

## **Operational Procedures for Participants & Caregivers**

#### Mission:

The mission of the Hope & Help Day Club is to provide a safe and secure environment for the person with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia to enjoy social interaction while providing stimulating activities. The Day Club also provides respite as well as education for the caregiver.

#### Date and Time:

The Day Club will be held on Thursdays from 10AM-2PM. The schedule may vary around a holiday. In case of inclement weather, Hope & Help Day Club will not meet if Longview ISD has cancelled classes.

In 2024, we will not meet the following dates:

July 4 August 1 November 28 December 26 January 2, 2025

Location:

The Hope & Help Day Club is held at Mobberly Baptist Church at 625 E Loop 281 @ The Bridge. Enter the north side of the church, not the Loop 281 side.

Day Club Information:

Please call ETAA 903-230-8001 or Sally Hendricks 903-746-4698 www.etxalz.org

Day Club Enrollment:

Please call Sally Hendricks 903-746-4698

Contact During Day Club Operation:

Please call Sally Hendricks 903-746-4698

Enrollment Requirements:

The following criteria are recommended:

- Participant demonstrates memory loss from Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia.
- Participant is able to walk and requires minimal assistance with self-care skills (eating and toiletry)
- Participant requires minimal dietary adjustments
- Participant requires no medication administration by the staff during the hours of operation
- Participant demonstrates no behavior that is harmful to self or others

### Dismissal:

A participant may be dismissed from the program if their behavior becomes dangerous to themselves or others or when their status falls below the enrollment requirements.

#### Enrollment Fee:

The cost to attend Hope & Help Day Club is \$5 per day and will include a light snack and drink. Fees may be paid by cash, check, PayPal (including recurring payments), or Venmo.

#### Management:

The Hope & Help Day Club is a program of the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance. The Day Club staff team consists of a director and volunteers. Staff and volunteers are trained in all aspects of care and interaction pertaining to the person with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia. We have done everything possible to offer a safe, secure and stimulating environment for your loved one.

#### Complaint Procedures:

Should a concern or complaint arise, please contact the Hope & Help Day Club Director at 903-746-4698 or ETAA Office at 903-230-8001.

#### Emergency Procedures:

It is the policy of the Day Club to dial 911 for emergency medical service in the event of an emergency. In all cases of emergency, the person designated as emergency contact will be notified. Please be sure to list a second emergency contact on your application in case the staff cannot reach you and keep your cell phone ON and accessible during the program.

#### Extra Clothing:

As needed, families are encouraged to bring an extra set of clothing for their loved one.

#### Money/Jewelry:

Families are asked not to let their loved one bring money with them to the Day Club, except small change. We also ask that the client not wear valuable jewelry. We cannot take responsibility for lost money or articles.

# We are very pleased to offer this service for your loved one. Please let us know if you have any suggestions to make this the best day club experience possible.



## Enrollment Application/Emergency Information

Participant's Name:		DOB:
Address:		Age:
City/State:	Zip:	Male / Female
DNR on record at Day Club: YES	/ NO	
Medications Allergies:		
Religion:	Church Affiliation:	
Language: English / Spanish / Other:		
Marital Status: Married / Single / Wido	owed / Separated / Divo	orced
Caregiver Information/Primary Er	mergency Contact:	
Name:		
Address:		
Home Phone: Worl	k:	_Cell:
Email:		
Months caring for loved one:	DOB:	_ Age:
Relationship to Participant:		
Employer:		
Participant's Medical Information	:	
Diagnosis:		
Physician:		Phone:
Preferred Hospital:		Phone:
Type of Diet: Regular Other/Special Need	ds:	
Any recent concerns/changes/medical ever	nts:	

Medications:	Dosage/Frequency:	Purpose:
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
Food Allergies:		
Eating Precautions:		
Diabetes/Type:		
Second Emergency Contact:		
Name:	Relations	ship:
Address:	City/State:	Zip:
Home Phone:	Work:	Cell:
Other Emergency Contact:		
Name:	Relations	ship:
Address:	City/State:	Zip:
Home Phone:		Cell:
Responsible Party:	C	Date:
Director:		Date:

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# Recipe for a Life Story

Name:		Birthdate:			
Birthplace:		Where did he/she grow up?			
Nickname/Terms of Endearr	nent:				
Marital Status: M S D V	V Sep	Spouse's/Partner's I	Name:		
How many years married? _		Occupation:			
# of children:	# of g	randchildren:	# of great grandchild	ren:	
Name of Children     1)			Children's Name		
Childhood:					
Mother's Name:		Birthplace:	Occupation	:	
Father's Name:		Birthplace:	Occupation	:	
Brothers/Sisters:					
			Education:		
School Days, memories, favo	orite or hu	morous events:			
Honors/awards/proud mom	ents:				
Adolescence					
Name of High School: Favorite Subject:					
Name of Best Friend:					
First Job:		Fa	avorite Clothing:		
High School Memories/Favo	rite/Humo	prous events:			

## Young Adulthood:

ary:

Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Travel: \_\_\_\_\_

Special memories about family, favorite, or humorous events: \_\_\_\_\_

# Other Major Ingredients:

Ethnicity:	Religious/Spiritual:
Awards:	
Special Skills:	
Favorite music style:	
Favorite sports personality:	
Favorite color:	
Favorite book:	
Traumas/tragedies to be aware of:	
How does this person like to spend New Year's I	Eve?
If stuck on a desert island, what 3 things would	he/she bring (assume food, water, shelter are already provided):
Would his/her desk (or kitchen shelves) be neat	or messy?
Is the person an optimist or a pessimist?	
What was his or her attitude toward money?	
Finally, I would like you to know the following a	bout this person:



## Emergency Identification Form/Photograph

*This form must accompany Enrollment Application/Emergency Information form in case of emergency.* 

Participant's Name:	
Person responds to:	(nickname)
Weight:	Height:
Build:	Skin:
Eye Color:	Hair Color:

Attach photo below:



## Activity Interest Form

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Below is a list of hobbies and activities. Please check those that apply.

Crafts	Yes	No	Social	Yes	No	List of Past Hobbies
Crocheting			Parties			
Ceramics			Sing a Longs			
Plaster			Volunteering			
Woodwork			Manicures			
Weaving			Discussions			
Painting			Public Events			
Drawing			Trivia			
Sports & Games	Yes	No	Religious	Yes	No	List any other activities you enjoy
Cards			Bible Stories			
Bingo			Devotional			
Checkers			<b>Religious Literature</b>			
Dominoes			Church Service			
Puzzles			Communion			
Sport Events			<b>Children Activities</b>			
Guessing Games						
Literacy	Yes	No	Dramatics	Yes	No	Do you play an instrument?
Talking Books			Movies			
Newspaper			Travelogues			
Magazines			Concerts			
Watching TV			Athletic Event			
Listening to Radio			Plays			
Nature & Outings	Yes	No	Music	Yes	No	Do you like dancing? If so what type?
Fishing			Tejano			
Gardening			Classical			
Picnic			Modern			
Walks			Country			
Shopping			Рор			
Van Rides						

## **Best Friends Assessment**

## Name of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

## Check the boxes that apply to assess your loved one's cognitive ability.

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Memory				
Judgement				
Language				
Initiative				
Problems Solving				
Responsiveness to				
instructions/requests				
Overall Cognitive				
Function				

## Check the boxes that apply to assess your loved one's overall health.

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Vision				
Hearing				
Mobility				
Overall Health				

## Check the words that describe your loved one's personality before the illness and today.

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Content				
Extrovert				
Fatalistic				
Friendly				
Нарру				
Introvert				
Reserved				
Serious				
Suspicious				
Timid				

List which personality traits have changed. Can you name any triggers (e.g. people, places, time of day) or ideas as to why the change occurred?

Change:	Reason:
Change:	Reason:
Change:	Reason:

List your loved one's three most challenging behaviors:

Can you name any triggers (e.g. people, places, time of day) that cause problems?		
Problem:	Trigger:	
Problem:	Trigger:	
Problem:	Trigger:	

List at least three things that your loved one seems to particularly enjoy or respond to:

List three qualities about your loved one that you would like others to know. (These qualities could include values, beliefs, traditions, or achievements.) How would your loved one have described himself or herself if asked to do so in just a few words?



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(caregiver's name)	(relationship)

(participant)

\_\_\_\_\_1. Will NOT hold the Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church, their volunteers, students and/or any paid staff members responsible for any accident and/or injury, including death, incurred by my loved one while attending the Hope & Help Day Club, and all other related activities.

2. Give my permission for the above-named participant to have photographs and/or videos, including interviews, while attending the Day Club, and all other related activities.

In the case of an emergency accident and/or illness, including death, I understand that the day club staff and/or volunteers will initiate any care, including lifesaving measures (if they do not have an "Out of Hospital DNR" on file), and will call 911 prior to contacting the caregivers or other relatives and friends as designated in the 'contact' information on page one of this form.

(Signature)

(Date)

Witness \_\_\_\_\_



## East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance Photo/Media/Art Release

## Photos/Video/Media/Internet

Yes! I give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_\_ (participant's or volunteer's name) photo/videos to be taken and released by entities deemed appropriate by the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church including local media outlets for use in publicity and news coverage (TV, Radio, Newspaper, Websites) and the Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church newsletter. Furthermore, I give permission for my/his/her name to appear in print as a caption to photographs in any and all publications approved by the Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church.

No! I do not give permission for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_to appear in photographs, named in captions, or in video deemed appropriate by the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church.

## Artwork (Participants Only)

Yes! I give permission for the artwork created by \_\_\_\_\_\_ (participant's name) while attending Hope & Help Day Club to be used by the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church for display purposes at fundraising events, galas, or publicity functions and to be copied and printed (i.e. notecard fronts) for purposes of the same deemed appropriate by the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church.

No! I do not give permission for art created by \_\_\_\_\_\_ while attending Hope & Help Day Club to be used by the East Texas Alzheimer's Alliance/Mobberly Baptist Church for any reason. The artwork will be immediately returned to the artist and their caretaker.

Participant or Volunteer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Caregiver or Volunteer Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_