



## Younger Onset Dementia

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By the end of this workshop, participants will have an awareness and understanding of the following:

- What is Younger Onset Dementia (prevalence, statistics, symptoms and diagnosis)
- Why the human rights, dignity and enablement of risk is important for a person living with Younger Onset Dementia
- Dementia-enablement and resources
- Wellbeing versus 'ill-being' symptoms
- The need for sensitivity to people living with a diagnosis of Younger Onset Dementia, and the family issues and needs of people both financially and socially
- Why communication and language is important
- Case support and the interdisciplinary approach to care

There will also be a practical activity and a translation of advanced care planning utilising an assessment tool.

This is one of three workshop sessions in the Dementia in Diverse Groups Symposium. Each workshop focuses on the unique needs of individual groups of people living with dementia.

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### Event details

**Cost:** Funded by the Australian Government

**Date:** Thursday, 11 April, 2019

**Time:** 8.30 to 10.30am  
(sign in 15 minutes prior to presentation)

**Location:** Lakeside Room,  
Joondalup Reception Centre  
102 Boas Avenue, Joondalup, WA 6027

**Parking:** Please note there is no free parking at this venue

**Refreshments:** Complimentary tea and coffee will be provided. Several cafes can also be found within a short walking distance from the venue.

#### Who should attend?

Health professionals caring for people living with Younger Onset Dementia.

### Registration is essential

To register, please go to [dta.com.au](http://dta.com.au) and find 'events'

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