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*Innovations Clearinghouse on Family Caregiving,*
http://www.caregiver.org/caregiver/jsp/content_node.jsp?nodeid=2319
An online community promoting professional knowledge around families in their caregiving role.

*Family Caregiver Alliance. Practical tools and resources for caregivers.*
Provides links to resources and tools for family caregivers.
http://caregiver.org/caregiver/jsp/content/pdfs/FCA-Harford-Practical%20Tools-Caregivers.pdf

*Ontario Family’s Councils Program.*
Includes newly updated *A guide to starting and maintaining a family council program,* Toronto, 2010. Download at http://www.familycouncilmembers.net/manual.html (publication is free, but you must register).

*Institute for Family Centered Care.*
http://www.familycenteredcare.org/
The Institute for Family-Centered Care, a non-profit organization, provides leadership to advance the understanding and practice of family-centered care. The site provides an online discussion groups, information on family centered care in a variety of settings and a list of its extensive publications.

*Toronto's Homes for the Aged. Just for families: family education.*
http://www.toronto.ca/ltc/familyeducation.htm
A series of information brochures created to provide important information for family members of residents living in Toronto’s Homes for the Aged.

*University of Iowa, Iowa Geriatric Education Centre. Info-Connect. Family involvement in care for persons with dementia in long-term care facilities.*
http://www.healthcare.uiowa.edu/igec/publications/info-connect/default.asp
These handbooks are for health care professionals and for families of individuals in long term care. Topics include: Making the most of visits to nursing home residents who have dementia; Taking care of yourself while taking care of a loved one who's in a nursing home; Understanding and dealing with problem behaviours of nursing home residents; Mental health and nursing home residents; Facilitating cooperation between nursing home residents’ family; Living with loss: when a loved one dies in a nursing home.

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