

**ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE TASK FORCE  
RECOMMENDATION FORM**

*Please include only one recommendation on each form.*

**This form must be returned via e-mail to [katie.mulford@iowa.gov](mailto:katie.mulford@iowa.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m.,  
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**Each recommendation must fit into one of the following categories. Please check the appropriate box:**

**Education and training**  
 **Funding and reimbursement**

**Services and housing**  
 **Wellness and disease management**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Develop a state position that

- 1) Would educate and assist IASDA members on meeting regulation requirements
- 2) Communicate with IASDA on issues pertaining to state and national issues
- 3) Assist and mentor the development of new adult day centers in the state.
- 4) Assist, mentor, and educate respite programs in the state who do not have the means or support to become Adult Day Centers.

**IN 250 WORDS OR LESS, PLEASE INCLUDE COMMENTS, JUSTIFICATION, RESOURCES OR OTHER INFORMATION TO HELP THE TASK FORCE UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF YOUR RECOMMENDATION.**

The state has a wonderful service available that addresses many of the needs of caregivers for dementia folks. Adult Day Services provides support to the caregiver and the folks with dementia receive the best of care. Because of the demands and time constraints the Adult Day staff experience little to no time to communicate and address issues outlined in the recommendation. As a state we need to embrace the adult day services already in place and build on expanding these services throughout the state.