designing environments for alzheimer’s disease

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Designing a care facility Chicago, IL: Alzheimer’s Association National Office
https://www.alz.org/professionals_and_researchers_designing_a_care_facility.asp

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Chicago, IL: Alzheimer’s Association National Office

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Articles, Journal

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**Books**

Abbott, PS. *Re-creating neighborhoods for successful aging.*

Baltimore, MD: Health Professions Press.

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Anderzhon, J; Hugues, D; Judd, S; et al. *Design for aging: international case studies of building and program (Wiley Series in Healthcare and Senior Living Design).*


Green-Field Library does not own.

Eckhard, F; Ludtke, I. *Living for the elderly.*


Green-Field Library does not own.

Perkins, E. *Building type basics for senior living.*


Green-Field Library does not own.

Rosalyn, C. *Evidence-based healthcare design.*


Green-Field Library does not own.

**Videos**

*Adapting homes to successfully age in place.* Medfield, MA: Aquarius Health Care Videos, 2003. 1 videocassette (25 min.)

“Retirement is no longer a brief interlude between work and death. Older adults often live in older homes in need of significant repair and/or modification. Many homes lack the functional design needed to accommodate for the losses frequently experienced by older adults. Since most older persons wish to remain in their own home it is important to know how to adapt the home environment to successfully age in place.”

Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 27.1 VC no. 865 2003

*The green house project.* Medfield, MA: Aquarius Productions, 2003. 1 videocassette (25 min.)

“The Green House Project is an attempt to design, build and test a radically new approach to residential long-term care for the elderly. It is founded on the idea that the physical and social environments in which we deliver long-term care can and should be warm, smart, and green.”

Green-Field Library Call No.: WT 27.1 VC no. 867 2003

**Web Resources**

*WELLComeHome.* Muncie, IN: Ball State University. Notable are the sections on understanding different abilities, making the kitchen friendly, completing a home assessment, and photographs of user-friendly homes and those with typical problems and potential solutions. [http://www.bsu.edu/wellcomehome/index.html](http://www.bsu.edu/wellcomehome/index.html)
Designing for Dementia in Long-Term Care

Articles, Journal

Abstract: http://generations.metapress.com/content/7q0r172138485853
Green-Field Library owns.

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Cohen-Mansfield, J; Thein, K; Marx, MS; et al. Sources of discomfort in persons with dementia. *JAMA Internal Medicine*. Jul 2013; vol 173(14), pp. 1378-1379.
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Abstract: http://www.nursingresidentialcare.com/cgi-bin/go.pl/library/article.html?uid=98571;article%3DNRC_15_6_438
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**Books**

*Geriatric care by design.* [eBook] Chicago, IL: American Medical Association, 2011. Features: ideas, plans and templates, checklists and tables on structural design, evaluating your medical practice, staffing, role for the family caregiver, health literacy and patient self-management, culturally effective care and health disparities, and medical home-coordination of care. This eBook is in our reference collection.  Send an email to greenfield@alz.org with your request for information from this book.
Green-Field Library owns
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 27.1 B826d 2006

Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 27.1 B826 1997

Contains: Understanding the environment through aging senses, (v. 1); Maximizing cognitive and functional abilities, (v. 2); Minimizing disruptive behaviors, (v. 3), and Enhancing identity and sense of home, (v. 4).
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 200 C912 2001

Leibrock, CA. Caring for people with dementia. IN: *Design details for health: making the most of design’s healing potential*, pp. 27-44. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, 2011
Green-Field Library does not own.

The Namaste care environment. IN: Simard, J. *The end-of-Life Namaste Care Program for people with dementia.*
Describes how to create and use rooms, units, and spaces for sensory-based activities.
Green-Field Library does not own

**Web Resources**

10 helpful hints for dementia design at home.
Stirling, SCT: University of Stirling
http://www.dementiashop.co.uk/products/10-helpful-hints-dementia-design-home
Dementia design info.
Milwaukee, WI: Institute on Aging and Environment: University of Milwaukee.
A Web site for designers, facility providers, and anyone interested in the creation of supportive environments for persons with dementia. Contains searchable databases of environment-aging literature and other practical resources.
http://www4.uwm.edu/dementiadesigninfo

Dementia sensory gardens.
Tim Lynch Associates
http://www.dementiasensorygardens.co.uk/videos

Design guides
Dementia Services Development Centre, University of Stirling
Stirling, Scotland
http://dementia.stir.ac.uk/design/design-guides

Design for people with dementia: an overview of building design regulators- free download.
Stirling, SCT: University of Stirling
http://www.dementiashop.co.uk/products/design-people-dementia-overview-building-design-regulators-free-download

Developing supportive design for people with dementia: the King’s Fund’s Enhancing the Environment Programme, 2009-2012
http://www.kingsfund.org.uk

Health promotion by design in long-term care settings.
A study reporting the physical environment impacts and outcomes in resident quality of life, resident safety, and staff stress.
http://www.healthdesign.org/chd/research/health-promotion-design-long-term-care-settings
Nursing home. Washington DC; National Institute of Building Sciences. Nursing homes present special design challenges in that for most residents the nursing home is not just a facility, but indeed their home. This article discusses building attributes, codes and standards in the U.S. and emerging issues.
http://www.wbdg.org/design/nursing_home.php

