

Petal “Resilience in Aging” Conference

More than just forgetting: Alzheimer’s and Dementia

Caregiver Resources:

Alzheimer’s Association free 24/7 Helpline (800.272.3900), staffed by master’s-level clinicians and specialists, provides confidential support and information to all those affected in over 200 languages.

[ALZConnected®](#), an online community where people with Alzheimer’s and their caregivers can ask questions and find support.

[Community Resource Finder](#), a comprehensive database of programs and services, housing and care services, and legal experts, allows people to locate resources in their communities.

[Alzheimer's Navigator](#) helps guide Caregivers to answers by creating a personalized action plan and linking you to information, support and local resources.

[Navigating Alzheimer's and Related Dementia: A Roadmap for Families](#)

[Mississippi State Agency Services for Older Adults](#) is a document that has over 40 pages of local resources including respite care, financial assistance programs, legal services and more.

[Caregiver University](#) - is a multiple-session training program for family caregivers, focused on a variety of topics surrounding care delivery and support for individuals with Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias.

[Dementia Care Navigation Service](#)

Respite grants:

[Lifespan Respite](#)

[Hilarity for Charity](#)

[Respite Innovation](#)

Support Groups:

Hattiesburg

Senior Helpers

4009 O'Ferral St.

1st Wednesday 11am-12:30pm

Kelsea Weldon 601.909-0409

Laurel

South Central Place

2260 MS 15

Laurel, MS 39440

Last Friday of each month at 11:00am

Aubree Middleton 601.399.610

For professionals:

[Alzheimer’s Impact Movement](#)

Primary Care: [Project ECHO](#), [Care planning tool kit](#), [Cognitive screening & Assessment](#)

[State of Mississippi Strategic Plan for Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementias](#)

[Public Health](#) / [Healthy Brain Initiative](#)

[Direct Care Staff](#) / [Senior Living](#)