

Alzheimer's Support Group

enhancing the lives of people affected by alzheimer's



What is an Alzheimer's Association support group?

A safe place to learn, offer and receive helpful tips, and meet others coping with Alzheimer's disease or another dementia. Meetings typically take place monthly, are always free, and are open to the public.

In some areas, specially designed support groups are available for people with early-stage memory loss, male caregivers, adult children caregivers, younger partners and frontotemporal degeneration. Some groups provide transportation service or care for people with dementia during the meetings.

Why do you need a support group?


Participation in a support group can be an empowering experience, helping members feel better prepared to cope with their unique situation, more able to confront their daily problems, and more hopeful about their future.

For information and assistance finding a group near you, please call the Alzheimer's Association 24/7 Helpline, at 800.272.3900 or visit alz.org/greatermissouri.

If you are a student wanting to observe the group, please call the Alzheimer's Association at 800.272.3900 for approval. Support groups are closed to care providers promoting their services.

This list is updated regularly; however, it is **highly recommended** that you call the facilitator to confirm meeting time, date, and location.

ALZConnected (alzconnected.org) is a free online message board for caregivers and those who have Alzheimer's or another related dementia. If you cannot attend an in-person group, ALZConnected may be a support solution for you.

Caregiver Support Groups			alzheimer's  association® 800-272-3900		
County	Facilitator	Address	City/State	Phone	Meeting Time
Audrain					
208 Missouri Veteran's Home	Rita Davidson	1 Veteran's Drive	Mexico, MO	573-581-1088 ext. 1273	3 rd Wednesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00pm
Boone					
218 Adult Children as Caregivers	Patty Gibbs Donna Ostercamp	2400 Bluff Creek	Columbia, MO	573-445-5319 573-823-2077	3 rd Tuesday of each month at 5:30pm; enter on the basement level side
231 Breakfast Club for Caregivers and Loved Ones with Dementia	Amelia Cottle	3710 S. Lenoir St.	Columbia, MO	573-808-4972	Last Wednesday of each month at 9:30am in the Grill.
232 Men Emerging as Caregivers	Amelia Cottle	3710 S. Lenoir St.	Columbia, MO	573-808-4972	3 rd Thursday of each month at 1:00pm in the Little Chapel in the Community Room
233 Days of Our Lives (Women's Caregiver Support Group)	Amelia Cottle	3710 S. Lenoir St.	Columbia, MO	573-808-4972	4 th Tuesday of each month at 1:30pm in the Arts & Crafts room in the Community Room
220 Provision Living	Laurie Schanot	2333 Chapel Hill Rd	Columbia, MO	573-234-1091	2 nd Wednesday of each month from 6:30 to 8:00pm in the private dining room

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205 *Early Stage Memory Loss Group	April Bernhardt Janie Shelburn	MU Adult Day Connection 137 Clark Hall (corner of Rollins & Providence)	Columbia, MO	573-268-5107	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30pm
Callaway					
206 Fulton Support Group	Lois Long Rhonda Cundiff	718 Court St.	Fulton, MO	573-642-3691 573-826-1050	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 11:00am to noon at the First Presbyterian Church
Camden					
227 Men Emerging as Caregivers	David Tomlinson	5384 Osage Beach Parkway	Osage Beach, MO	573-280-4129	2 nd Wednesday of each month 11:00am to 1:00pm at Wicked Willies
215 Lake Regional Health System	Sabrina Siebenmorgen	54 Hospital Dr.	Osage Beach, MO	573-346-5654	3 rd Thursday of each month from 1:00 to 3:30pm in Conference Room D
Cape Girardeau					
133 The Lutheran Family & Children's Services	Carol Dippold Gabrielle Krus	3178 Blattner Dr.	Cape Girardeau, MO	573-334-5866	2 nd Monday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30pm
134 The Lutheran Home	Stephanie Simmons Dolly Jewel	2825 Bloomfield Rd.	Cape Girardeau, MO	573-335-0158 573-225-2738	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm
144 Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group at the Library	Carol Dippold Gabrielle Krus	711 Clark St	Cape Girardeau, MO	573-334-5866	3 rd Wednesday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am
168 Greater SEMO Dementia Support Group	Norm Meyer	Iron Mountain Railroad Depot 252 E. Jackson Blvd	Jackson, MO	502-550-0987	1 st Wednesday of each month from 1:00 to 2:30pm
Christian					
166 Cassidy United Methodist Church	Heidi Foster	5151 N. Fremont Rd.	Fremont Hills, MO	417-832-0577	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00pm

