



Optimum
Workforce Leadership

Rarer forms of Dementia Competency Framework



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Specific Competencies

	Competent Yes / No	Signed off by	Supporting evidence	Further training required/identified	Agreed action plan and completion date
1 What specific symptoms does someone with a diagnosis of frontotemporal dementia present with?					
2 Name the different variance of FTD and develop a care plan based upon each type.					
3 Discuss a plan of care to meet the needs of someone with a diagnosis of primary progressive aphasia. What risk factors do you need to consider?					
4 Based upon a resident receiving a probable diagnosis of CJD, describe any future discussions that would need to be had with family members.					
5 Discuss with your supervisor four cognitive abilities which are fairly well preserved and four which are not in someone with a semantic dementia.					
6 Understand the main characteristics associated with Corticobasal degeneration and can record effective management strategies.					
7 Can demonstrate an understanding of the main physical risks associated with a resident suffering from a Korsakoff dementia.					
8 Can demonstrate an understanding of the effects that Parkinson's has and its associated risks of developing dementia.					
9 Can demonstrate knowledge of available treatment options for residents with Parkinson's and is aware of the associated risk involved.					
10 Can demonstrate the unique risks, symptoms presentation of a person with a primary diagnosis of Down's Syndrome and secondary dementia.					