



You're Invited!

The DeWolf Innovation Center invites you to . . .

"Become a Dementia Friend"

May 19, 2026 - 1:00-2:30 pm CST

Free Virtual Webinar

You are invited to join us for an informative presentation designed to build understanding, compassion, and confidence when working with and supporting people living with dementia.

This complimentary presentation explores the important differences between typical aging and dementia, while offering practical, real-life examples that highlight how to discover joy, meaning, and purpose for individuals living with dementia—and for those who care for them. Whether you are a caregiver, family member, professional, or community member, this session will provide practical insights you can use immediately.

Attendees will gain a deeper understanding of dementia and learn how to become a Dementia Friend—someone who helps create supportive, inclusive environments within their families, neighborhoods, and communities.

This presentation offers an opportunity to grow your awareness, strengthen your skills, and make a meaningful difference in the lives of others.

Learning Objectives

- Identify the differences between typical aging and dementia.
- Learn effective ways to interact and communicate with people living with dementia.
- Increase knowledge that helps reduce stigma associated with dementia.
- Gain basic information about dementia and resources available through the DeWolf Innovation Center.

Faculty:

- **Kathy Good**, Founder & Former Senior Director, DeWolf Innovation Center for Aging & Dementia, Marion, Iowa
- **Mary Ann Grobstich**, Education and Outreach Facilitator, Family Caregivers Center, Mercy Medical Center, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Intended Audience:

- Anyone who wants to learn more about dementia and cognitive changes
- Family caregivers
- Persons living with dementia

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