



BEHAVIOURAL SUPPORT ROUNDS

Thursday, November 24, 2022 | 2-3 PM EDT

PRESENTATION TITLE:

Intimacy, Dementia & Consent – How do these 3 things go together?

PRESENTERS:

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Throughout her career as an occupational therapist, Silvia has worked clinically in acute care, rehabilitation, long-term care and in the community. Over the years, in her various clinical roles, she has learned a great deal from her older adult clients. Probably some of the most engaging and spirited discussions have involved sex. As a result, Sylvia has a keen interest in intimacy as we age and how those who support older adults can better understand and become more comfortable dealing with some of these sensitive issues.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- To understand the concept of intimacy and our own values and beliefs regarding this sensitive topic
- To appreciate the significance of dementia when dealing with behaviours related to sexual expression
- To explore consent and capacity in relation to intimacy and dementia

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

- You must register in advance <u>here</u>. After registering, you will receive information about joining the webinar
- If you have any Zoom Webinar questions, please contact Agnes Cheng Tsallis at achengtsallis@baycrest.org
- If you have any questions about these rounds or wish to be included on the distribution list, please contact Tania Aragona at OntarioCLRI@baycrest.org

HOW TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE:

After having attended, complete the evaluation survey and enter an email address to request your certificate

These sessions are open to all healthcare professionals and students to provide a learning forum to review leading practices in assessing and managing personal expressions, as demonstrated by individuals who live with dementia.

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