



DEMENTIA-FRIENDS IDAHO

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30,000 IDAHOANS WITH ADRD
SEATING IN BRONCO STADIUM

3RD LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

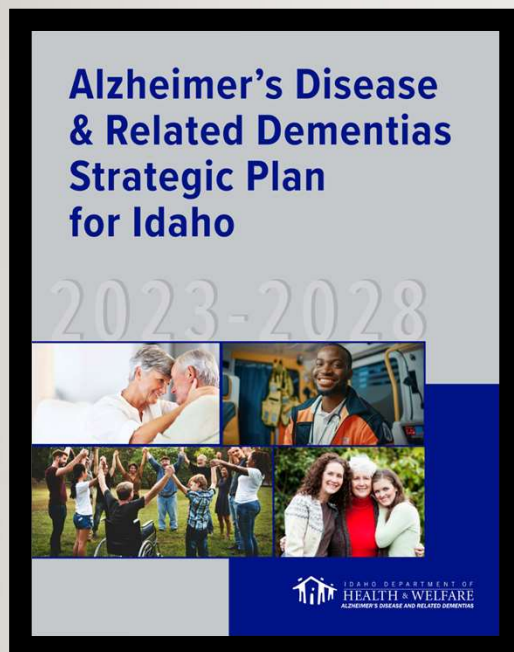
8 GERIATRICIANS

66,000 FAMILY CAREGIVERS

10.8% OF IDAHOANS $\geq$ 45 REPORT MEMORY LOSS



IDAHO SPECIFIC DATA



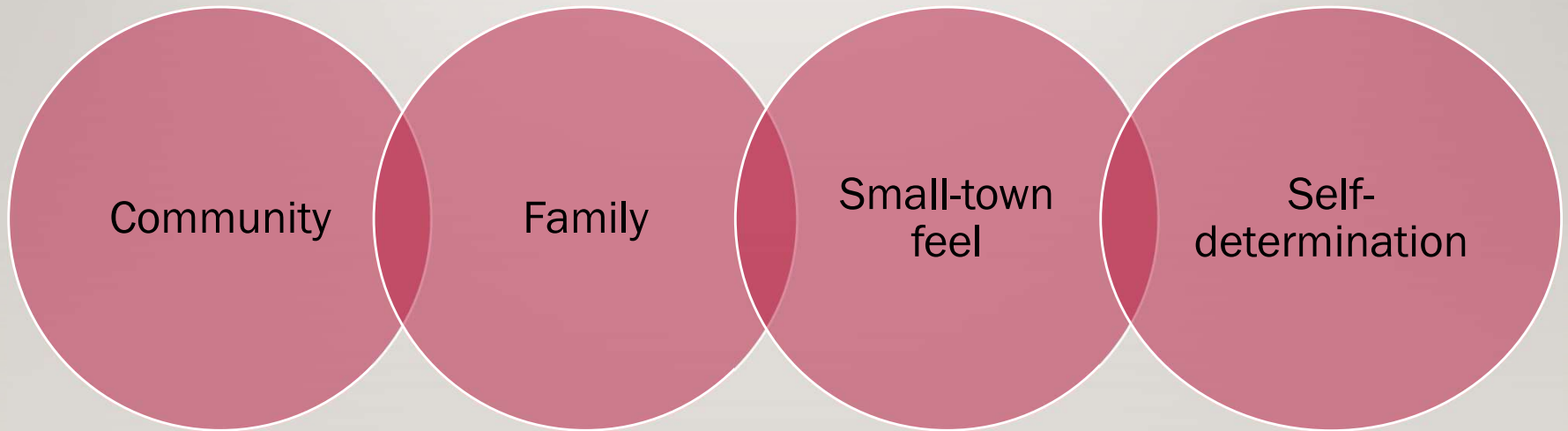
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WHY IS IDAHO WORKING TO BECOME DEMENTIA- FRIENDLY



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IDAHO'S VALUES



FROM THE 2023-2028 ADRD STRATEGIC PLAN FOR IDAHO

SMART Goal #4:

**By December 2028, we will have ten dementia-friendly communities
across Idaho, including rural areas.**

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE DEMENTIA- FRIENDLY?



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‘Communities where people with dementia and their caregivers receive better community support and have greater opportunities to stay actively engaged and remain at home as long as possible.’



