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DEMENTIA TRAINING STUDY CENTRES

'Continence'

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Date: 25 February 2015
Time: 1.00pm to 2.00pm
Venue: Session to be broadcast by video conference on the Telehealth Network to the Kimberley, Pilbara and Wheatbelt regions

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The WA Dementia Training Study Centre (WADTSC) and WA Country Health Service (WACHS) are holding a one hour video conference information session to the Kimberley, Pilbara and Wheatbelt regions on Wednesday 25 February to provide information and training to health professionals on continence.

The session will provide practical information which can easily be adopted in the workplace. Health professionals working in acute, residential or community settings are encouraged to attend, particularly those caring for people living with dementia.

Overview of presentation

Incontinence is not an inevitable consequence of Dementia, but can be a major issue

This session aims to improve continence care for those with dementia.

- Impact of dementia on bladder and bowel function
- Assessing the continence problems
- Management strategies to support the person with dementia and incontinence

If you and your work colleagues would like to participate in this video conference presentation, could one person from your workplace please register online at **https://register.eventarc.com/27253/continence-video-conference-kimberley-pilbara-and-wheatbelt-regions**

Once your work video conference site attendance is registered I will forward bridge details to the registered person and a full staff attendance list can be taken on the day. I will also forward additional dementia resources to the registered person.

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