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Answers And Emotional Support While Caring For An Elder

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How to Pay for Assisted Living

Funds for assisted living don't have to come from only one source. See what options are available, and find out which could work best for you or your loved one's situation. [More »](#)

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Q: How do you get an Alzheimer's person to lose some weight?

Mom's in an independent living community and has free will to eat what and when she pleases.

Q: Mom's dentures are causing ulcers. Any advice?

I'm already battling to get mom (Alzheimer's) to eat, but now her dentures are causing ulcers on her bottom gum because they are ill-fitting.

Q: What is the likelihood of someone who is diagnosed with mild MCI and Dementia will always stay that way?

Mom's neurologist and doctor stated that she may never get any worse.

Q: Difficult to get Mother to consent to nursing home. Any advice?

As long as my mother can speak for herself and says she doesn't want to go to a nursing home then she doesn't have to.

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