

Enhanced Dementia Practice for Social Workers

Understanding Dementia – Living the Life

Q1. In his testimony, Peter says that “everybody with dementia has a different set of problems”. What else would you need to consider in making sure a person with a diagnosis of dementia received individualised care, treatment and support? Think about your answer in relation to different backgrounds, needs and abilities.

Q2. Eileen talks of her feelings at the time of her father's diagnosis. What other complex issues and feelings might carers experience at this time?