

The logo for INTenSE, featuring the word in a sans-serif font with a blue 'e'. It is framed by two curved lines, one blue and one purple, resembling a stylized eye or a lens.

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Dementia Simulation Toolkit

Scenario: Losing your things

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Losing / Misplacing Items

People with dementia may have increasing difficulties with searching for their belongings and where they have put them due to their memory problems. They may misplace everyday items, leave items in unusual places or find it difficult to recall where they have put an item for safekeeping. This can lead to feelings of distress, frustration but also suspicion (e.g. someone is tricking you).



The aim of this scenario is to simulate the experience of memory changes that can occur in the context of dementia and the consequences it may have on the person.



Simulation Activity: Losing your things



Keys



Simulation Glasses



**Headphones/phone/
speaker**

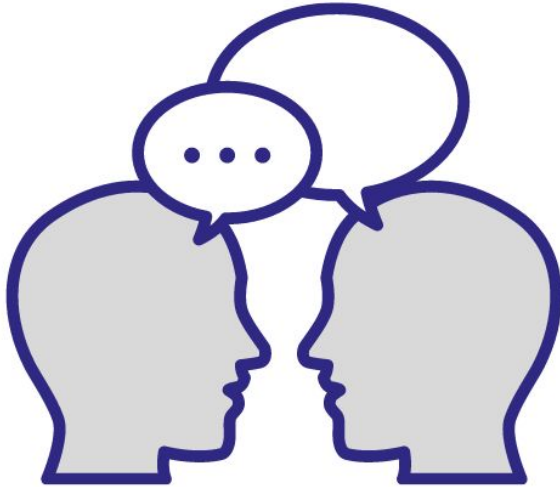


Sensitivity gloves



15-20 mins

Group reflection



How did you find this experience?

How did the situation make you feel?

How will this experience help you in daily practice?



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