

The following statements are some of those things that previous participants told us they hoped to get out of the Forum. We would like you to tell us the extent to which you agree or disagree with each statement *now that you have participated in the Forum*. Simply put a check mark (✓) in the circle that best reflects how you feel.

[Note: If you are a professional care provider or student, please just skip those statements that do not apply to you].

	I <i>strongly</i> disagree	I <i>disagree</i>	I am not sure or neutral	I <i>agree</i>	I <i>strongly</i> agree
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
“After attending the <i>Changing Melody Forum</i>, I believe...”					
I now know more about Alzheimer’s disease and other dementias)))))
I now know more about available treatments.....)))))
I now know more about meaningful activities and strategies that could benefit me)))))
I now know more about available dementia services, programs, and agencies)))))
I feel better knowing I am not alone by knowing others have experienced what I have)))))
I learned the importance of respecting <i>everyone</i> involved in dementia care)))))
I have learned how I could become a strong dementia advocate)))))
I have learned how to better support others with dementia.....)))))
I helped others by sharing my experiences with dementia.....)))))
I gained a lot by hearing from others about their experience with dementia)))))
I gained a lot by interacting with <i>diverse</i> groups involved in dementia care.....)))))
My sense of isolation felt in dementia has been reduced.....)))))
I have learned new strategies or “tips” for day-to-day living with dementia.....)))))
I now feel more positive about the future)))))
I feel empowered/enabled to be the best that I can be)))))
I learned new ways of coping with dementia.....)))))
I have gained a more positive perspective on dementia.....)))))
I feel more in control of my situation dealing with dementia)))))
I have learned how to live a more meaningful life with dementia.....)))))
I now feel better about my situation dealing with dementia)))))

After attending the Forum...

Your Satisfaction with the Forum in General

a. Please check (✓) the *one* circle that *best describes* how satisfied you were with each of these aspects of the Forum.

<i>How you felt about...</i>	<i>Not at all</i>				<i>Very</i>
	<i>satisfied</i>				<i>satisfied</i>
the length of the day.....)))))
the pace of the day)))))
the layout of the program manual)))))
the quality of the presentations)))))
the speakers (e.g., style, knowledge))))))
the Forum overall)))))

b. "I attended the *Changing Melody Forum* as..." (please check *one*):

-) a person living with dementia) a formal care provider or health care professional
) a partner in care (i.e., a family caregiver)) Other: _____

c. Please indicate below how much you agree or disagree that the *Celebrating Accomplishments* was an important part of your experience at the Forum:

- Strongly* *Neutral/* *Strongly*
 disagree no opinion agree
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Please describe your overall perceptions of the Forum.

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Your Forum Evaluation

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