

About You

What is your title?

Q.1

Mr

Mrs

Ms

Dr

Other:

What is your first name?

Q.2

What is your surname or family name?

Q.3

What is your gender?

Q.4

Male

Female

Gender Fluid

What is your age?

Q.5

- 16-19
 - 20-29
 - 30-39
 - 40-49
 - 50-59
 - 60-69
 - 70-79
 - 80-89
 - 90-99
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What is your marital status?

Q.6

- Married or domestic partnership
 - Widowed
 - Seperated
 - Divorced
 - Single
 - Other:
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What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Q.7

- Completed Primary School
 - Completed Secondary Education (Leaving Certificate or equivalent)
 - Partly completed Secondary Education (Intermediate/Junior Certificate or equivalent)
 - Further Education (Vocational Education/ Apprenticeship)
 - Higher Education Undergraduate (Higher Certificate, Bachelors Degree)
 - Higher Education (Postgraduate Masters Qualification, or PhD)
 - No formal education
 - Other:
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What is your employment status?

- Homemaker
 - Unemployed
 - Employed Part-Time
 - Employed Full-Time
 - Self-Employed
 - Retired
 - Student
 - Other:
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What county do you live in?

- Donegal
 - Sligo
 - Leitrim
 - Monaghan
 - Cavan
 - Mayo
 - Roscommon
 - Longford
 - Westmeath
 - Louth
 - Meath
 - Kildare
 - Dublin
 - Offaly
 - Galway
 - Clare
 - Limerick
 - Laois
 - Carlow
 - Kilkenny
 - Tipperary
 - Wexford
 - Waterford
 - Cork
 - Kerry
 - Kilkenny
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About Your Caring Situation

What is your relationship to the person for whom you are providing care? Are they your:

Q.10

- Spouse / Partner
 - Sibling
 - Parent
 - Parent-in-law
 - Other:
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Do you share these caring responsibilities with any other member of your family?

Q.11

- Yes
- No

Please help us understand why you selected this answer

What age is the person with dementia for whom you are providing care?

Q.12

- 30-39
 - 40-49
 - 50-59
 - 60-69
 - 70-79
 - 80-89
 - 90-99
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How long have you been providing care to your loved one with dementia?

- Less than one year
 - 1-2 years
 - 2-3 years
 - 3-4 years
 - 4-5 years
 - More than 5 years
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Approximately how many hours per week do you provide care to your loved one with dementia?

Understanding Dementia

Please rate your understanding of dementia on the following scale (where 1 is a very low and incomplete level of understanding to 5 which is a very high and complete understanding of dementia) Q.15

- 1
 - 2
 - 3
 - 4
 - 5
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Changing Relationships

Q.16

	Very negative	Negative	No change	Positive	Very positive
What impact has caring for your loved one with dementia had on your relationship with them?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Communications

Q.17

	Very infrequently	Infrequently	Neither infrequently or frequently	Frequently	Very frequently
To what extent do you use verbal (speaking / talking) communications when caring for your loved one?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
To what extent do you use non-verbal (eye contact, body language, facial expressions) communications when caring for your loved one with dementia?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Very difficult	Difficult	Neither difficult or easy	Easy	Very easy
How easy do you find it to ensure your loved one follows your instructions to carry out daily tasks?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
How easy do you find it to ensure your loved one with dementia answers questions?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Responsive Behaviours

To what extent do you feel frustrated by sudden changes in your loved one's behaviour as a result of their dementia (please choose the most appropriate option below where 1 is Totally Frustrating to 5 which is Not Frustrating)? Q.19

- 1
 - 2
 - 3
 - 4
 - 5
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Responsive Behaviours

Q.20

	Totally disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree or agree	Agree	Totally Agree
To what extent do you agree with the following statement: I feel I can influence my loved one's behaviour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Nutrition and Eating Well: How do you feel about the following statements? Q.21

	Totally disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree or agree	Agree	Totally Agree
I believe my loved one eats well	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I believe my loved one has a balanced diet	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Engaging Life Activities / Quality of Life: How do you feel about the following statement?

Q.22

	Totally disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree or agree	Agree	Totally Agree
My loved one with dementia has a very good quality of life	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Personal Care: Please rate your personal care skills on the matrix below. If you have not already undertaken personal care skills for your loved one please choose N/A

Q.23

	Very poor	Poor	Competent	Very Competent	N/A
Toileting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Washing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dressing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Oral Hygiene	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Safety at Home: To what extent to you agree with the following statement:

Q.24

	Totally disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree or agree	Agree	Totally agree
I am confident I can provide care in a safe, hazard-free environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Looking After Yourself: to what extent do you agree with the following statements?

Q.25

	Totally disagree	Disagree	Neither disagree or agree	Agree	Totally agree
I find time to do things for myself	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is important to take breaks from caring and to make time for my own interests	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Providing care to my loved one with dementia is rewarding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel capable of providing care for my loved one with dementia now and in the future	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know where to find relevant information to help me in my caring role	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
