

Institute of Alzheimer's Education





25th series

Certified Dementia Care Planner (CDCP) Course

Offered by Institute of Alzheimer's Education of Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease Association
Co-developed with the Alzheimer's Disease International and
in collaboration with Sau Po Centre on Ageing, The University of Hong Kong

Course Overview CDCP Course is an intensive course which encompasses theories and practical experience in dementia care. The 80-hours course involves lecture, class practice, case discussion, practical session and continuous assessment. Students will be equipped as Certified Dementia Care Planner and perform care planning to people living with dementia and their caregivers in multi-disciplinary approach.

The course is suitable to colleagues with 1-2 years working experience specifically in Dementia Care.

Module 1	Essentials for Understanding Dementia
Module 2	Assessments for Dementia
Module 3	Advanced understanding in common Non-pharmacological Interventions
Module 4	Interventions for Dementia Informal Caregivers and Advance Care Planning

Upon completion of the course, students will be equipped as a Certified Dementia Care Planner and able to:

- Understand the pathology, symptoms and characteristics, classifications of Dementia and updated intervention approaches
- ► Coordinating supports for people with dementia and their families with different caring teams in community, residential and/or hospital services
- ▶ Be competent in assessment, care planning and case management process for Dementia
- Render support and advice to family caregivers along the caregiving journey
- ► Support and guide people with dementia and their families through the Advance Care Planning process



Application Deadline

The course offers flexibility for participants to take full course or by module.

Full Course (4 Modules + Practical sessions)		Per Module		
HK\$9,000	Module 1	Module 2	Module 3	Module 4
111/29,000	HK\$2,500	HK\$2,250	HK\$3,900	HK\$2,250

Enquiries

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30 Apr 2024 CPD-OT: Pending

CPD-PT: Pending

CNE: 80pts

Entry Requirement

- Professionals in Medical/ Healthcare/ Social Services Field (including registered nurse, registered occupation therapists and registered social workers)
- With at least two years of solid working experience (not volunteer service or placement) in elderly/ dementia care services
- Admission is subject to the final decision of the Institute.

Certificate Awarded

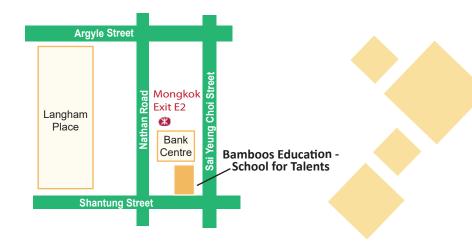
Participants can complete the Full Course in one series or two consecutive series, according to their time management.

	Certified Dementia Care Planner	Certificate of Completion of the Module(s)			
Study mode	Full Course (4 Modules + Practical Sessions)	By Module(s)			
Requirement	1. Attend at least 80 per cent of the Sessions (exceeding lateness of 45 mins will be considered as absent); AND				
	2. Attend ALL examinations and obtain at least 70% of the overall full mark; AND3. Attend ALL final practical sessions	2. Attend the examination(s) and obtain at least 70% of the full mark of the related module; AND3. Attend the onsite session(s) of the related module			

Venue for Onsite Sessions

Bamboos Education - School for Talents (BEST)

7/F, Chung Kiu Commercial Building 47-51 Shantung Street, Mong Kok



Application and Deadline

After complete the online application form, please post a crossed cheque for tuition fee (payable to "Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease Association") to the following address before the application deadline.

The application will not be considered if applicant fail to send the cheque for tuition fee.

Please write your full name, contact number on the back of your cheque and indicate "CDCP course application" on the envelope.

HKADA - Institute of Alzhiemer's Education, G/F, Wang Yip House, Wang Tau Hom Estate, Kowloon.

Once your admission to the course is confirmed, all fees will be non-refundable. For unsuccessful application(s), cheque will be returned to applicant by post.



Course Schedule

Students have one week to watch the lecture video after the video release.

