

Opportunity to join group

Our University College London (UCL) department, 'Primary Care and Population Health' (PCPH) is host to a range of **exciting and cutting-edge dementia research projects**.

These projects aim to improve care and support for people living with dementia and those who care for them.

We have a '**Dementia Studies Lived Experience Group**' for our department, made up of **people with life experience of dementia**. Joining this group means that **you will be added to our mailing list and sent opportunities** to work with us on specific dementia projects, providing **valuable advice to researchers**.

What does the role involve?

You will be sent opportunities to attend online Zoom meetings and/or in person meetings, with other group members and researchers, to discuss specific dementia research projects. Meetings will typically be 1-2 hours with breaks and time to get to know each other.

Up to **£25 per hour** payment depending on the project (some projects offer vouchers). Travel expenses are paid for any in person meetings.

You will be invited to **contribute as frequently as you are happy with**. There is **no obligation** to respond to invitations.

Who are we looking for?

People with a diagnosis of dementia, carers, or former carers, who would **be able to contribute to Zoom meetings**. You might want to join as a pair (someone living with dementia and a carer together).

We strive to be inclusive and accessible in our communication. If you have particular communication needs, please let us know.

We would like to include a **diverse range of people** in terms of age, ethnic background, sexual orientation, gender identity from across the UK. People have different experiences of health and social care, so it is important for our group to represent the wider population.

Interested in finding out more?

Contact Sarah Griffiths: s.a.griffiths@ucl.ac.uk / Tel: 020 3108 6699 for an initial chat.