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memory net

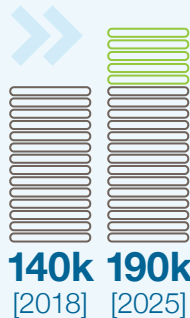
Georgia Memory Net is a statewide program dedicated to the early diagnosis and treatment of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.

Establishing the Need:

Know the numbers.

It all adds up:
The citizens and healthcare professionals of Georgia need the Georgia Memory Net.

People With Alzheimer's Growing:



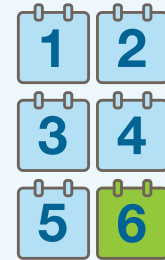
1.4M

People Over 65 Years Old



385k
with self-reported cognitive impairment

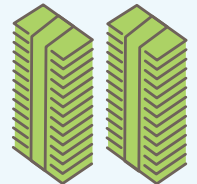
80%
have not yet been evaluated or treated



6 Year Average Delay In Memory-loss Diagnosis

\$2B

In Preventable Admissions Expenses



Collaboration is Key:

It takes more than one.

A partnership including academic institutions, community organizations, professional associations, and state networks.



Setting Our Goals:

It's only a wish without a plan.

Our objective is to improve outcomes and quality of life for people dealing with memory loss, while streamlining services and offering more efficient care.



Improve Assessment During Annual Wellness Visits



Diagnose Accurately at Memory Assessment Clinics



Improve Care with PCPs and Community Services



Provide Oversight and Evaluation of Performance and Data Collection

Providing Accessibility: Launching statewide clinics.

Starting with five clinics in 2018, we now have a total of seven Memory Assessment Clinics (MACs) throughout the state.

Memory Assessment Clinic Locations



What to Expect: Key benefits.

Georgians who make appointments at a MAC, and the doctors who recommend them, benefit from a variety of integrated services.



**Trained
Clinicians**



**Comprehensive
Diagnosis and
Care of Planning**



**Community
Services
Educator**



**Education and
Community
Support**



**PCP Receives
and Manages
Care Plan**

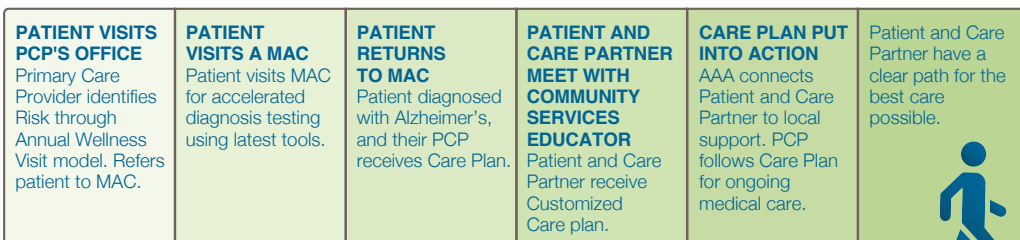
Proactive planning and support services
Expert diagnoses
Increased caregiving competence and quality of care

Comprehensive best-practice care plans
In-depth memory evaluations taken off time-crunched PCPs schedules
Care plans shared with PCPs, patients and community support

Supported by National Institutes of Health
Connected to Georgia's only Alzheimer's Disease Research Center

The Process: An always integrated path.

Our system is designed for efficiency and convenience to all parties involved.



GMN for PCPs: Supporting, not supplanting.

In depth memory evaluations are taken off the schedules of time-crunched PCPs.



**Training provided
through GMN**



**Reporting to guide
your ongoing care**

Identifying & Referring: Three simple steps.

If we can manage these three, outcomes could improve.

ENCOURAGE

Annual Wellness Visits (AWV)



ADMINISTER

the Mini-Cog™ assessment tool (embedded in the AWV)



REFER

patient to a Memory Assessment Clinic if Mini-Cog™ indicates an impairment