Receiving a diagnosis of Alzheimer’s disease or a related dementia is difficult enough, but adapting the environment, whether it be at home or in a residential care setting, to best address the needs and safety of an older person presents a major challenge. **In this program you will:**

- Learn about the changes in the body and brain brought on by Alzheimer’s disease
- Identify ways in which the environment can affect people with dementia
- Gain ideas for practical home enhancements that will help caregivers support their aging loved ones
- Identify potential hazards and safety concerns in the home while ensuring that independence is maintained
- Discover how to create a supportive environment in a long-term care setting

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Monday, October 27