



Dementia specific organisations:

Alzheimers Research UK – the UK's leading dementia research charity, dedicated to causes, diagnosis, prevention, treatment and cure. Call **0300 111 5 111** or email infoline@alzheimersresearchuk.org - www.alzheimersresearchuk.org.

Alzheimer's Society – the **Dementia Connect Service** for England, Wales and Northern Ireland can be contacted on **0333 150 3456** or email connect@alzheimers.org.uk. The helpline offers information, support, guidance and signposting to other appropriate organisations - www.alzheimers.org.uk

Alzheimer Scotland provides the Scottish Dementia Helpline on **0808 808 3000** or email helpline@alzscot.org as well as local services all over Scotland for people with dementia and their carers - www.alzscot.org

The Wales Dementia Helpline offers help and support to people with dementia in Wales, their carers, family members or friends. The helpline number is **0808 808 2235** - www.dementiahelpline.org.uk

Dementia NI campaigns to raise awareness of dementia and provides training and education on living well with the condition. It has groups around Northern Ireland helping people with dementia to meet and support each other. They can be contacted on **02896 931 555** - www.dementiani.org

Dementia UK provides mental health nurses who specialise in dementia, called Admiral Nurses. They provide practical and emotional support to families affected by dementia, as well as advice on referrals to appropriate services, and can liaise with other healthcare professionals on your behalf. To find out if Admiral Nurses are available in your area, you can call their helpline on **0800 888 6678** or email helpline@dementiauk.org - www.dementiauk.org

Guideposts has services for people with long-term or degenerative conditions, including dementia. Call **0800 048 7035** - www.guideposts.org.uk

Culture Dementia UK supports carers and people with dementia among the BAME community. Call **0800 014 8682** - www.culturedementiauk.org

Rare Dementia Support runs specialist support services for people living with, or affected by, five rare dementias. For support and help regarding a diagnosis you can email contact@raredementiasupport.org or call **020 3325 0828**. Leave a message and you will be referred to the most appropriate team member - www.raredementiasupport.org

The Lewy Body Society offer information about dementia with Lewy bodies (DLB) and can signpost you to other organisations that can help. Call **01942 914000** or email info@lewybody.org www.lewybody.org

To discuss best practice approaches to engaging people living with dementia in person centred activity and engagement contact the NAPA Supportline.

