

# Dementia Unpacked: From Age-Associated Financial Decline to Major Neurocognitive Disorder



**This course describes common forms of dementia and their associated behavioral issues and will address many of the challenges in working with clients with dementia including how to communicate more effectively with these clients.**

## Learning Objectives

- Attendees will explore differences between normal aging and Major Neurocognitive Disorder/Dementia, including issues such as age associated financial decline.
- Attendees will learn to differentiate between forms of dementia and their particular behavioral challenges.
- Attendees will review how they communicate with clients experiencing cognitive impairment in order to improve capacity in the moment.
- Attendees will learn techniques to analyze client behaviors, such as those associated with Major Neurocognitive Disorder/Dementia, in order to understand the meaning behind them.



## VIRTUAL EVENTS

This course will be conducted remotely through **Zoom** and will be offered twice on the following dates and times:

**Date: June 2, 2022**  
**Time: 9:30 am - 12:00 pm**

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**Date: June 7, 2022**  
**Time: 9:30 - 12:00 pm**



## REGISTRATION

**The registration due date for this training is May 16th, 2022.**

*\*Zoom link will be sent with registration confirmation*



## AUDIENCE

This virtual workshop is intended for all levels of APS professionals, including line staff, supervisors, managers and trainers.

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## Meet the Trainers

### **Erik Lande, Ph.D., Founder of Insight Neuropsychology; Lecturer, University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB); Consultant with Ventura County APS Rapid Response Expert Team**

Dr. Lande is a licensed psychologist with a specialty in neuropsychology. Currently Dr. Lande operates Insight Neuropsychology, where his team provides neuropsychological assessment, capacity assessment, psychotherapy and behavioral consultations in Ventura County and the surrounding counties. He also lectures in the graduate program at University of California, Santa Barbara. He provides professional trainings throughout the state, including to law enforcement and county services. Dr. Lande is also a consulting neuropsychologist with the Ventura County Adult Protective Services Rapid Response Expert Team, is on the Board of Directors of the Ventura County Adult Abuse Prevention Council and is a member of the Professional Advisory Council for the Brain Injury Center in Ventura. Dr. Lande has released a book, "Does My Mom Have Dementia," which explores the process of dementia diagnosis, treatment, and coping for family and caregivers.

### **Andre Petrossian, Psy.D., post-doctoral fellow Insight Neuropsychology**

Dr. Petrossian earned his doctorate in clinical psychology from California Lutheran University and completed his pre-doctoral internship at the VA Illiana Healthcare System in Danville Illinois. Andre has provided online and in-person therapy, in addition to both psychological and neuropsychological assessment services to individuals across the lifespan in both Ventura and Los Angeles County. In his spare time, he enjoys playing hockey, learning new songs on the guitar, and spending time with his fiancée and her Siberian Husky, Benny.

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## Virtual Training Protocol

- Download or update the most recent version of [Zoom](#)
- Always use a headset, microphone, and have camera on when possible
- Use "Computer Audio" for optimal experience
- Consider logging in 10 minutes early to troubleshoot tech challenges
- Limit distractions, prepare your workspace, find comfortable seating

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## Continuing Education

This course meets the qualifications for continuing education credits for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Science for a total of 2 continuing credits. The Academy is approved by the California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists to sponsor continuing education for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs and LEPs, Provider #91928. The Academy is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider # BRN CEP15014. The Academy maintains responsibility for this program and its content. Certificates will be available for download 5-7 business days after course completion. **There is no cost for CEs.** Click here for information on how to [obtain CE Certificates](#).



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