



**Module 2 Worksheet
“INTRODUCTION TO DEMENTIA”**

- (Screen 6)** Alzheimer’s disease is a “terminal disease.” If you do not die from or of something else first, you will eventually die from Alzheimer’s disease.
a) True b) False
- (Screen 6)** Almost _____ percent of people over the age of 85 are at risk of developing Alzheimer’s disease.
- (Screen 6 and Screen 6-Critical Concept Pop-up)** List at least 3 additional facts about dementia not listed above.
a) _____
b) _____
c) _____
- (Screen 9)** List and describe the 7 basic “thinking abilities” that can be affected by dementia.
a) _____
b) _____
c) _____
d) _____
e) _____
f) _____
g) _____

5. **(Screen 9-Motor Skills Video)** List at least 2 examples of a loss of motor skills for a person living with dementia.
- a)
 - b)
6. **(Screen 9-Language Video)** When a person has trouble using language or remembering the right words, you can focus less on words and more on:
-
7. **(Screen 11-Critical Concept Pop-up)** Define the following:
- a) “Dementia” –

 - b) “Alzheimer’s Disease (AD)” –

 - c) “Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI)” –
8. **(Screen 11-Critical Concept Pop-up and Screen 16-Critical Concept Pop-up)**
True or False:
- Dementia is a general term that describes a group of symptoms.
 - a) True
 - b) False

 - Race/ethnicity is the greatest risk factor for developing Alzheimer’s disease.
 - a) True
 - b) False

 - Currently, there is no treatment that will prevent, stop, or reverse Alzheimer’s disease. But, there are some types of *dementia* that can be reversed.
 - a) True
 - b) False

- Men have a higher risk of developing Alzheimer’s than women.
 - a. True
 - b) False

- Other risk factors of Alzheimer’s disease include family history, genetics, and diet and lifestyle.
 - a. True
 - b) False

9. **(Screen 11-Critical Concept Pop-up)** Alzheimer’s disease is the most common form of dementia. It accounts for _____ % to _____ % of all dementia cases.

10. **(Screen 12)** List the 3 main stages of Alzheimer’s disease (not including normal thinking or end stage).

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

11. **(Screen 16-Critical Concept Pop-up)** List 3 conditions that can cause dementia-like symptoms (and can be treated).

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____

12. **(Screen 18)** List 3 non-drug therapies or treatments that might prevent or lessen dementia-related behavior.

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____

13. **(Screen 18-CARES Tip Pop-up)** Non-drug treatments can slow the Alzheimer’s disease process.

- a) True
- b) False