

Social Work Services in the Cognitive Disorder Clinic

Social work services are an integral part of the team at the Cognitive Disorders Clinic. Social work staff are available to meet with patients and their families or caregivers during their appointments in the clinic. We can also schedule additional or separate appointments based on the availability of the patient or their family and social worker.

What do social work services include?

- Information and referrals to community resources
- Education and information about dementia diagnosis or behavioral issues
- Patient and family support
- Family meetings to address care decisions
- Counseling about disease management and long term elder care planning
- Coordination of care issues at the UM Geriatrics Center
- Communication with medical team and providers
- Information about Advance Directives or guardianship process
- Information and referral for financial and insurance issues or legal matters
- Patient and family workshops

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