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Information Resources and Reports

Dementia UK leaflets on dementia in community languages

A Dementia UK project to develop leaflets in translation has now been completed, and their 'Admiral Nurse' and 'What is dementia?' leaflets have been translated into five languages – Bengali, Gujarati, Punjabi, Tamil and Urdu.

These are available to download online [here](#) Their plan is to roll out other language leaflets over time.

Families need more help with managing changes in medication when older patients move between different forms of care

A review has been undertaken of the research on how families support older people when they move between different places as their care needs change (transitions in care). This is an important issue but not much covered in mainstream media dementia reports The review strongly recommends families should get more help as family carers often have a

key role in managing medication in these circumstances as the older person often has multiple health issues. The full report is [here](#)

Online Dementia Resources

The Social Care Institute for Excellence has a wide variety of dementia resources available online [here](#)

Worldwide Survey on Dementia

Alzheimer's Disease International (ADI) has commissioned the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) to create the world's largest survey on people's attitudes around dementia, which will form the basis for the World Alzheimer Report 2019, to be released in September.

ADI's survey is fully anonymous, accessible and available both online and offline in multiple languages. You can take part [here](#)

DACE initiatives

DACE in training podcast for Care Quality Commission

DACE and Samir Jeraj of the Race Equality Foundation to part in a training podcast for Care Quality Commission inspectors, talking about the needs of people from Black, Asian and minority communities living with dementia. You can find the podcast [here](#) along with PowerPoint slides developed to support the broadcast. The podcast was released on 20th May.

Dementia Awareness Pilot Sessions with the BME Health Forum

The BME Health Forum is a coordinating forum for community groups in Westminster, Kensington and Chelsea and Hammersmith and Fulham focusing on health issues in the Black, Asian and minority ethnic communities DACE and the Forum are looking at the development of information sessions on dementia for the community groups, starting with a series of pilot sessions of Dementia

Friends session. The first two sessions were held at Midaye Somali Development Network on 28th April and the Seniors Sudanese Club on the 3rd May and more are planned over the next few weeks.

DACE in Dementia Action Week

DACE in Wolverhampton

Thanks to Culture Dementia UK who arranged for David Truswell from DACE to speak as the main guest at a day on Dementia Awareness organised by the African Caribbean carers Initiative in Wolverhampton on 23rd May

DACE on the radio

Thanks also to Nubian Life who provided an opportunity for David Truswell of DACE to talk about dementia in the African-Caribbean community on Real Talk Lounge Show on 26th May



Who to follow on Twitter

Dr Shibley Rahman

@dr_shibley

Disabled doctor. Queen's Scholar; 1st class PhD Cam; LLB LLM MBA London; MRCP(UK) - FT carer for mum; interested in ageing, dementia, frailty and delirium

Ronald Amanze

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Stroke survive, always keen to network with others in order to set up a healthy lifestyle and stroke group in Brent/London. Volunteers always needed.

Dr Karan Jutla

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Independent consultant in dementia care promoting cultural competency. Senior Research Associate @Compton_Care Founder and dancer @EclecticDancers

Mohammed A Rauf MBE

@BME_Dementia

BAME Dementia Consultancy, Speaker, P/T PhD, F/T single dad, Chair of Govs. All own views. RT's not necessarily endorsements.

Wendy Mitchell

@WendyPMitchell

Sharing my journey, if anyone chooses to read it, of living as well as I can with dementia near Beverley. Follow my blog - <http://whichmeamitoday.wordpress.com>

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The voice, friend & future of dementia carers. Building a UK wide social movement of carers of PWD, for positive change!

DEEP UK

@DementiaVoices [

The Dementia Engagement and Empowerment Project - DEEP

<http://www.dementiavoices.org.uk> - The U.K Network of Dementia Voices

We welcome any suggestions you have for Twitter commentators, bloggers and websites that you think would be useful for people who are living with dementia from BAME communities and their carers. Send your suggestions to admin@demace.com