best practice caregiving

Guiding organizations to dementia programs for family caregivers

A partnership between Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging and Family Caregiver Alliance

Program Snapshot



WHAT IT IS

BRI Care Consultation™ is a consumer-directed dementia caregiving program that offers ongoing, individualized care-coaching for caregivers and persons living with dementia or other health conditions.

The program uses assessment to identify concerns, action planning to prioritize solutions, and ongoing support to uncover emerging concerns and adjust action steps.



HELPS CAREGIVERS WITH



Accessing health care & community services



Mobilizing help from other family members & friends



emotional support & quality information on health & caregiving topics



Creating a solutionfocused Action Plan to address needs of the caregiver & person living with dementia

PROGRAM RESULTS FROM 50+ DELIVERY SITES & 10 RESEARCH STUDIES

BRI Care Consultation improved

- Caregiver well-being
- Person with dementia well-being
- Support from family & friends for caregiver & care recipient

BRI Care Consultation reduced

- Hospital admissions
- Emergency
 - department visits
- Unmet needs
- Care- & illness-related stress and strain

REMOTE-FRIENDLY & READY TO ADOPT

BRI Care Consultation is a proven, effective program delivered by telephone and email by any type of organization that supports family and friend caregivers as well as persons living with dementia or other chronic conditions.

Licensed organizations receive initial and ongoing training for staff, manuals, customized web-based software for efficient delivery by telephone and email, and marketing and delivery tools.

BRI Care Consultation is a product of Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging and is approved for Title IIID funding.



BRI Care Consultation is one of more than 40 dementia caregiving programs found in Best Practice Caregiving (<u>bpc.caregiver.org</u>), a free, online database that helps organizations identify, compare and adopt best-fit programs for their clients and community.

Direct Link — <u>bpc.caregiver.org/#programDetails/bri-care-consultation</u>