PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: PowerPoint module, faculty guide and reference file that are designed to increase knowledge and change competency of Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementias practices and strategies. Content is derived from actual literature, expert opinion, and clinical practice.

OBJECTIVES:

After reviewing this module, the learner will be able to:
1. Describe the impact that oral health can have on systemic health of a person living with dementia (PLwD);
2. Describe the impact that oral health can have on the quality of life of a person living with dementia (PLwD);
3. Describe medical complexities that may have an impact on the ability of PLwD to receive dental care;
4. Identify clinically significant oral health changes often observed in PLwD and make appropriate referrals; and
5. Discuss oral health care maintenance strategies with PLwD and their care partners.

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HARDWARE/SOFTWARE: Computer Hardware; Internet connection; Browser
MATERIALS: None

TARGET AUDIENCE: Physicians, Registered Nurses, Allied Health Professionals, Certified Health Educators

PREREQUISITES: None

FORMAT: Web based training

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