Down Syndrome and Dementia

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**Books**

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**Video**

*Down syndrome and Alzheimer’s – On Our Mind*  
University of California Television (UCTV)  
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5sABT0R-4VA

*Investigating Alzheimer’s in people with Down syndrome*  
National Institute on Health  
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HLyYblQqF3g

**Web Sites**

*Alzheimer's Disease international’s fact sheet on dementia and intellectual disabilities.*  
Risk factors, numbers of people affected, signs, diagnosis, principles of care, and resources are covered in this fact sheet. Versions are available in English, Spanish, German, Chinese, Japanese, and Hebrew.  
London, UK.  
http://www.alz.co.uk/adi/publications.html

*Learning about Down syndrome.*  
National Human Genome Research Institute  

*National Down Syndrome Society (NDSS).*  
The society provides a Web page to help link persons with Down syndrome to information and resources in the community. Available online, search “alzheimer’s”)  
New York, NY.  
http://www.ndss.org
“My thinker’s not working.’
A national strategy for enabling adults with intellectual disabilities affected by dementia to remain in their community and receive quality supports. The plan, developed by the National Task Group on Intellectual Disabilities and Dementia Practices presents findings and recommendations on the impact of Alzheimer’s. It includes an overview of the population, challenges facing them, community services, education and training, financing, and possible solutions. It also provides an action plan for national, state, and local agencies and recommends a specific assessment tool for recognizing dementia in this special population.
Prospect, KY; Chicago, IL.
http://www.aadmd.org/ntg
http://www.rrtcadd.org

NTG FAQ: some basic questions about adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities affected by Alzheimer's disease or other dementias
Prospect, KY
http://aadmd.org/sites/default/files/FAQ-Table-v9.pdf

Working resources lists on dementia care management and intellectual disability. Preparing community agencies for adults affected by dementia - "PCAD" project.
Extensive bibliography on a range of publications and media materials primarily addressing community care of people with intellectual disabilities and dementia.
Chicago, IL
https://aadmd.org/sites/default/files/abstracts-12g-July_12.pdf
Clinical Research & Analysis

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Dierssen, M; de la Toree Fornell, R. *Down Syndrome: From Understanding the Neurobiology to Therapy, Volume 197* (Progress in Brain Research).
Green-Field Library does not own.

Prasher, V. (ed.). *Down Syndrome and Alzheimer’s Disease: biological correlates*.
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 300 D748 2006

Prasher, V. *Neuropsychological Assessments of Dementia in Down Syndrome and Intellectual Disabilities*.
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Drug Information

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Mohan, M.; Bennett C.; Carpenter PK. Galantamine for dementia in people with Down syndrome. *Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*. Jan 2009 vol. 21(1), CD007656.
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Mohan, M.; Bennett C.; Carpenter PK. Memantine for dementia in people with Down syndrome. *Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*. Jan 2009 vol. 21(1), CD007657.
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Strydom, A; Al-Janabi, ; Houston, M; et.al. Best practice in caring for adults with dementia and learning disabilities. *Nursing Standard.* Oct 5, 2016; vol. 31(6), pp. 42-51
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**Book Chapters**

Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 300 D376 1999


**CD-ROMs & Videos**

*Adults with Down syndrome and Alzheimer's disease: a practical guide for caregivers.*
Chicago, IL; Terra Nova Films, 2006
1 DVD (48 min.)
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 300 DVD no. 1 2006

*Hi Buddy: the developmentally delayed individual with Alzheimer's disease.*
1 videocassette (18 min.)
A 53-year old man with a diagnosis of Down syndrome and Alzheimer's disease is the subject of this video, which covers the symptoms, disease progression, seizures, and employment issues. Includes interviews with professional caregivers.
Green-Field Library Call No.: WM 300 DVD no.174 1998
Web Sites

eMedicine.com provides a comprehensive article for healthcare professionals on the background, pathophysiology, prevalence, differential diagnosis, medical workup, and treatment, including an extensive medications chart.

A multimedia training tool for healthcare professionals covering aspects of diagnosis and care for persons with dementia and intellectual disabilities.
http://youtu.be/wrKLURsAy6Y

Edinburgh principles.
Rehabilitation Research and Training Center on Aging with Developmental Disabilities.
Stirling, Scotland: The Edinburgh Working Group on Dementia Care Practices (EWGDCP) developed these practice guidelines and recommendations to support persons with intellectual disabilities and Down syndrome in the community.

Guidelines for structuring community care and supports for people with intellectual disabilities affected by dementia., 2013
N Jolkinen, M.P. Janicki; S,M. Keller; et al.

When people with developmental disabilities age.
http://youtu.be/MEtkmI2xE8G
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