

The cultural influence of values, norms, meanings and perceptions in understanding dementia in ethnic communities'

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Key Words:

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Research aim:

This article highlights the limited findings regarding ways in which culture can influence caregiving to older persons suffering from dementia across different ethnic groups in the United States.

Results/Conclusion:

Findings show that family caregiving processes and help seeking are influenced by the meanings family members assign.

Implications:

Cultural Group(s):

African, Chinese, European, Hispanic

Location of study:

United States

Age group:

Caregivers of people with dementia

Number included in study:

121

Type of participants:

caregivers of people with dementia

Research approach:

Qualitative

Type of data:

Primary

Secondary data sources used:

Specific scales or analytical techniques used:

Implications/ Recommendations:

Notes: