



# Creating Dementia Friendly Communities: Let's Get Started!

September 24, 2015

Lakehead University Faculty Lounge, Thunder Bay

9:00 am - 3:00 pm (CST)

10:00 am - 4:00 pm (EST)

Contact North sites across Northwestern Ontario

(locations listed inside)



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Health Association  
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## Workshop Objectives:

This interactive workshop will provide participants and their communities with the information and tools needed to become dementia-friendly. The workshop includes presentations, small and large group discussion and hands-on learning activities.

## Presenters:

### **Olivia Mastry, J.D., M.P.H.**

Olivia is the founding partner of The Collective Action Lab, a unique collaborative forum that fosters cross-sector, large scale systems change in the health, older adult service and disability arenas. Olivia combines her training and experience in law, health administration, public health, and conflict resolution to support a disciplined collaboration process that enables organizations to accomplish together what they cannot do alone.



Example collaborations include:

- **ACT on Alzheimer's and Dementia Friendly America**, ACT on Alzheimer's, named one of five high impact nonprofits in aging in 2015, is a statewide collaboration involving over 60 public and private organizations addressing the personal, budgetary and societal impacts of Alzheimer's disease. Olivia is also guiding national replication of ACT through an initiative entitled Dementia Friendly America.
- **Pathways**, a national, multi-stakeholder collaborative seeking to reform long-term services and supports financing at the federal and state levels.
- **Silos to Circles**, a Minnesota collaborative working to foster integration across the continuum to support health at all life stages.

### **David Webster**

David is the Program Manager for Dementia Friendly Communities with the Alzheimer Society of Ontario. David has worked in leadership positions within the non-profit world, in local and provincial level roles, for more than 25 years. He has held positions with the Canadian Red Cross, Hospice Northumberland, and the Alzheimer Society of Peterborough, Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland and Halliburton. Prior to this, David worked in the field of children's mental health. David brings a combination of this work and volunteer experience, his passion for supporting individuals and families through challenging times, and his own personal experience as a care partner, to his newest position focused on empowering individuals and building dementia friendly communities.





## Contact North Sites

(Please note: In order for the workshop to occur at your site,  
we require a minimum of 5 people registered)

**Atikokan: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located within Atikokan High School) 324 Mercury Avenue, Atikokan ON

**Dryden: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located within Dryden Regional Training and Cultural Centre) 100 Casimir Avenue, Room 112D, Dryden ON

**Fort Frances: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located with Confederation College) 440 McIrvine Road, Fort Frances ON

**Geraldton: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

(located within Geraldton Composite High School) 500 Secord Street West, Geraldton ON

**Ignace: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located within CROSSROADS Employment Training and Resource Centre)  
312 Pine Street, Annex Ignace, ON

**Kenora: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located within Confederation College) 900 Golf Course Road, Kenora ON

**Manitouwadge: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

2 Manitou Road West P.O. Box 217, Manitouwadge ON

**Marathon: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

(located within Confederation College) 14 Hemlo Drive, Marathon ON

**Nipigon: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

(located within George O'Neill Public School) 124 Bell Street, Nipigon ON

**Red Lake: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

(located within Red Lake Learning Centre) 232 Howey Street, Red Lake ON

**Sioux Lookout: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

(located within Sioux Lookout Online Learning Centre) 70 Wellington Street, Sioux Lookout ON

**Terrace Bay: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

(located within Terrace Bay Public School) 9 Selkirk Avenue, Terrace Bay ON

*For further information please do not hesitate to contact*

*Ruth Wilford at (807) 766-7298 or [rwilford@lakeheadu.ca](mailto:rwilford@lakeheadu.ca)*



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[PLEASE PRINT AND COMPLETE ALL ITEMS]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last Middle Initial

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street Apt #  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Prov/State Postal/Zip Code

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

### WORKSHOP (Fees include GST)

Registration Deadline: September 17, 2015

(Check One)

Before  
Sept 1

After  
Sept 1

Fees  
Enclosed

Registration Fee for Delegates

☐ \$60

☐ \$85

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee for seniors, People living with dementia

☐ \$25

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee for volunteers, students

☐ \$45

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

### How are you participating in this event?

Face-to-Face ☐ Contact North ☐ (Site Location) \_\_\_\_\_

(Student subsidies are available upon request)

Method of Payment: (please check one)

☐ CHEQUE ☐ MONEY ORDER ☐ VISA ☐ MASTERCARD

[Cheque or Money Order Payable To: Lakehead University - CERAH]

Card Holder Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date (Month/Year) \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Cardholder \_\_\_\_\_

### How to Register:

MAIL, FAX or Email COMPLETED FORM TO:

Centre for Education and Research on Aging & Health

Lakehead University

Balmoral Street Centre

955 Oliver Road, Thunder Bay, Ontario P7B 5E1

Phone: 807.766-7298

Fax: 807.766-7222

Website: <http://cerah.lakeheadu.ca>

Email: [cerah@lakeheadu.ca](mailto:cerah@lakeheadu.ca)

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Authorization #: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: If your organization is sponsoring your registration fee, we require the organization's complete address for receipt purposes. Registration Fee includes: lunch, break refreshments, and workshop materials. If you need to cancel your registration, please contact CERAH as soon as possible.