

Worksheet 17:

Identifying carers' needs

Within your organisation, are carers of people with dementia viewed as unique individuals, separate from the person they care for, who have their own needs?

How are carers' own needs assessed within your organisation?

The Care Act became law in England in 2014. This legislation gives legal status to carers as well as people who require care and support. Who is responsible for assessing carers' needs?

Who can advise carers that they are entitled to a Carer's Assessment in their own right?