

# THE ALZHEIMER SOCIETY of IRELAND

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Cavan, Monaghan and Louth



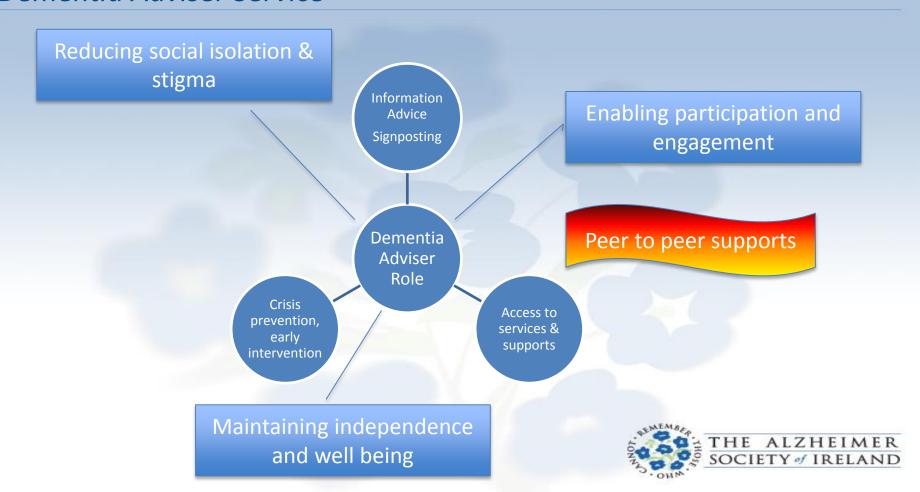
#### The Dementia Adviser Service...

is for people with dementia and their families





#### Dementia Adviser Service



### *Information:*

- All types of dementia
- Progression
- Tips for living well day-to-day
- Strategies for coping with changes
- Driving
- Legal and financial planning
- Assistive technology
- Local supports and services through all stages
- Local projects such as Dementia Friendly community projects
- Financial supports and entitlements





#### **Drop-in Information Hubs**

- I opened Drop in Information Hubs in both counties in 2016.
- Íontas Arts & Community Resource Centre, Castleblayney, Co Monaghan
- Camcas, Ballyconnell, Co Cavan.





#### Mobile information Unit





Working with Cavan Branch at the Virginia Show





Working with ASI Monaghan Branch



#### **Mobile Information Service in Monaghan**

**Thursday 14 September 2017** 



Upper Court House Car Park

Monaghan Town

Time: 12 noon to 6pm

Our local Branch, staff from our services and our Dementia Adviser, Maeve Montogomery are available to provide information and answer any questions you may have.



#### Dementia Adviser in local community





Monaghan Museum 2016





#### Dementia Awareness in Cavan General Hospital



## Belturbet Music Therapy Group





#### **Examples of other groups I work with in the CH01 area**

- HSE services
- Mental Health Service for the Elderly
- Blayney Blades women's group
- Child and Family Network chaired by Janice Niblock Child and Family network co-ordinator, ISPCC/TUSLA.
- Retirement groups
- Cavan Older People's Council
- Belturbet Music Therapy Group



#### ASI service in Cavan

- ASI Cavan Day Care Centre
- Opens every Thursday and Friday
- Cathedral Road, Cavan
- Manager Geraldine Maxwell
- Phone: 086 3803898
- Cavan Town Support Group
- 1st Thursday of the month in the Bridge Street Centre at 8pm
- Contact: Carole or Claire
- Phone: 087 224 0963/ 087 9002603

- Cavan Alzheimer Cafe
- The cafe is open on the last Wednesday of every month at 11am to 12:30pm in Castlemanor Community Centre All Welcome
- Contact: Carole Beattie
- Phone: 087 2240963
- Email: carolebeattie@msn.com

#### ASI services in Monaghan

- Day Care (Open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday)
- Drumkill Day Care Centre,
- Three Mile House,
- Co. Monaghan
- Phone: 047-57508
- Drumkill Social Day Care
- Each Tuesday 1-4.30pm for people with mild dementia
- Contact: Mae Murphy
- Phone: 047 575 08 / 087 6418 267
- Cloughvalley (open every Thursday)
- Carrickmacross
- Co. Monaghan
- Phone: 087 338 9808

- Monaghan Home Care Service Phone: 047-57508
- Monaghan Home Support
- Contact: Michael Moran
- Phone: 046 907 1280
- Alzheimer Cafe
- 1st Tuesday of the month, 12 noon to 1 pm
- Drumkill Day Centre
- Three Mile House
- Co. Monaghan
- Contact: Mae Murphy
- Phone: 087 6418 267

#### How to refer to the service

People with dementia and families can contact me directly

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Areas covered –
 Cavan/Monaghan



ASI staff and health & social care professionals can refer people to the service