Physical environmental cues that support activities of residents with dementia in special care units: a thesis presented to the graduate school of the University of Florida in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of master of interior design. (M.A. Thesis)
Bajaj, P.
http://etd.fcla.edu/UF/UFE0001080/bajaj_p.pdf

Light and lighting design for people with dementia.
Stirling, SCT: University of Stirling
http://www.dementiashop.co.uk/products/light-and-lighting-design-people-dementia

Long-term care for people with dementia: environmental design guidelines
Richard Fleming
Nitin Purandare
Full-text: http://ro.uow.edu.au/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1675&context=hbspapers

Planning and design guide for community-based day care centres.
http://www.alz.co.uk/adi/pdf/daycarecentre.pdf

Questions about the environment: an assessment checklist.
“This caring sheet lists questions a caregiver can ask to discover how well the physical environment is accommodating the strengths and needs of a person with cognitive impairment.”
http://www.lcc.edu/mhap/CARING/Caring22.2010.pdf
**Home & Safety Design**

**Articles**


Full-text: [http://www.kiplinger.com/article/retirement/T066-C000-S001-technology-helps-seniors-stay-at-home.html](http://www.kiplinger.com/article/retirement/T066-C000-S001-technology-helps-seniors-stay-at-home.html)

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Taria, ED; Carlson, J. *Aging in place: designing, adapting, and enhancing the home environment.* Forence, KY: Routlege, 2014.

Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 200 W283 2000

**Web Resources**

*At home with Alzheimer's.*
Ottawa, ON: Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation.
“The safety and security of someone living at home with Alzheimer’s disease can be significantly improved by making minor, low-cost changes in a house or apartment. These practical adaptations will be of help to both the Alzheimer patient and their caregivers.”

*Caregiver's guide to home modification.*
Warner, M.; Warner, E.
[http://www.ec-online.net/Knowledge/Articles/homemodify.html](http://www.ec-online.net/Knowledge/Articles/homemodify.html)
*Center of Design for an Aging Society*. Portland, OR.
Includes information on home design, especially lighting and design plans for lighting, hearing considerations, and ease of access.
http://www.centerofdesign.org

*Evaluating a home safety program with veterans with dementia.*
Horvath, K.
Boston, MA: Boston University.
An evidence-based slide presentation of research and practical recommendations on home safety. Notable are access to firearms, wandering, and modifying general living areas.

*HMRC library (Home Modification Resource Center).*
Los Angeles California: National Resource Center on Supportive Housing and Home Modification.
A directory of home modification resources and consumer information including many full-text articles.
http://www.homemods.org/resources/index.shtml

*Home safety for people with Alzheimer’s disease.*
ADEAR (Alzheimer’s Disease Education and Referral Center), 2007.

*Safety and security.*
Islip, NY: Eldercare Online.
Scroll down to find various articles on home safety, modification, locks, alarms, and deterrents and diversion for wandering.
http://www.ec-online.net/homechannel.htm
**Outdoor Design**

**Articles, Journal**

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Full-text: [http://www.chalfontdesign.com/media/Nursing_ResCare_Vol_7_Issue_10.pdf](http://www.chalfontdesign.com/media/Nursing_ResCare_Vol_7_Issue_10.pdf)  
Green-Field Library does not own.

Chalfont, G. Dementia care garden: innovation in design and practice *Journal of Dementia Care.* Jan-Feb 2008; vol. 16(1), pp. 18-29  
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Abstract: [http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1300/J081v21n01_09#.UydF3PldW8A](http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1300/J081v21n01_09#.UydF3PldW8A)  
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Full-text: http://dem.sagepub.com/content/5/1/139.full.pdf
Green-Field Library owns.

Grant, CF. Garden-use model- an environmental tool for increasing the use of outdoor space by residents with dementia in long-term care facilities. *Journal of Housing for the Elderly*. 2007; vol. 21(1-2), pp. 89-115.
Abstract: http://www.tandfonline.com
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Green-Field Library does not own.

Books and Book Chapters

Green-Field Library does not own.

Chalfont, GE. *Design for nature in dementia care (Bradford Dementia)*
Green-Field Library does not own.

Marcus, CC; Barnes, M., eds. *Healing gardens: therapeutic benefits and design recommendations.*
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 27.1 H434 1999


**Web Resources**

*Dementia care environment audit tool*  
Alzheimer’s Australia  

*Therapeutic garden design: an ASLA professional interest group.*  
This newsletter issue contains a section on current research on the connection to nature and implications for design in dementia care.  
http://host.asla.org/groups/tgdpigroup/TGD_FallWinter04.pdf
Why nature is important to older people and people with dementia.
Chalfont, G.E. IN: Connection to nature at the building edge: towards a therapeutic architecture for dementia care environments (Ph.D. Thesis).
Sheffield, UK: University of Sheffield, 2006.
http://www.chalfontdesign.com/media/why.pdf

Therapeutic landscapes database.
Beacon, NY: Therapeutic Landscapes Resource Center, Inc.
Noteworthy are resources on healing gardens and plants.
http://www.healinglandscapes.org/index.html

Therapeutic Landscapes Network: resources for gardens and landscapes that promote health and well-being.
Beacon, NY.: Therapeutic Landscapes Resource Center, Inc.
http://www.healinglandscapes.org

Gardens that care: the importance of garden environments in the care of people with dementia
Graham-Cochrane, T.
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