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Help Shape Young Onset Dementia Research



Join the DEFIN-YD Research Involvement Group

Are you living with young onset dementia in the United Kingdom?

Why Join?

- ✓ Meet others living with young onset dementia – share experiences & build connections
- ✓ Influence dementia research – your voice will help shape studies that matter to you
- ✓ Share your insights – help researchers understand your challenges & needs
- ✓ Help set research priorities – have a say in the future of dementia studies

What's Involved?

- 📺 Monthly online Zoom meetings – your choice of day
- 🕒 Meeting duration – 1 hour and 30 minutes
- ✉️ Easy preparation – we will send information & materials before each meeting
- 👤 Support provided – a facilitator & researcher will guide discussions & offer assistance
- 💳 Reimbursement – for your time, for you or to fund future research

Who Can Join?

We are looking for people who were diagnosed with dementia under the age of 65, who are interested in contributing to research and connecting with others. No prior research experience required, just a willingness to share thoughts & experiences.

How To Join?

✉️ Contact Us:

DEFIN-YD Co-ordinating Team: defin@academyfordementia.org

DEFIN-YD Lead Professor: Jacqueline Parkes

**Your experiences and insights can make a real difference
in shaping the future of dementia research**

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