Students have to attend the Onsite Sessions (6:30pm - 9:00pm/9:30pm) in person. Broadcasts are not supported.



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Module 1 Essentials for Understanding Dementia	Date	Hours
M101 · (Onsite) Overview of dementia and role of Certified Dementia Care Planner (CDCP)	16 May 2024 (Thur)	3
M102 · In-depth understanding of Dementia	23 May 2024 (Thur)	2
M103 · In-depth understanding of Atypical Dementia	30 May 2024 (Thur)	2
M104 · Psychiatric aspect of Dementia	6 Jun 2024 (Thur)	2
M105 · Overview of Dementia Management and updates on Pharmacological Interventions	13 Jun 2024 (Thur)	3
M106 · (Onsite) Transfer knowledge to practical advices to Caregiver	20 Jun 2024 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	25 Jun 2024 (Tue)	2
Module 2 Assessments for Dementia		
M201 · Cognitive Assessment for Dementia: Uses and administration of different tools	27 Jun 2024 (Thur)	3
M202 • Functional and Psycho-behavioral Assessment for Dementia: Uses and administration of different tools	4 Jul 2024 (Thur)	3
M203 • Transferring assessment results to daily performance of People Living with Dementia	11 Jul 2024 (Thur)	2
M204 · (Onsite) Practice on consolidating different assessment result and clinical investigation in diagnostic process	18 Jul 2024 (Thur)	3
M205 · (Onsite) Practice on consolidating and transferring different assessment result to care and support to People Living with Dementia	25 Jul 2024 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	30 Jul 2024 (Tue)	2
Module 3 Advanced understanding in common Non-pharmacological Interventions		
M301 · Modern concept in Cognitive Stimulations and Dementia	1 Aug 2024 (Thur)	3.5
M302 · Common Non-pharmacological Interventions (1)	8 Aug 2024 (Thur)	4.5
M303 · Common Non-pharmacological Interventions (2)	15 Aug 2024 (Thur)	3
M304 · (Onsite) Non-pharmacological Interventions for Behavioural and Psychological Symptoms of Dementia (BPSD)	22 Aug 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M305 · Care and interventions for moderate to late stage Dementia	29 Aug 2024(Thur)	2.5
M306 · Nursing care for People Living with Dementia	5 Sept 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M307 • End-of-life care for People Living with Dementia	12 Sept 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M308 · (Onsite) Applications of interventions and caring strategies	19 Sept 2024 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	24 Sept 2024 (Tue)	2
Module 4 Interventions for Dementia Informal Caregivers and Advance Care Planning		
M401 · Needs of informal caregivers of People Living with Dementia along the caring journey	3 Oct 2024 (Thur)	2
M402 • Interventions for informal caregivers of People Living with Dementia	10 Oct 2024 (Thur)	2
M403 · (Onsite) Assessments for informal caregivers of People Living with Dementia	17 Oct 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M404 · (Onsite) Advance Planning in Financial Management in Dementia care	24 Oct 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M405 · Understanding of Guardianship	31 Oct 2024 (Thur)	2
M406 • Preparing family to Advance Care Planning for People Living with Dementia	7 Nov 2024 (Thur)	2
Online Examination	12 Nov 2024 (Tue)	2
Practical Sessions (for full course student ONLY)		
P01 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (1)	14 Nov 2024 (Thur)	2.5
P02 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (2)	19 Nov 2024 (Thur)	2.5
P03 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (3)	21 Nov 2024 (Tue)	2.5
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^{*}Programme details are subject to change. The Institute reserves the right of final decision.

Teaching team

Multi-disciplinary professionals experienced in Dementia care service, such as experienced specialist medical practitioners (eg. Specialist in Psychiatry/ Specialist in Internal Medicine/ Physician), social worker, solicitor, occupational therapist, nurse, etc.

Mode of teaching

Lectures are conducted in Cantonese supplemented by English. Examination papers are in English with T/F questions, multiple choices and short questions. Students can complete the examination at place convenience to them with internet access.