THE LEADING SOURCE FOR INFORMATION ON INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY AND DEMENTIA

With compassion for people with intellectual disability and dementia, the NTG is the largest national organization committed to raising global awareness and increasing support system capacity through advocacy, research, training, and education on this issue.

INFORMATION, RESOURCES & SUPPORT

- Developed and promotes use of the NTG Early Detection and Screen for Dementia (NTG-EDSD).
- Promotes the screening and early detection of cognitive decline and referral for assessments.
- Helps with ways to assess ‘cognitive impairment.’
- Developed practice guidelines for health and social care practitioners.
- Organized information on writing dementia care plans and accommodating the CMS ‘Settings’ rule.
- Promotes ‘best practice’ service models and systems of care to meet the unique needs of individuals with intellectual disability and their caregivers.
- Aids families by providing information for coping with dementia and its challenges at home.
- Assists with adaptations of standards of care.
- Institutes public education and training programs.
- Partners with other national organizations on policy, services, and advocacy issues.

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