



## **Dementia Management for Caregivers**

“If you learn to listen for clues as to how I feel instead of what I say, you will be able to understand me much better.” (Mara Botonis). Living with dementia is a heartbreaking process filled with confusion, frustration and fear for the patient and for the caregiver. Part of living well and having quality of life with dementia is for family members and caregivers to be educated so they can adjust to each individual person’s needs and abilities. Too often caregivers are not taught what dementia is, the different types of dementia and how to deal with the behaviors that come along with it. We put our residents at risk and for decline when we don’t provide education to those that care for them each day. Dementia Management decreases problematic behaviors for the resident and the caregiver. It also allows for quality of life and even joy for both sides. This one-day training will teach attendees about dementia in a way that makes sense and makes it easy to apply in their work every day. They will find joy with their residents functioning at even the lowest levels. *Come learn how to “Change Their World”.*

**When**            **May 23, 2018 – Oklahoma City – OAHCP Office** (#DM3)  
**October 2, 2018 – Tulsa – OSU Tulsa** (#DM4)

**Where:**        **OKC – 1201 North Harvey Avenue – Training Center**  
**Tulsa - 700 N. Greenwood Ave. – Conference Center – Room 150**

**Check-in:**    **8:30 to 9:00 a.m. Meeting: 9:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.** (lite lunch provided)

**Cost:**            **\$125.00 per person member with CEUs (6 hours)**  
**\$75.00 per person member no CEUs**  
**\$225.00 per person non-member with CEUs (6 hours)**  
**\$175 per person non-member no CEUs**

Cancellation fee: \$25 member / \$50 non-member - Cancellation Policy @ [www.oahcp.org](http://www.oahcp.org)

**CEUs:**            **This program has been approved by NAB for 6 hours of continuing education units.**

**Speaker: Kimberly D Green, M.Ed. CCC-SLP** is a Speech Language Pathologist by background and has been involved in skilled nursing/long-term care/geriatrics for over 20 years and in the rehab industry for 13 years. She is also cross trained as a clinical specialist in physical and occupational therapy, nursing and dietary services. Kimberly has worked for some of the nation’s oldest and largest health care companies and rehab providers on both the contract and customer side and the clinical and operational side, and has valuable insight on running the business from every aspect. She is also a nationally recognized expert lecturer/trainer on various topics, including rehabilitation services, skilled nursing and RUGs, LTC, dementia, restorative nursing, and special needs. Kimberly is currently the COO of Diakonos Group.

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