

Dementia Quiz

Maximum possible score: 40

1. At present, approximately how many people in the UK have been diagnosed with dementia? (present UK population is about 64 million)

(<u>www.alzheimersresearchuk.org</u> 2015) (4 points)

500,000	850,000	2.8 million	5 million	8.5 million

2. Are any of the following diseases kinds of dementia?

(6 points)

Disease	Yes	No
Huntington's Disease		
Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD)		
Cerebral palsy		
Pick's Disease		
Neurosyphilis		
Hodgkin's Disease		

3. Vascular dementia is the most common form of dementia in the UK.

(2 pts)

True	False
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4. Currently in Britain, roughly what proportion of people over the age of 80 have dementia? (4 points)

1 in 2	1 in 3	1 in 4	1 in 5	1 in 6

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5. Dementia can be caused by persistent misuse of alcohol.

(2 pts)

6. Which of the following things are thought to be risk factors for developing dementia? (10 points)

	Yes	No
Down's syndrome		
Brain tumour		
Epilepsy		
Repeated brain injuries		
Diabetes		
Smoking		
Obesity		
High blood pressure		
Depression		
Parkinson's disease		

7. People with dementia never have insight into the fact that they have dementia. $(2 \ pts)$

True False

8. People with dementia are twice as likely to fall as those without dementia. (2 pts)

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9. Alzheimer's Disease is genetically inherited from one or more parent:

(2 points)

Never	Occasionally	Most of the time	Always

10. Currently in the UK, the numbers of men and women with dementia are roughly equal. (2 pts).

True	False
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11. The right word to define the experience of *"hearing or seeing something that isn't really there"* is a delusion.

(2 pts).

True False

12. Alzheimer's Disease and dementia are one and the same.

(2 pts).

True False