

Project ECHO Dementia

Free CME accredited learning aimed at helping front-line clinicians become local leaders in dementia care.

Twice-monthly innovative, distance-learning clinics for care providers from around WA State, who are joined in a virtual conference room by an interdisciplinary panel of experts in memory loss and dementia. A brief, 15-minute didactic is followed by an hour of case-based learning. Everyone at the table is both a teacher and a learner.

Didactics, case discussions & ongoing mentoring help participants master:

- Best practices around early detection and diagnosis, disclosure, prevention and risk reduction, pharmacological and non-pharmacological interventions, deprescribing, management of comorbidities and behavioral symptoms.
- Billing code accuracy to ensure appropriate compensation.
- Advance care planning guidelines, managing care transitions, family resources & supports.

Clinics, Providers, Patients and their Families all benefit

CLINICS improve workflow, charge capture and efficiency.

PROVIDERS master complexity, benefit from peer engagement, earn up to 30 CMEs.

PATIENTS receive improved access to expert care locally, avoid costly trips to specialists.

Our interdisciplinary team of specialists

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Accreditation

The University of Washington School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Washington School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 30 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. (Each session is 1.25 credits)

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