Title of Study: Examining the Lived Experiences of Dementia Spousal Caregivers Age 80+

Location: Ontario

Study Description:
The aim of the study is to understand the specific experiences of older caregivers (age 80 and above) caring for a husband, wife or partner with dementia. If you volunteer for the study, you will be asked to take part in 2-3 interviews, each lasting about 1-1.5 hours. You will be asked questions about yourself, your experience providing care at an older age, your needs and how we can best support them. The interviews will take place at a time and place most convenient to you and you will be compensated for your time. The results of the study will help us better understand what it is like to care for a partner at an older age and how we can better support older caregivers.

Eligibility: Who Can Participate?

To be eligible to participate you must be:
1. Aged 80 years or older
2. Caring for a husband, wife or partner with dementia on a daily or weekly basis
3. Able to talk about your caregiving experiences in English.

Recruitment Start Date: 2019/06/01

Recruitment End Date: 2020/05/01

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