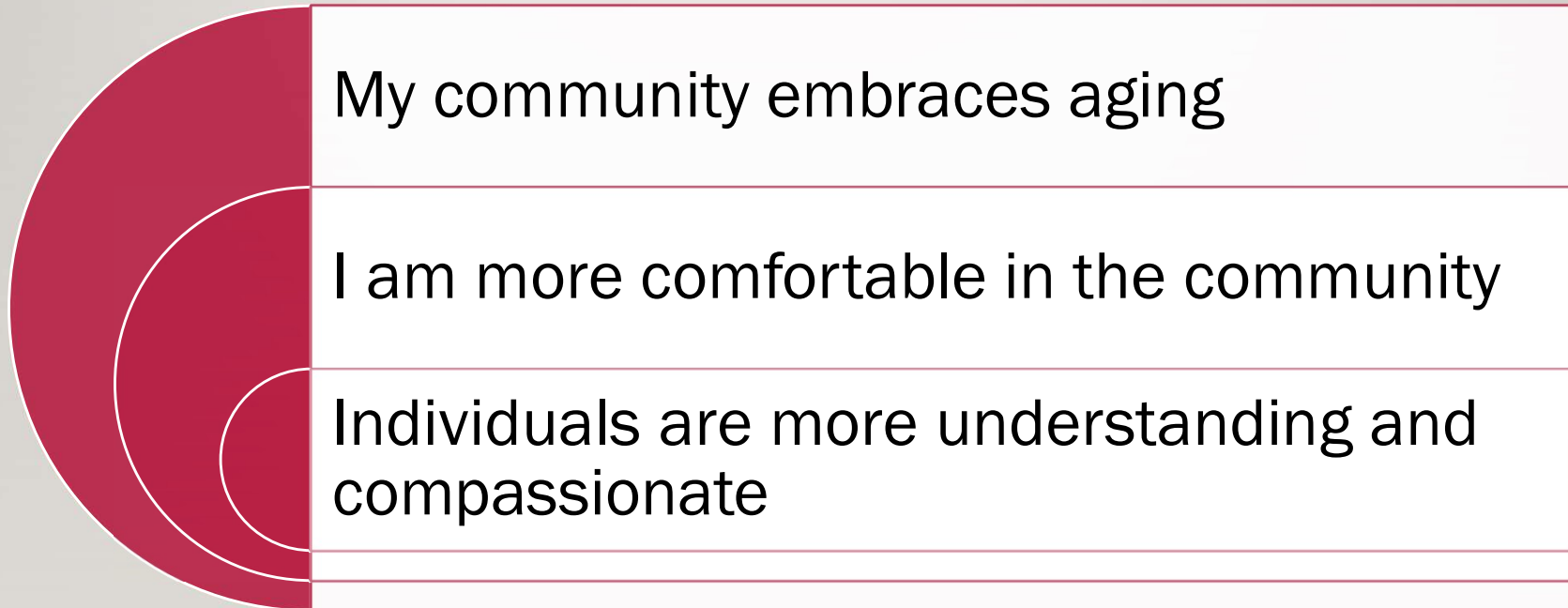
‘A city, town, or village where people with dementia are understood, respected, and supported.’



‘Villages, towns, and cities where people understand dementia, there is less fear and avoidance, and people living with dementia are included and supported to live independently for longer.’



HOW DOES BECOMING DEMENTIA-FRIENDLY IMPACT ME?



CHANGING NORMS

DEMENTIA DOES NOT JUST LOOK
LIKE THIS



DEMENTIA WITH FRIENDS CAN LOOK
LIKE THIS

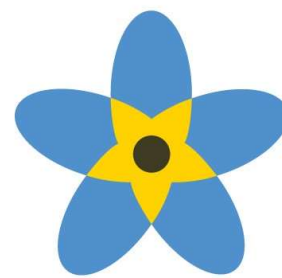


**HELP IDAHO REACH
THE GOAL OF 10
DEMENTIA-FRIENDLY
COMMUNITIES BY
2028**

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A Dementia Friendly America initiative

About Dementia Friends Idaho, visit the following website:

<https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/dementia-friends>

About the ADRD Alliance, visit the following website:

<https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/about-dhw/boards-councils-committees/idaho-alzheimers-disease-and-related-dementias-adrd-alliance>

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