

## OUTLINE

### Manifestations and Prognosis for Each Type of Dementia

Cognitive decline vs. normal aging

Mild Neuro-Cognitive Disorder

Manifestations and prognosis for:

Alzheimer's

Vascular Dementia

Lewy Body Dementia

Frontotemporal Dementia

Parkinson's

Stages of dementia

Pseudo-dementias and reversible conditions

### Cognitive Assessment Tools and Advances in Early-Detection

MOCA and SLUMS

Step-by-step utilization

What they tell you and what they don't

Brain imaging

Research on biomarkers

Genetic risk profiling

When to refer for a formal neuropsychological assessment

### Behavioral Interventions Toolbox: Causes of and Solutions to Challenging Behaviors

Identifying triggers for challenging behaviors

Assess for pain in dementia patients

What to do for sundowning?

Techniques to minimize combativeness and aggressive behaviors

Strategies to redirect wandering

Paranoia – causes and management

Effective responses to hallucinations and delusions

Strategies to reduce repetitive behaviors

How to improve personal care and activities of daily living

### Communication Strategies to Improve Care

Successful non-verbal communication – find meaning behind gestures

Best practices to avoid arguments

Questions to ask, and how to ask them

Innovative communication tools

### Psychopharmacology and Nutrition: The Latest Medications and Preventative Treatments

Approved medications for behavioral and cognitive symptoms

Nutritive interventions for Alzheimer's prevention

Disease modifying medication

### Ethical Issues Related to Dementia

End of life issues

Reporting abuse (physical, sexual, financial)

Multicultural considerations

#### Live Webinar Schedule (Times listed in Central)

**8:00** Program begins

**11:50-1:00** Lunch Break

**4:00** Program ends

There will be two 15-min breaks (mid-morning & mid-afternoon).  
Actual lunch and break start times are at the discretion of the speaker.  
A more detailed schedule is available upon request.

## OBJECTIVES

1. Communicate how the manifestations of each type of dementia impacts identification and prognosis.
2. Provide a synopsis of 2 assessment tools that can be employed to screen for possible cognitive difficulty.
3. Specify how non-verbal communication skills can help professionals identify meanings behind gestures when working with patients who have dementia.

4. Characterize how patient safety can be enhanced with strategies to redirect wandering and manage paranoia.
5. Investigate how the latest medications, preventative treatments, and advances in early detection could impact care of people with dementia.
6. Analyze end of life issues and elder abuse and correlate how the ethics of dying impacts the clinician, client, and their family.

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## SPEAKER

**Sherrie All, Ph.D.**, is a licensed clinical neuropsychologist who has specialized in treating people with dementia, Parkinson's disease, TBI, MS and other neurological disorders for over a decade. Dr. All is the founder and director of the Chicago Center for Cognitive Wellness, a private neuropsychology practice specializing in cognitive rehabilitation and brain health. The evidence-based cognitive rehabilitation interventions she uses have helped hundreds of adults experiencing cognitive declines improve their thinking skills, expand their functional independence and enhance their brain health.

Dr. All has worked as a consultant to the Mather LifeWays Institute on Aging, helping to develop and evaluate a holistic brain fitness program, and her work with individuals on ways to lower their personal risk for dementia has earned the attention of media outlets including *The New Yorker* and *Crain's Chicago Business*. Dr. All earned her Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science and is a member of the American Psychological Association.

### Speaker Disclosures:

Financial: Sherrie All is the owner of the Chicago Center for Cognitive Wellness. She receives a speaking honorarium from PESI, Inc.  
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