



## **Dementia Friendly Darlington**

**Dementia Friendly Darlington** works together with people affected by dementia, local services, businesses, voluntary agencies and people of all ages to make Darlington a place where people with dementia are included, respected and able to participate as they choose.

Here are ways in which YOU can become involved!

Book on to our online Dementia Friends Information Session



People living with dementia face social isolation now, more than ever.

**Become a Dementia** 

Friend and learn about living with dementia and the actions you can take in our community's response to Covid-19.

We are holding an online **Dementia Friends Information Session** on **Thursday August 20**<sup>th</sup> **1 – 1.30 pm** open to anyone living and working in Darlington. **Click** here to book your place

For more information contact: Belinda Williams, Dementia Friendly Communities Coordinator, 07483137521 belinda.williams@alzheimers.org.uk





## Are you affected by Dementia or memory problems?

Would you like to use your voice and experiences to be part of shaping our Dementia Friendly Community post Covid-19?

Dementia Voice Darlington is a new Dementia Friendly Darlington project led by and working with people affected by dementia to change the way we think, talk and act about dementia.

And we want **YOU** to become involved!

As the coronavirus restrictions are easing, we are working with people affected by dementia, families, friends & carers to find out....

Are you confident about going out into your community?

What makes you feel confident?

What would make you feel more confident?

What actions can we take to make our communities more dementia friendly?

Your views, ideas and experiences will inspire, influence & inform actions to make Darlington a place where people affected by dementia and memory problems have a voice, feel confident, included and actively involved as they choose!

For more information about **Dementia Voice Darlington** and how you can take part contact: Belinda Williams, Dementia Friendly Communities Coordinator, Darlington

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For local specialist Dementia Support & Advice call 01748 825817 or email darlingtonteesvalley@alzheimers.org.uk to speak to our Dementia Support Service. During Covid19 restrictions we are also able to offer additional support through regular Welfare and Companion Calls.