



## 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 six 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 16 May, 2019

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

**Location:** Room G. 11A  
Education Development Centre  
4 Milner Street, Hindmarsh, SA, 5007

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

**Refreshments:** Catering will not be provided at this event. Several cafes can 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

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