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# Virtual Dementia Education Series for Health Care Professionals

## Virtual Dementia Education Series

Spring 2023

### Co-occurring Mental Health and Substance Use in Dementia Care

- **Presenter:** Sarah L. King, LCSWR, Senior System of Care Manager/Dual Recovery Coordinator, Broome County Mental Health/Coordinated Care Services Inc.
- **Recording Date:** Tuesday February 7, 2023, 12:00pm ET
- This training session includes an overview of mental health and substance use indicators and diagnostic implications. Information will be presented regarding the correlation of dementia and mental illness as it impacts the diagnosis, treatment planning, and care of individuals.

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### Back to Basics: Diagnosis and Types of Dementia

- **Presenter:** Nikhil Palekar, MD, Director, Stony Brook Center of Excellence for Alzheimer's Disease
- **Recording Date:** Tuesday March 21, 2023, 12pm ET
- The presentation will focus on the importance of early diagnosis of cognitive disorders, highlight the standardized office-based assessment tools for diagnosis and discuss types of dementia and their unique presentations.

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## The Impact of Hypertension on Cognitive Function

- **Presenter:** Tina Omorogbe, MS, FNP-BC, DNP, Founder and CEO, Chasing Health Inc
- **Recording Date:** Wednesday April 5, 2023, 12:00 ET
- Studies showed that hypertension is a risk factor in developing a wide range of cognitive impairment. Hypertension is identified as a leading cause of vascular cognitive impairment. There is also some evidence that hypertension is a risk factor for developing Alzheimer disease.

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## Non-Cognitive Symptoms of Dementia

- **Presenter:** Jason A. Cohen, MD, Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology, Montefiore Medical Center, Albert Einstein College of Medicine
- **Recording Date:** Thursday May 18, 2022, 12:00pm ET
- While dementia is defined by cognitive impairment causing functional decline, the diseases that cause dementia also cause other symptoms. We will discuss the psychiatric, motor, autonomic, and other symptoms of dementia.

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