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Cole					
202 Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group	Betty Berendzen	Capital Region Medical Center 1432 Southwest Blvd.	Jefferson City, MO	573-632-5593	2 nd Thursday of each month from 12:00pm (noon) to 1:30pm in the Oakview Conference Room
Franklin					
161 Washington Public Library	Terri Bapst	410 Lafayette St.	Washington, MO	636-527-9330	4 th Tuesday of each month from 2:00 to 3:30pm
203 Union United Methodist Church Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group	Georgia Miller Jeanette Long	848 W. Main St.	Union, MO	636-744-3106	1 st Tuesday of each month from 6 to 7:30pm
Greene					
224 Cox Alzheimer's Support Group	Judee Steward	Meyer Ortho & Rehab Center, Ozark Room 3535 S National Ave	Springfield, MO	417-269-3616	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 3:00 to 4:00pm. Respite care provided. Please call in advance.
216 King's Way United Methodist Church	Jennifer McBride	2401 S Lone Pine Ave.	Springfield, MO	417-718-6822 If no answer, leave a message.	2 nd Monday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30pm.
200 Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group	Randy Rogers Heidi Foster	1146 E Lakewood St	Springfield, MO	417-832-0577	1 st Tuesday of each month at Maple Wood Alzheimer's Special Care Center from 1:30 to 3:00pm
204 Willard First Baptist Church	Carol Bourbina	202 W. Jackson	Willard, MO	417-742-3071	1 st Tuesday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30pm. Respite care provided. Enter from back.
180 Republic Dementia Caregiver Support Group	Rhonda Braker	Republic Community Center 711 E. Miller Rd.	Republic, MO	417-872-7021	2 nd Wednesday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am in Room C.
Howell					
222 West Plains Alzheimer's Group	Vena Shaffer Cynthia Hailer Bob Anderson	750 W. Broadway	West Plains, MO	417-496-1948 417-593-4418 417-293-1119	2 nd Tuesday of each month at West Plains Public Library from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm
Jasper					
212	Melissa James	1901 Buena Vista	Carthage, MO	417-358-1937	3 rd Wednesday of each month from 4:30 to 6:00pm

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Carthage Health & Rehab					
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Jefferson					
110 Crystal Oaks Skilled Nursing	Michelle Rolfi Sharon Head Debbie Holmes	1500 Calvary Church Rd.	Festus, MO	636-933-2927	1 st Wednesday of each month from 3:00 to 4:30pm
124 First Baptist Church of Festus/Crystal City	Debi Govero	107 N. Truman Blvd.	Crystal City, MO	573-760-2386	1 st Friday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am
173 Arnold Dementia Support Group	Alexis Lauer Kris Stark	2012 Missouri State Rd	Arnold, MO	636-544-8065 573-701-4107	3rd Tuesday of every month from 1:30 to 3:00pm in rooms 2 and 3 of the Family Life Center
Laclede					
213 Lebanon-Laclede Library	Pam Kasiske	915 S. Jefferson	Lebanon, MO	417-532-3999	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 12:30 to 2:00pm
Lawrence					
223 Oak Pointe of Monett	Kathy Shepard	1011 Old Aripport Rd.	Monett, MO	417-235-3500	1 st Wednesday of each month from 11:00 am to 12:30pm
Lincoln					
171 Lincoln County Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group	Paul Huff	101 St. Stephen Ln.	Troy, MO	636-528-4148	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00 pm
Macon					
236 Loch Haven Nursing Home	Barbara Primm Stacy Wood	701 Sunset Hills Fr.	Macon, MO	660-385-3113	2 nd Monday of each month from 5:30 to 7:00pm; light dinner served
Marion					
228 Beth Haven Nursing Home	Darci Clatt	2500 Pleasant St.	Hannibal, MO	573-221-6000	3 rd Wednesday of each month from 4:00 to 5:30pm
237 Monroe City Manor Care Center	Nancy Voepel	1010 US-36 BUS & US Hwy 36	Monroe City, MO	573-735-2010	1 st Tuesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00pm
Morgan					
129 Morgan County Alzheimer's Support Group – Laurie	Dina Dunklee Stephanie Pryor	610 Hwy O	Laurie, MO	573-378-5438 573-378-3382	3 rd Thursday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am

