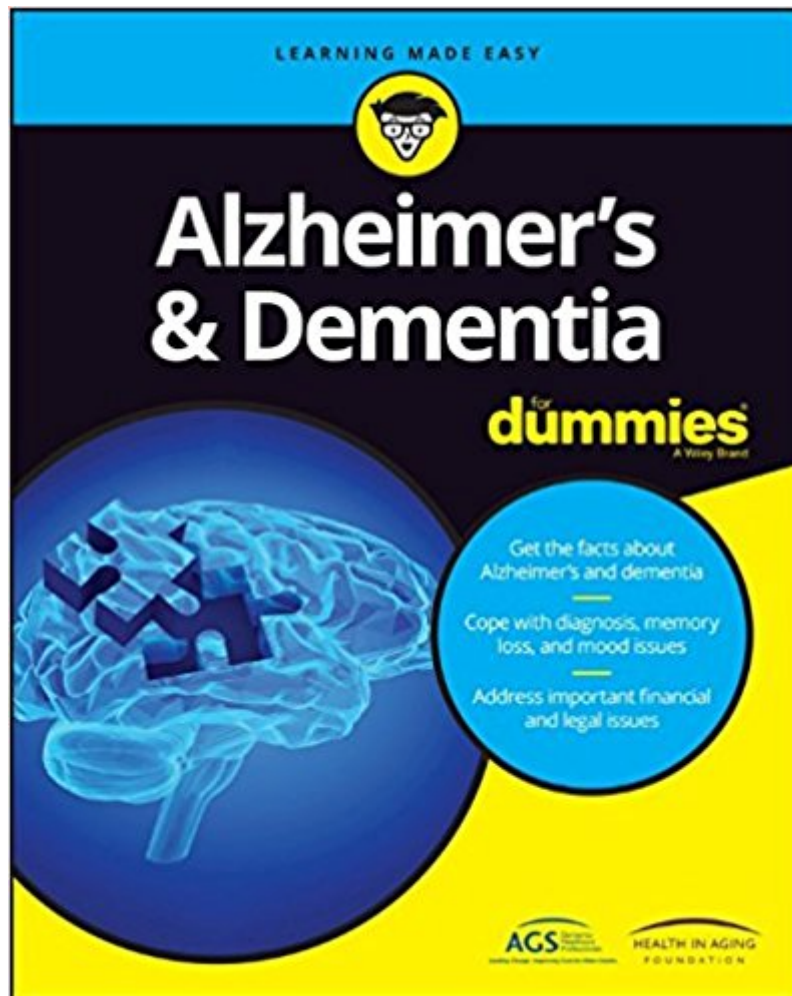




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# Alzheimer's And Dementia For Dummies



## Synopsis

Your sensitive, authoritative guide to Alzheimer's and dementia If a loved one has recently been diagnosed with dementia or Alzheimer's disease, it's only natural to feel fraught with fear and uncertainty about what lies ahead. Fortunately, you don't have to do it alone. This friendly and authoritative guide is here to help you make smart, informed choices throughout the different scenarios you'll encounter as a person caring for someone diagnosed with dementia or Alzheimer's disease. From making sense of a diagnosis to the best ways to cope with symptoms, Alzheimer's and Dementia For Dummies is the trusted companion you can count on as you navigate your way through this difficult landscape. Affecting one's memory, thinking, and behavior, dementia and Alzheimer's disease can't be prevented, cured, or slowedâbut a diagnosis doesn't mean you have to be left helpless! Inside, you'll find out how to make sense of the symptoms of dementia and Alzheimer's disease, understand the stages of the illnesses, and, most importantly, keep your loved one safe and comfortableâno matter how severe their symptoms are. Find out what to expect from Alzheimer's and dementia Discover what to keep in mind while caring for someone with Alzheimer's or dementia Uncover symptoms, causes, and risk factors of Alzheimer's and dementia Learn the critical information needed to help manage these illnesses Whether you're new to caring for a person affected by Alzheimer's or dementia or just looking for some answers and relief on your journey, this is the trusted resource you'll turn to again and again.

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The American Geriatrics Society, (AGS) is a nationwide, not-for-profit society of geriatrics healthcare professionals dedicated to improving the health, independence, and quality of life of older people. The Health in Aging Foundation is a national non-profit organization established by AGS.

So wanted to give this new book a 5-star rating, but it was clear after a cover-to-cover reading that they rushed this to market, jamming their old U.S. version (plain "Alzheimer's for Dummies") together with their U.K. version ("Dementia for Dummies"). This new one has multiple typo's, missing sidebar text, and more. But, the main reason for not fully loving this newest release are the constant (and mainly confusing) interchangeable references they use between Alzheimer's disease (AD) and Dementia. A point for them to maintain in their next edition with greater clarity throughout the book is that, AD is a type of Dementia, not the other way around. The bottom-line... even though a few years old, the aforementioned "Dementia for Dummies," *Dementia For Dummies - UK* is much better at giving you a firm foundation, it's their bigger worldview edition. You can still find it online and we'd suggest you start with it (even if you buy both at the same time). Then, once you are grounded, you can pick up this latest release and ignore the AD confusion, and instead focus on the good stuff: great insight on legal and finance, making medical decisions, care planning, in-home services, and considerations for long-term care, etc.

Excellent! Well written. Well documented. A must for anyone who will age or has aging parents. Easy to understand, but very informative.

This actually is a well written and informative book. However, the Kindle version is corrupt. I've

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This being a tough subject, The authors taught me more in these pages than hours and hours of reading elsewhere. Thank you... Especially I'd like to thank

Very well written. Very thorough. Easy to understand.

This book has helped me understand a few more things about these problems. Very good and easy to find topics. I would suggest to anyone wanting to know more about Alzheimer's and Dementia.

Easy to read and provides great information without the drama of similar informational publications. Tells you what is going on without all the side stories

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