

**CARE & SUPPORT** 

# PROGRAM CALENDAR

April - June 2024

FEATURING: Free classes and caregiver education.

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Additional class opportunities are being added continuously! For the latest info, contact us at: nmprograms@alz.org or 1 (800) 272-3900.



Real world solutions addressing questions that arise in the various stages of dementia and Alzheimer's disease.

- CARING IN THE EARLY STAGE
- CARING IN THE MIDDLE STAGE
- CARING IN THE LATE STAGE

It's what you need to know, what to plan for, and what to do along the way.

Browse this schedule or contact us for the latest on a class that's just right for you.

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WE OFFER SUPPORT GROUPS FOR CAREGIVERS, INDIVIDUALS LIVING WITH THE DISEASE AND MORE, INCLUDING SPANISH-LANGUAGE AND LGBTQ+.

## **SUPPORT GROUPS**

Support groups provide a sense of connection and peace of mind by providing a safe environment for sharing common experiences.

**Visit:** https://www.alz.org/newmexico/helping\_you/support\_groups\_(1)

Or email us at: nmsupportgroups@alz.org

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## NM Chapter classes

#### **Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia**

#### Virtual: Friday, April 5th, 1pm-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Tuesday, April 23rd, 5:30pm-6:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Friday, May 3rd, 3pm-4pm

Alzheimer's Association Albuquerque office 6731 Academy Rd. NE Albuquerque, NM 87109 To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Friday, May 24th, 3pm-4pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Friday, June 14th, 1:30pm-2:30pm

Broadmoor Senior Center 3241 Broadmoor Blvd. NE Rio Rancho NM 87144

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia

#### **Effective Communication Strategies**

#### Virtual: Thursday, April 4th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Thursday, April 18th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Tuesday, April 23rd, 1:30pm-3:30pm

Brookdale Santa Fe

640 Alta Vista St., Santa Fe, NM 87505

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Tuesday, April 30th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Friday, May 3rd, 4pm-5pm

Alzheimer's Association Albuquerque office 6731 Academy Rd. NE Albuquerque, NM 87109

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Tuesday, May 14th, 1pm-3pm

Brookdale Santa Fe

640 Alta Vista St., Santa Fe, NM 87505

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Tuesday, May 21st, 3pm-4pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Tuesday, June 4th, 10am-12pm

Brookdale Santa Fe

640 Alta Vista St., Santa Fe, NM 87505

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Tuesday, June 18th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Thursday, June 27th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For Effective Communication Strategies

#### 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's

#### Virtual: Friday, April 12th, 3pm-4pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Wednesday, April 17th, 10:30am-11:30am

Tijeras Senior Center

10 Tijeras Ave. Tijeras,, NM 87059

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Thursday, May 2nd, 10m-11am

Loma Colorado Library

755 Loma Colorado Blvd. NE Rio Rancho, NM 87144

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Friday, May 3rd, 1pm-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Friday, June 21st, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For 10 Warning Signs

#### **Healthy Living for Brain and Body**

#### Virtual: Wednesday, April 17th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Virtual: Wednesday, June 5th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For Healthy Living for Brain and Body

#### **Managing Money**

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For Managing Money

#### An Overview of the Dementia World

#### In Person: Tuesday, April 16th, 2pm-3:30pm

Alzheimer's Association Albuquerque office 6731 Academy Rd. NE Albuquerque, NM 87109

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### In Person: Tuesday, May 21st, 2pm-3:30pm

Alzheimer's Association Albuquerque office 6731 Academy Rd. NE Albuquerque NM, 87109

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.



#### In Person: Tuesday, June 18th, 2pm-3:30pm

Alzheimer's Association Albuquerque office 6731 Academy Rd. NE Albuquerque NM, 87109 To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### **Dementia Conversations**

#### Virtual: Thursday, May 9th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look For Dementia Conversations

#### **Understanding Dementia Behaviors**

#### Virtual: Wednesday, May 15th, 11am-12pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 1 (800) 272-3900.

#### Online-On Demand anytime:

www.alz.org/training Look for Understanding Dementia Behaviors

#### **Caring in the Early Stage**

#### Virtual: Wednesday, April 3rd, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### In Person: Tuesday, April 23rd, 1:30pm-4pm

Bear Canyon Senior Center 4645 Pitt St. NE Albuquerque, NM 87111 To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Tuesday, May 7th, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Tuesday, June 11th, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Caring in the Middle Stage

