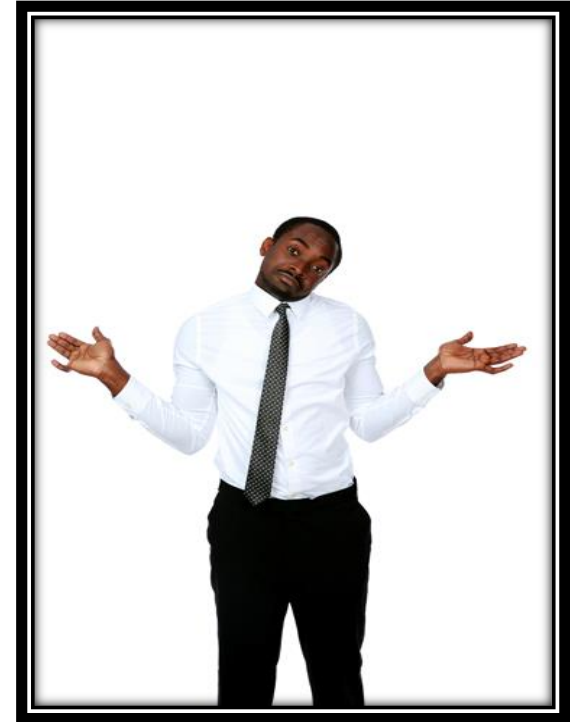


Sight loss and dementia friendly principles of practice - how we are preparing the workforce

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Why is there need to prepare the workforce?

- Changes in the population
- Increase in co-morbidities
- Increase knowledge and confidence in health and social care professionals
- PrOVIDe Study



How are we doing this?

- Training
- Working in partnership
- Developing tools and resources

Training

- Internal and external training
- Vision Friends
- Vision Champions
- Optometrist

Working in Partnership

- Improve the lives of people with dementia and sight loss
- Share knowledge and expertise
- Extend reach
- Reach a new audience

Developing Tools and Resources

- Vision Tool Kit
- Tip Cards
- Dementia and sight loss leaflet
- Effective Practice Notes
- Factsheets VisionUK
- Eyeware app

Potentially next Steps

- Dementia Eyecare Pathway Scotland
- Eyeware
- Research - Falls
Dementia and sight loss



Questions?

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