

Ten Questions That Police And Family Should Ask About Driving And Dementia

- 1. How severe is the dementia?**
- 2. Are hearing and eyesight normal?**
- 3. Is the patient physically capable of managing a vehicle?**
- 4. Will medication or illness cloud the patient's thinking?**
- 5. Does the patient see or hear things?**
- 6. Does the patient have false beliefs?**
- 7. Does the patient have episodes of aggression or hostility?**
- 8. Should a consultation with a dementia specialist be considered?**
- 9. Who will supervise the patient if he/she is allowed to drive?**
- 10. Does the family understand the criminal and civil liability of a motor vehicle accident with the dementia patient?**