

Project ECHO® - on Cognitive Impairment: Innovative Strategies and Perspectives

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The ECHO model uses a virtual case-based approach to learning, amplifying the capacity of providers to deliver best practice care to their patients. Participants can share their patient cases for review and feedback from other participating sites and a multidisciplinary team of experts.

Each ECHO Session Features: “All Teach All Learn!”

- 15–20-minute didactic session by a guest subject matter expert
- 5–10-minute case presentation by a participating site
- 20–30-minute case discussion among all participants and subject matter experts

Date/Time	Short Lecture Topic	Featured Subject Matter Expert
4/14/22 Noon - 1:00 pm	Communication with patients with cognitive impairment and their families on issues such as driving	Lidia Vognar, MD, MHS Assistant Professor of Medicine Brown University
4/28/22 Noon - 1:00 pm	Benefits of exercise for cognitive and physical function in older adults with cognitive impairment	Ellen McGough, PT, PhD Professor and Chair Physical Therapy Department University of Rhode Island
5/12/22 Noon - 1:00 pm	Common nutrition and eating challenges for persons with cognitive impairment	Dara LoBuono, PhD, RD Assistant Professor Health & Exercise Science Rowan University
5/26/22 Noon - 1:00 pm	Benefits of music therapy for older adults with cognitive impairment	Nicole O'Malley, MA, MT-BC, NMT/F Assistant Clinical Professor Director of Music Therapy University of Rhode Island

Q: Do we have to participate in all the sessions?

A: We ask that you identify a team from your site to participate in the series. While we encourage the team to participate in all sessions, we understand that not everyone will be able to do so.

Q: Is the information going to be relevant to my team?

A: We are inviting a variety of sites that care for older adults. While they may not all look like your site, the ECHO model’s “all teach all learn” principle ensures you will have the opportunity to get information and feedback related to your specific needs. Unlike traditional webinars with a short Q&A at the end, these sessions are designed to create an interactive learning community.

Q: I have heard that there is an opportunity to present case studies during these sessions. How do you pick who gets to present?

A: The case study presentations and discussions are an integral part of the success of the ECHO model. The more people who are willing to share and participate, the more valuable the sessions are for all. Cases do not necessarily need to align specifically with the current meeting topic as other difficult cases are welcome to be shared. Our team helps facilitate the case presentation process and a link to our case discussion form will be included in your registration confirmation.

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