give resources in writing at the end of the video and verbally