

**Test Questions for “Oral Health for Dementia Care”**

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| 1. Being disabled, homebound, or institutionalized increases one’s risk for poor oral health. | Yes | No |
| 2. Many older Americans do not have dental insurance.   | Yes | No |
| 3. Roughly 42% of elderly in California are toothless.  | Yes | No |

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| 4. Having missing teeth can affect nutrition, since people without teeth often prefer soft, _____. |     |    |
| 5. Older adults may have new tooth decay at higher rates than _____.                               |     |    |
| 6. It’s especially important that _____ develop a rapport with dementia patients.                  |     |    |
| 7. Dry mouth could be a result of poor oral care.  | Yes | No |

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| 8. Diabetes is not a health condition that can cause poor oral health.         | Yes | No |
| 9. Frequent pulling at the mouth or face can only be the result of an allergy. | Yes | No |
| 10. The dentist should make her/himself familiar with communication approaches | Yes | No |