In-Person Dementia Support Groups

Alzheimer's Disease and/or Related Dementia Caregiver
2nd Monday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
KU Clinical Research Center
Fairway Auditorium
4350 Shawnee Mission Pkwy, Fairway, KS
Contact: Phyllis Switzer
913.588.6981 or pswitzer@kumc.edu

Central Western Kansas Care Partner
1st Tuesday of each month, 5:30-7:00pm
Hoisington Public Library
169 S. Walnut, Hoisington, KS
Contact: Michelle Niedens
913.945.7310 or cniedens2@kumc.edu

Early-Stage Care Partner
For care partners of those with Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or early-stage dementia.
2nd Tuesday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
Church of the Resurrection
13720 Roe Ave., Leawood, KS
Contact: Amy Yeager
913.945.7663 or ayeager3@kumc.edu
*Pre-attendance conversation required

Early-Stage Person Diagnosed
For the person with Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or early-stage dementia.
2nd Tuesday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
Church of the Resurrection
13720 Roe Ave, Leawood, KS
Contact: Michelle Niedens
913.945.7310 or cniedens2@kumc.edu
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Lewy Body Dementia Care Partner
For care partners of those with Lewy Body Dementia (LBD).
1st Thursday of every other month, beginning in April, 3:00-4:30pm
Fairway North, First Floor Conference Room
4330 Shawnee Mission Pkwy, Fairway, KS
Contact: Leah Friesen
913.945.6666 or lfriesen2@kumc.edu

Northland Care Partner
3rd Tuesday of each month, 6:30-8:00pm
Good Shepherd United Methodist
9555 N. Oak Trfy, Kansas City, MO
Contact: Amy Wilson
816.547.1457 or awilson23@kumc.edu

Southeast Kansas Care Partner
3rd Thursday of each month, 10:00-11:30am
Pittsburg Public Library
308 N. Walnut, Pittsburg, KS
Contact: Amy Yeager
913.945.7663 or ayeager3@kumc.edu

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Virtual Dementia Support Groups

**Adult Children Care Partner**
For adult children of those diagnosed with any type of dementia.
4th Thursday of each month, 6:00-7:30pm
Contact: Olivia Doucas
913.588.1945 or odoucas2@kumc.edu
*Pre-attendance conversation recommended

**Care Partner**
2nd Wednesday of each month, 6:30-8:00pm
Contact: Arlin Bohn
913.588.3349 or abohn2@kumc.edu

**Early-Stage Care Partner**
For care partners of those with Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or early-stage dementia.
4th Monday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
Contact: Mellissa Currie
913.945.7891 or mcurrie@kumc.edu
*Pre-attendance conversation required

**Early-Stage Person Diagnosed**
For the person with Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or early-stage dementia.
4th Wednesday of each month, 10:00-11:00am
Contact: Michelle Niedens
913.945.7310 or cniedens2@kumc.edu
*Pre-attendance conversation required

**Lewy Body Dementia Care Partner**
For care partners of those with Lewy Body Dementia (LBD).
3rd Thursday of each month, 3:00-4:30pm
Contact: Leah Friesen
913.945.6666 or lfriesen2@kumc.edu

**Spouse/Partner Care Partner**
For spouses/partners of those with middle to late-stage dementia.
2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
Contact: Jea Castrop-May
913.945.7402 or jcastrop-may@kumc.edu

**Younger Onset Care Partner**
For care partners of those diagnosed with a dementia at age 64 or younger, regardless of type or stage.
3rd Wednesday of each month, 6:00-7:30pm
Contact: Lindsey Northup or Olivia Doucas
913.574.1494 or lnorthup2@kumc.edu
913.588.1945 or odoucas2@kumc.edu

**Frontotemporal Dementia Care Partner**
For care partners of those with Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD).
1st Wednesday of each month, 2:00-3:30pm
Contact: Amy Yeager
913.945.7663 or ayeager3@kumc.edu

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