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244 Morgan County Alzheimer's Support Group – Versailles	Dina Dunklee Stephanie Pryor	104 W. Lafayette St.	Versailles, MO	573-378-5438 573-378-3382	1 st Tuesday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am
Phelps					
145 Presbyterian Manor	Joelle Freeland	1200 Homelife Plaza	Rolla, MO	573-364-7336	3 rd Thursday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30pm in the Community Room
245 Phelps Regional Homecare	Sally Becker	575 Blues Lake Parkway	Rolla, MO	573-364-2425	1 st Tuesday of each month from 4:00 to 5:30pm in the downstairs Conference Room
Pettis					
132 Sedalia Alzheimer's Support Group	Kathy Medlock	200 S. Limit	Sedalia, MO	660-851-0668	1 st Thursday of each month from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.
Perry					
169 Perry County Memorial Hospital	Michelle Perez	439 N. West St.	Perryville, MO	573-579-2536	4 th Thursday of each month from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Saline					
246 Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group	Sarah Griggs Sheryl Randall	Fitzgibbon Hospital 2305 S. 65 Highway 65340	Marshall, Mo.	660-886-9676	3 rd Tuesday of each month in the Classroom Suite (upstairs) from 5:30to 7:00pm
Scotland					
221 Scotland County Care Center	Laura Schenk	434 E. Sigler	Memphis, MO	660-465-7221	3 rd Thursday of each month from 6:30 to 8:00pm
St. Charles					
142 ++Nurses & Company	Laura Kriss Miriam Wetter	115 Piper Hill Dr.	St. Peters, MO	636-926-3722	2 nd Thursday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm, 2 nd Floor
130 Heritage Pointe – Country Kitchen	Ashley Blattel	250 Savannah Terrace	Wentzville, MO	636-262-0163	2 nd Monday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am
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121	Wanda Hults	St. Charles Community	St. Peters	636-346-7491	1 st Tuesday of each month from

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*Early Stage Graduates		Commons 427 Spencer Rd.			10:30am till noon
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St. Francois					
123 Farmington Area Senior Center	Susan Burris	607 Wallace Rd.	Farmington, MO	573-756-9800	4 th Thursday of each month from 2:00 to 3:30pm
St. Louis					
136 Male Caregiver Experience - West	Chuck Jahneke Jim Miget	Reliv 136 Chesterfield Industrial Blvd.	Chesterfield, MO	314-495-3149 314-607-0531	1 st Tuesday of each month from 10:00am to 11:30am
135 Male Caregiver Experience - Central	Mark Fitzgerald Craig Rydgig	Alzheimer's Assoc. 9370 Olive Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-398-1522 618-225-0665	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 10:00am to 11:30am
101 For Adult Children Caregivers	Doug Orms	Parkway United Church of Christ 2841 N. Ballas Rd.	St. Louis, MO	636-448-6682	1 st Tuesday of each month at 7pm
102 For Adult Children Caregivers	Cindy Jung Erika Nilles-Plumlee	Alzheimer's Assoc. 9370 Olive Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-610-0437 785-550-4793	2 nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm
162 For Younger Partner Caregivers	Terri Hosto Andrea Denny				
242 Garden View Care Center - Chesterfield	Kelly O'Donnell	1025 Chesterfield Point Pkwy.	Chesterfield, MO	636-537-3333	2 nd Wednesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm
103 ++ The Adult Day Center at the J	Ashley Stockman Kristen Conard	2 Millstone Campus Dr.	St. Louis, MO	314-442-3245	1 st Monday of each month from 3:00 to 4:30pm, Lower Level
160 ++ The J Jewish Community Center – Arts & Education Building	Ashley Stockman Kristen Conard	2 Millstone Campus Dr.	St. Louis, MO	314-442-3245	3 rd Friday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am, Ground Level
106 Beloved Community United Methodist Church	Marie Meisel James Williams Marilyn Depke	3115 Park Ave.	St. Louis, MO	618-977-7066 314-368-3127 636-532-1265	1 st Wednesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00pm
155 St. Thomas Holy Spirit Lutheran Church	Terry Burns	3980 S. Lindbergh Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-276-8549	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm
111 Delmar Gardens North	Kathy Gallyoun	4401 Parker Rd.	Florissant, MO	314-355-1516	3 rd Saturday of each month from 9:00 to 10:30am

