Stay Connected

Using Technology to Support Healthy Community Living

We know that 60% of Persons Living with Dementia will experience at least one critical wandering event. These can have serious consequences for clients and cause significant stress for caregivers. We want to explore the use of locating technology in decreasing worry and stress for caregivers.

YOUR CARE & PRIVACY -

You will receive the **same quality care** if you choose to participate. A researcher will ask you about your experiences and preferences, and offer you a chance to evaluate a locating technology. The first meeting will be about 2 hours. If you choose to try the locating technology for up to 4 weeks, a final meeting after you have tried the technology will take about 1 hour. Meetings can take place in person, by video conference, or by phone.

If you participate, your information is confidential. We won't show any identifying information in reports, presentations, etc. from this study.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

People with dementia or cognitive changes and current or former caregivers of people with dementia or cognitive changes. Participants must be 18+ years old.

For more information, contact:

Emily King, Manager of Research Operations, at emily.king@vha.ca or 647-458-2091

This study is led by researchers at VHA Home HealthCare. Technology is provided by LocateMotion. Document version 2020-11-26 The research is funded by a grant from the Canadian Centre for Aging and Brain Health Innovation of Baycrest Hospitals.