



DESIGNING FOR PEOPLE WITH DEMENTIA

Older Persons Mental Health

AWARD

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Dementia Training Australia's award winning environmental design education service - available in all States and Territories

An environmental expert is available to provide on-site education, assessment and advice to managers, staff, project managers and architects who are keen to create more enabling environments.

People with dementia, their families and friends are also invited to contribute to the discussion.

The focus could be on using an existing environment more effectively, on planning a new facility, or refurbishing an existing one. This includes aged, hospital and community care settings.

Architect Kirsty Bennett leads the team of consultants whose combined expertise includes architecture, strategic planning, interior design, landscape architecture, nursing, psychology, operational management.

THE SERVICE IS TAILORED TO YOUR NEEDS:

Typically it includes a detailed discussion of the application of evidence based design principles, an assessment of your facility or plan and a discussion of recommendations for improvement.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

The educational component of this service will enable you to

- understand and apply ten principles of designing for people with dementia
- use an assessment tool to assess the strengths and weaknesses of an environment accommodating people with dementia

It is the equivalent of three to five CPD points depending on the duration of the service.professional education.



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A key feature of the DTA's design education service is its collaboration and coordination with the range of education and on site training that is offered by DTA in other areas, such as dementia essentials and change management."

Prof Richard Fleming, Executive director. DTA

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PLACE:

To register your interest in this service please email dta@uow.edu.au or ring 02 4221 5555

A preliminary telephone conversation will be arranged to tailor the service to meet your needs.











