The staff of Nightingale Homecare is qualified to provide dementia care using the unique approach taught by Dr. Verna Benner-Carson through her “Alzheimer’s Whisperers” program. Alzheimer’s Whisperers enter the client’s world and manage the challenging behaviors associated with dementia in a way that is gentle, creative and highly effective. These skills can then be taught to families, thus enabling the person with dementia to continue to be cared for safely at home.

Services Include:

- Standardized cognitive and functional assessments specifically targeted to the person with dementia
- Effective interventions targeted to identified needs and delivered in the comfort and familiarity of the home, through all stages of the disease
- Training for families and caregivers so that they too can understand and apply the care techniques
- One on one caregiver teaching sessions with handouts targeted to specific behaviors, which caregivers can then keep
- Rehabilitative services designed to assure the highest level of function throughout the course of the disease
- Close communication and collaboration with the client’s physician
- Medical Social Services to assist families in long term planning and to assist with access to needed community resources
- Compassionate caregivers that are available to provide care and respite up to 24 hours per day