

Institute of Alzheimer's Education







24th 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 of 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



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
ПС\$9,000	HK\$2,500	HK\$2,250	HK\$3,900	HK\$2,250

**Enquiries** 

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Application Deadline 18 Sept 2023

CPD-OT: Pending CPD-PT: Pending CNE: 80pts

## **Entry Requirement**

- Professionals in Medical/ Healthcare/ Social Services Field AND with at least two years of experience working in Elderly/ Dementia services.
- Admission is subject to the final decision of the Institute.
- \*CDCP Course is NOT an entry level course.

#### **Certificate Awarded**

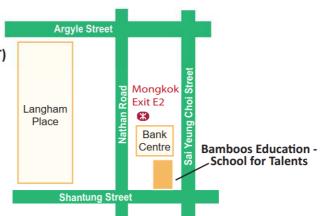
Participants can complete the Full Course in one series or two consecutive series, according to their time management.

	Certified Dementia Care Planner	Certificate of Completion of the Module(s)			
Study mode	Full Course (4 Modules + Practical Sessions)	By Module(s)			
Requirement	1. At least 80% attendance (exceeding lateness of 45 mins will be considered as absent); AND				
	<ol> <li>Attendance of ALL examinations AND</li> <li>Achieve at least 70% of the overall full mark in examinations; AND</li> <li>Attendance of ALL final practical sessions</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Attendance of module examination(s); AND</li> <li>Achieve at least 70% of the full mark in the examination(s) of the related module; AND</li> <li>Attendance of related onsite session(s).</li> </ol>			

## **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 payable to "Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease Association" to the following address before the application deadline.

Any application without sending the cheque will not be considered.

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.





**Student Feedback** 

(from students of 22<sup>nd</sup> series CDCP)

agreed their learning goals were achieved

100%

agreed they can apply what they have learnt 100%

will recommend the course to their colleague/friends

100%

agreed they are ready to serve people living with dementia and their families

## **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.



Module 1 Essentials for Understanding Dementia	Date	Hours
M101 · (Onsite) Overview of dementia and role of Certified Dementia Care Planner (CDCP)	5 Oct 2023 (Thur)	3
M102 · In-depth understanding of Dementia	12 Oct 2023 (Thur)	2
M103 · In-depth understanding of Atypical Dementia	19 Oct 2023 (Thur)	2
M104 · Psychiatric aspect of Dementia	26 Oct 2023 (Thur)	2
M105 · Overview of Dementia Management and updates on Pharmacological Interventions	2 Nov 2023 (Thur)	3
M106 · (Onsite) Transfer knowledge to practical advices to Caregiver	9 Nov 2023 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	14 Nov 2023 (Tue)	2
Module 2 Assessments for Dementia		
M201 · Cognitive Assessment for Dementia: Uses and administration of different tools	16 Nov 2023 (Thur)	3
M202 • Functional and Psycho-behavioral Assessment for Dementia: Uses and administration of different tools	23 Nov 2023 (Thur)	3
M203 • Transferring assessment results to daily performance of People Living with Dementia	30 Nov 2023 (Thur)	2
M204 · (Onsite) Practice on consolidating different assessment result and clinical investigation in diagnostic process	7 Dec 2023 (Thur)	2.5
M205 • (Onsite) Practice on consolidating and transferring different assessment result to care and support to People Living with Dementia	14 Dec 2023 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	19 Dec 2023 (Tue)	2
Module 3 Advanced understanding in common Non-pharmacological Interventions		
M301 · Modern concept in Cognitive Stimulations and Dementia	21 Dec 2023 (Thur)	3.5
M302 · Common Non-pharmacological Interventions (1)	28 Dec 2023 (Thur)	4.5
M303 • Common Non-pharmacological Interventions (2)	4 Jan 2023 (Thur)	3
M304 • (Onsite) Non-pharmacological Interventions for Behavioural and Psychological Symptoms of Dementia (BPSD)	11 Jan 2024 (Thur)	3
M305 · Care and interventions for moderate to late stage Dementia	18 Jan 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M306 · Nursing care for People Living with Dementia	25 Jan 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M307 · End-of-life care for People Living with Dementia	1 Feb 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M308 · (Onsite) Applications of interventions and caring strategies	8 Feb 2024 (Thur)	2.5
Online Examination	20 Feb 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	22 Feb 2024 (Thur)	2
M402 • Interventions for informal caregivers of People Living with Dementia	29 Feb 2024 (Thur)	2
M403 · (Onsite) Assessments for informal caregivers of People Living with Dementia	7 Mar 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M404 · (Onsite) Advance Planning in Financial Management in Dementia care	14 Mar 2024 (Thur)	2.5
M405 · Understanding of Guardianship	21 Mar 2024 (Thur)	2
M406 • Preparing family to Advance Care Planning for People Living with Dementia	28 Mar 2024 (Thur)	2
Online Examination	2 Apr 2024 (Tue)	2
Practical Sessions (for full course student ONLY)		
P01 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (1)	9 Apr 2024 (Tue)	2.5
P02 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (2)	11 Apr 2024 (Thur)	2.5
P03 · (Onsite) Practice in formulating Individual Care Plan for Dementia (3)	16 Apr 2024 (Tue)	2.5

<sup>\*</sup>Programme details are subject to change. The Institute reserves the right to make any 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 multiple choices and short questions. Depending on the latest unpredictable circumstances, the mode of course delivery might change to online class.