

# Dementia

## Description

This practice guideline contains general and specific treatment recommendations for patients with Alzheimer’s disease and other dementias. UnitedHealthcare uses evidence-based clinical guidelines from nationally recognized sources during review of our quality and health management programs. Recommendations contained in clinical practice guidelines are not a guarantee of coverage. Members should consult their member-specific benefit plan document for information regarding covered benefits.

## To Review Guidelines

Guideline Title	Sources/Location
Treatment of Patients with Alzheimer’s Disease and Other Dementias, 2 <sup>nd</sup> edition (2007)	American Psychiatric Association: <a href="http://psychiatryonline.org/pb/assets/raw/sitewide/practice_guidelines/guidelines/alzheimers.pdf">http://psychiatryonline.org/pb/assets/raw/sitewide/practice_guidelines/guidelines/alzheimers.pdf</a>
Guideline Watch (October 2014)	American Psychiatric Association: <a href="http://psychiatryonline.org/pb/assets/raw/sitewide/practice_guidelines/guidelines/alzheimerwatch.pdf">http://psychiatryonline.org/pb/assets/raw/sitewide/practice_guidelines/guidelines/alzheimerwatch.pdf</a>