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138 Mother of Good Counsel Home	Jeff Scheer	6825 Natural Bridge	St. Louis, MO	314-446-2425	Last Saturday of each month from 10:30am till noon. No meeting in November or December
107 ++ Cardinal Ritter Senior Services	Cheryl Woodruff	7663 Watson Rd.	St. Louis, MO	314-918-2295	4 th Tuesday of each month (except December) from 1:30 to 3:00pm
131 Laclede Groves	Abby Frye	723 S. Laclede Station Rd.	St. Louis, MO	314-446-2536	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 5:30 to 7:00pm Contact facilitator for directions to meeting room.
148 Ascension Living Sherbrooke Village	Cindy Strohm Sandy Jones	4005 Ripa Ave.	St. Louis, MO	314-763-7252 314-607-9948	Last Monday of each month from 3:00 to 4:30pm
125 First Presbyterian Church	Alice Bowen David Evans	100 E. Adams	Kirkwood, MO	314-822-1177	3 rd Saturday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am
112 Delmar Gardens South	Darlene Coats	5300 Butler Hill Rd.	St. Louis, MO	314-842-0588	4 th Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm
139 Nazareth Living Center	Sheila Chibnall-Treptow Angela Kalinowski	2 Nazareth Lane	St. Louis, MO	314-649-4686	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 1:00 to 2:30pm
128 Garden View Care Center – Dougherty Ferry	Leatha Mason Ethel Canady	13612 Big Bend Rd.	St. Louis, MO	636-861-0500	2 nd Wednesday of each month from 6:00 to 7:00pm
164 Meramec Bluffs Senior Living	Carla Schmidt	1 Meramec Bluffs Dr.	Ballwin, MO	636-923-2364	1 st Thursday of each month from 9:30 to 11:00am
141 NHC of Maryland Heights	Maria McAllister David Hildebrand	2920 Fee Fee Rd.	Maryland Heights, MO	314-291-1020	3 rd Thursday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm
154 St. Paul's Lutheran Church	Lauren Erdelen	12345 Manchester Rd.	Des Peres, MO	636-219-1116	4 th Tuesday of each month (except December) from 2:00 to 3:30pm
137 Missouri Veteran's Home – North	Buffy Huffman	10600 Lewis & Clark Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-340-6839	Last Tuesday of each month from 1:00 to 2:30pm
243 Friendly Village Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group	Charlena Johnson John Brooks	5545 Wells Ave	St. Louis, MO	(314) 439-5799	3 rd Saturday of each month from 10:00 to 11:30am

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113 *Early Stage Graduates	Marta Goldberg Lori Condict	Alzheimer's Assoc. 9370 Olive Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-324-1688 314-489-4772	4 th Wednesday of each month at 1:30pm
117 *Early Stage Graduates – Happy Hour	Laurie Justiss	Alzheimer's Assoc. 9370 Olive Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	214-528-7979	3 rd Tuesday of each month at 4:30pm
115 *Early Stage Graduates	Melissa DuPerrett	Parkway United Church of Christ 2841 N. Ballas Rd.	St. Louis, MO	314-757-7249	1 st Tuesday of each month at 7pm
119 *Early Stage Graduates	Debbie Eldridge	Salem United Methodist Church 1200 S. Lindbergh Blvd.	St. Louis, MO	314-918-7410	1 st Wednesday of each month at 7pm
Taney					
219 Faith Lutheran – The Keepers	Judy Rose	221 Malone St.	Branson, MO	417-348-1740	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 6:30 to 8:00pm
Texas					
175 Cabool Senior Center Dementia Support Group	Karen Rust	910 Cherry St	Cabool, MO	417-259-7093	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 6:30 to 7:30pm
Warren					
151 St. John's Lutheran Church	Marilyn Foster Molly Hendershot Cheri Hofeldt	950 S. State Highway 47	Warrenton, MO	636-456-2888 636-488-5751	1 st Thursday of each month from 1:00 to 2:30pm
Webster					
165 Marshfield Senior Center	Chris Parker	417 W Washington St	Marshfield, MO	417-859-3555	3 rd Tuesday of each month from 4:00 to 5:30pm
Illinois					
Madison					
104 Alton Memorial Hospital – Senior Renewal	Julie Clayton	1 Memorial Dr.	Alton, IL	618-920-5212	2 nd Friday of each month from 2:00 to 4:00pm
149 St. John's Community Care	Gail Shaw Diane Nelson	222 Goethe Ave	Collinsville, IL	618-344-5008	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00pm

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Monroe					
143 Oak Hill –“In the Moment”	Julia Olszewski	623 Hamacher St.	Waterloo, IL	618-939-3488 ext. 1248	Last Thursday of each month from 7:00 to 8:30pm (Nov – 3 rd Thursday; December – No meeting)
Marion					
146 Grace United Methodist Church	Tiffany Baity Tina Henson Jenny Sullens	116 E. Schwartz St..	Salem, IL	618-322-0095 618-292-9583 618-292-8058	2 nd Thursday of each month from 6:30 to 8:00pm in the Fireplace Room
St. Clair					
158 SWIC's Programs & Services for Older Adults	Jodi Gardner Rebecca Rieso	201 N. Church St.	Belleville, IL	618-234-4410 ext. 7031	2 nd Tuesday of each month from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m.

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