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Overview of Neuropsychiatric Impairments & Management of Agitation in Dementia

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Description: Neuropsychiatric symptoms in dementia are extremely common and often much more troubling than cognitive symptoms. Agitation in particular is very distressing to patients and greatly affect their quality of life. It frequently interferes with delivery of care in medical and nursing homes settings, causes frustration for family members and often limits the capacity for home care. In this lecture we will overview different neuropsychiatric symptoms associated with cognitive impairment with focus on non-pharmacological and pharmacological approaches to management of agitation in light of the current evidence.

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Objectives: At the end of this presentation, attendees will understand the:

1. Potential causes of agitation in the context of dementia that must be evaluated and corrected prior to consideration of treatment
2. Non-pharmacological approaches in management of agitation in older adults that are the preferred treatment
3. Evidence and risks associated with different pharmacological interventions in the management of agitation in older adults

Target Audience: Physicians, Advanced Clinical Practitioners, all healthcare providers

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