## The Southern Indiana Dementia Workgroup

We are seeking interested persons who have experienced dementia as patients, care partners, clinicians, or researchers to join the Southern Indiana Dementia Workgroup.

\* The primary mission of this group is to create & support a community of stakeholders interested in identifying and improving the research outcomes in dementia.

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- \* The Southern Indiana Dementia Workgroup (SIDW) was designed to develop meaningful, generative partnerships between people living with dementia and care partners and clinical, research, and dementia education communities. As a patientcentered capacity building project, SIDW initiation goals include (1) recruitment of a cohesive and diverse workgroup, and (2) preliminary identification of outcomes most important to the Southern Indiana dementia community.
- We believe productive, sustained partnerships are dependent on shared responsibilities, decisions, resources, and accolades. This includes, but is not limited to project compensation, outcomes, and dissemination.
- Present limitations identified by the workgroup include size (3), representation, and lacking diversity. We are particularly interested in learning from persons living with dementia and their care partners.
- \* We plan to hold monthly meetings, presently via Zoom, to further grow our capacity as a productive workgroup.

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