

Announcing Zoom Dementia Series Workshop: for Providers, Caregivers, Friends, and Advocates of Persons Living with Memory Loss



Michael Splaine is owner and principal in Splaine Consulting, a small advocacy and government affairs consulting firm based in Washington D.C. Immediately prior to starting this company, Mike was Director of State Government Affairs in the Public Policy Division of the U.S. Alzheimer's Association with whom he enjoyed a 23-year career. While at the Alzheimer's Association Mike launched the campaign to get every state and territory to develop a comprehensive state Alzheimer's & Related Dementias (ARD) plan, including advising for the Hawaii's State Plan. While consulting with Alzheimer's Disease International he has continued to be an intellectual godfather and advocate for national plans especially in lower and middle income states and island nations of the Carribean.

He is the managing partner of Recruitment Partners LLC focused on improving the pace, quality and diversity of recruitment into dementia clinical trials.

Mike is a consultant to the U.S. Alzheimer's Association/CDC Healthy Brain Initiative and recently was the lead on behalf of the Association on its Road Map for Indian Country document and now its related outreach. Mike also serves as a consultant to the International Psychogeriatric Association and the International Indigenous Aging Association (IA²).

Mike and his team have been deeply involved in delivering community-based analysis, summits and action planning on persons living alone with dementia for the past two years, and his company supports a direct service *Living Alone and Connected*, a private online Facebook group of persons living alone with dementia and a related open resource page and blog.

He has been policy adviser for Alzheimer's Disease International and teaches dementia policy classes at two U.S. universities. Mike makes his home in Columbia, Maryland with his amazing wife Sandy.

Can a Person with Dementia Live Alone?

Thursday, April 28, 2022, 10-11:30am Hawaii Time

Mr. Splaine will cover:

- How many people with dementia live alone?
- What are the risks for persons living alone with dementia?
- What have we learned from persons successfully living alone with dementia?
- How can we support persons living in single person households with dementia?
- How friends, relatives, advocates, neighbors, and service providers can help

Advance Registration is required at this link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/can-a-person-with-dementia-live-alone-tickets-320983790157>

The Zoom link & handouts will be sent to registrants before the session.

Sorry, no CEs or certificates are available for this presentation.

For questions about the workshops please contact:

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