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When Does Someone with Dementia Need 24/7 Care?

Your loved one's journey with dementia is an emotional journey for the whole family, and it's full of new challenges and difficult decisions as the condition progresses. Although every situation is different, let's discuss some of the signs that someone with dementia needs 24/7 care:



ESCALATING CARE NEEDS It's common for someone with dementia to experience a decline in physical health and an increase in the need for help with daily activities such as bathing, dressing, and moving safely around the home.



WANDERING When you notice increased confusion and start to worry about wandering, 24/7 monitoring is essential for their safety and well-being.



CHANGES IN BEHAVIOR If challenging behaviors such as paranoia, agitation, eating problems or disturbed sleep patterns are difficult to manage at home, it's essential to find a safe and supportive environment for your loved one.



HOME SAFETY CONCERNS Dementia can lead to a decline in mobility and increased risk of falls. If you worry about your loved one living on their own at home, trust your instincts and help them make the transition to dementia care.



CAREGIVER STRESS If you feel stressed and worried when leaving your loved one alone at home, this is a clear sign that it's time to seriously consider a long-term care setting providing 24/7 care for people with dementia.

Parkwood provides 24/7 safety and support.

At Parkwood, our Memory Care program is designed to provide engaging experiences and calming therapies for people with dementia, all within a safe and secure environment. To learn more about our person-centered approach to Memory Care, call **817-369-8117** or visit us online at **parkwoodretirementlcs.com/skilled-nursing/memory-care**.