Did you care for someone living with dementia during COVID-19?



Researchers at Swansea University are looking for participants who are over 18 and provide regular care to someone who has dementia to take part in a research study. The study is exploring the impact of the COVID-19 restrictions on the experiences of people providing support and care and people living with dementia in Wales.

This research has been granted Ethical Approval from the Research Ethics Committee, School of Health and Social Care, at Swansea University.

The research will involve:

- An interview lasting approximately 1 hour with a researcher from Swansea University
- You will be invited to answer questions about yourself and the person you care for and about your experiences of the pandemic and particularly about support and services
- The interview will be organised as much as possible around you and the other participants requirement
- It is expected that the interview will take place online or at a venue of your choosing that is convenient to you. We will discuss the meeting location time and day with you when you agree to take part

What you can expect:

- That the information you give us will be kept strictly confidential and in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018 and the General Data Protection Regulation 2016 (GDPR). Your contribution is entirely voluntary, and you are free to withdraw from the study at any time
- All participants will be offered a £20 voucher as a thank you for taking part

If you are interested

- Please contact Maria Cheshire-Allen who is conducting the interviews at Swansea University who will speak with you about the project and answer any questions you may have. <u>m.cheshire-allen@swansea.ac.uk</u>
- This should only take a few minutes



