

# Adopting Trauma-Informed and Responsive Approaches to Support People living with Dementia: A Webinar for the Scottish Dementia Workforce

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**Save the date:**  
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>  
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14:00 to 16:30

NHS Education for Scotland's Psychology and Psychological Interventions in Dementia team are delighted to host this webinar in partnership with the Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC), and the National Trauma Training Programme. In recognition that every member of the Scottish Workforce has a role to play in understanding and responding to people affected by trauma, this webinar builds on previous work supporting the ambition of a trauma informed and responsive workforce and services across Scotland.

With a specific focus on dementia care, this webinar is also designed to support work to deliver the vision outlined in '[Everyone's Story](#)', the new [National Dementia Strategy for Scotland](#). One of the main objectives of the strategy is to ensure that 'people are supported by a skilled and knowledgeable workforce that accesses the highest quality dementia specialist education and training and implements evidence based, including trauma informed, practice.

### **This webinar will:**

- Provide an overview of the National Trauma Training Programme, and trauma informed approaches in Scotland.
- Explore the relevance and practice of trauma informed approaches in dementia care.
- Share learning from examples of services working to implement trauma informed approaches in the Adult Social Care Sector.
- Introduce two new learning resources designed specifically to support trauma-informed and trauma-skilled practice in the dementia care workforce, developed by NHS Education for Scotland.
- Highlight ways to support looking after ourselves as we care for others.
- Explore what is important to people and inform plans for future webinar sessions.

**More details of the event and registration coming soon!**

Learn more about the work exploring 'How can adopting a trauma-informed approach to adult social care can help drive forward improved outcomes as part of Scotland's roadmap for COVID-19 recovery, renewal and transformation?' by accessing the [report here](#).