#### Virtual: Wednesday, April 10th, 6pm-8:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Thursday, April 11th, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### In Person: Tuesday, April 30th, 1:30pm-4pm

Bear Canyon Senior Center 4645 Pitt St. NE Albuquerque, NM 87111 To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Tuesday, May 14th, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Wednesday, June 19th, 11am-2pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### **Caring in the Late Stage**

#### Virtual: Thursday, April 25th, 11am-1:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### In Person: Tuesday, May 7th, 1:30pm-3:30pm

Bear Canyon Senior Center 4645 Pitt St. NE Albuquerque, NM 87111 To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Wednesday, May 22nd, 6pm-8:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Thursday, May 23rd, 11am-1:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Wednesday, June 26th, 11am-1:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### Virtual: Wednesday, June 26th, 6pm-8:30pm

To register email: nmprograms@alz.org or call 505.266.4473

#### NOT FINDING WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR?

Additional opportunities are being added continually: seminars, classes, support groups and community forums. For the latest updates, please email nmprograms@alz.org, call 1 (800) 272-3900 or visit alz.org/newmexico.

## **EARLY DETECTION**

#### KNOW THE 10 SIGNS

ONE Memory loss that disrupts daily life

Challenges in planning or solving problems

THREE Difficulty completing familiar tasks

FOUR Confusion with time or place

FIVE Trouble understanding visual images and spatial relationships

New problems with words in speaking or writing

SEVEN Misplacing things and losing the ability to retrace steps

EIGHT Decreased or poor judgement

NINE Withdrawl from work or social activities

TEN Changes in mood and personality





**New Mexico Chapter** 

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RELATED DISORDER ASSOCIATION, INC.
NEW MEXICO CHAPTER:

6731 Academy Rd NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109 Phone: (505) 266-4473

24/7 HELPLINE - 1 (800) 272-3900



### WANTED: VOLUNTEERS

We need your help. Find voluteer opportunites by visiting: alz.org/get-involved-now/volunteer/find-a-volunteer-opportunity

### **SAVE THE DATE**

Caregive Seminar Saturday, June 15th, UNM

Details to Follow, contact nmprograms@alz.org or 505.266.4473



Real world solutions addressing questions that arise during the course of caring for someone with dementia.

Saturday, June 15th,
9:00am to 1:30pm

Continental breakfast and
lunch to be provided.

Seminar is <u>FREE</u> and in person!

This seminar is an in-depth description of this progressive disease. Information is provided about common symptoms and behaviors and shares strategies for caregivers to manage these sometimes difficult situations.

To register, please email: nmprograms@alz.org or call: 1-505-266-4473.



New Mexico Chapter

### **Care & Support Contacts:**

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Albuquerque, NM 87109

NORTHWEST REGION: Call 1-800-292-3900 or 505-266-4473

SOUTHWEST REGION: Penney McClarin, SW Regional Manager pcmclarin@alz.org 505-312-4883 Las Cruces, NM NORTHEAST REGION: Beth Hamilton, NE Regional Manager behamilton@alz.org (505) 365-0678 1409 Luisa St., Suite F Santa Fe, NM 87505

SOUTHEAST REGION: Kim Ryan, SE Regional Manager kiryan@alz.org (505) 317-0978 400 N. Pennsylvania Ave (Penn Plaza -411 Beta Suites -office 2) Roswell NM 88201

#### **OUR MISSION:**

The Alzheimer's Association leads the way to end Alzheimer's and all other dementia — by accelerating global research, driving risk reduction and early detection, and maximizing quality care and support.

#### **OUR VISION:**

A world without Alzheimer's and all other dementia.

#### NEED HELP NOW? CALL OUR 24/7 HELPLINE 1 (800) 272-3900.

Receive reliable information, advice and support from trained, knowledgeable staff. Get referrals to services, education, crisis assistance and emotional support. Care consultations available by master's-level clinicians. Translation services provided.

#### ADVOCACY:

Our advocates play a critical role in our efforts to influence Alzheimer's and dementia policy at the federal and state level. Working together we are making an impact that is improving the lives of caregivers and people with Alzheimer's and dementia. Learn more about our advocacy here: alz.org/get-involved-now/advocate/become\_an\_advocate

Check out our website at www.alz.org/newmexico

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