

# Carer Support Groups

**Come and join us for  
tea/coffee and a chat with  
other carers -  
you are not on your own**

## Blackpool

Blackpool Independent Living Centre  
259 Whitegate Drive  
Blackpool FY3 9JL  
1.00-2.30pm

Held on the 3rd Monday of each month

## Fylde

The United Reformed Church  
Bannister St  
Lytham FY8 5HP  
10.00am - 12.00 noon

Held on the 2nd Wednesday of each  
month

## Wyre

Cleveleys Park Methodist Church  
West Drive  
Cleveleys FY5 2BQ  
10.00am - 12.00 noon

Held on the 1st Thursday of each month

**Everyone welcome!**

Local help and support for  
people with dementia, their  
carers and families

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Blackpool Fylde & Wyre  
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Office Hours  
Monday to Friday  
9.00am to 5.00pm

Alzheimer's  
Society

Leading the  
fight against  
dementia

# Blackpool, Fylde & Wyre

**Are you worried about  
your memory?**

**Do you care for  
someone with memory  
problems?**

**Do you need  
information or support?**

**Don't feel alone ...  
we can help.**

## How we can help you

- Information on all forms of dementia
- Information about caring for the person with dementia
- Getting a proper diagnosis
- Help with finding support in your local community including memory clinics, day services, respite care, residential care and nursing homes
- Emotional Support
- A point of contact for the person with dementia and their carers
- Benefits and allowances
- Regular support groups in Blackpool, Fylde & Wyre
- Dementia Adviser support to assist people who have received a recent diagnosis.

## The Alzheimer's Society

The Alzheimer's Society is the leading care and research charity for people with all forms of dementia, their families and carers. We provide information and education, advocacy and counselling, training for healthcare professionals and promotes good practice in dementia care.

We fund medical and scientific research and campaign for improved health and social services and greater public understanding of dementia.

### National Helpline

0845 300 0336



## Could you be a Volunteer?

We need friendly people of all ages to help us provide a wide range of services across Blackpool, Fylde and Wyre.

Do you have any spare time? Volunteering is flexible, ranging from a few hours a year to several hours a week.

There are many volunteering opportunities available and we will always try to find a role to suit your interests.

Call us on (01253) 312893 for an informal chat.

## Fundraising Events

We organise a wide range of fundraising events and meetings throughout the year to raise awareness of dementia. These vital activities ensure our support services continue for people in Blackpool, Fylde and Wyre.

If you would like to find out more about our fundraising events, please contact the local office on (01253) 312893.