How to use this Logic Model / Driver Diagram Template:

1. The Driver Diagram is an action–oriented logic model that begins with an understanding of the Aim (i.e., goals) and identifies the Drivers (i.e., primary drivers or secondary drivers) necessary to achieve that aim. The Strategies suggest the activities that will accomplish those Drivers.
2. We use measures linked to the Driver Diagram to help understand whether we are achieving our Aim in the work. We need measures that define the Aim and measures for each of the Primary Drivers (e.g., big ideas or areas of work) that tell us if we are making progress toward the Aim.
3. The Primary Drivers are outlined in the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and Program Award Application. Each applicant will determine the Secondary Drivers (e.g., identify specifically what influences the Primary Drivers and how change ideas relate to the drivers) and Strategies that they believe will help them achieve their Aim. This process starts with questions: What can we do to increase Awareness and Recognition of Dementia? What can we do that will increase the likelihood of an Accurate and Timely Diagnosis? The answers to those questions are the Secondary Drivers. How they will do that work, make up the Strategies.
4. The logic model provides an opportunity to envision a comprehensive approach to addressing dementia. The NOFO and Program Award Applications ask that the Applicants to provide a comprehensive approach to care and services for persons living with dementia and their caregivers, and identify funding streams that will support service delivery. This template can be used to make the logic of this comprehensive approach clear. The work to be undertaken in the two years of the project period should be reflected in one or more of the Strategies of the Applicant’s Driver Diagram/Logic Model.

**AIM: Improve care, services, and outcomes for American Indians and Alaska Natives living with dementia and their caregivers**

As Measured by: (*How will this be measured? How will we know that changes are an improvement?)*

Drivers:

1. Increase **Awareness and Recognition** of Dementia
2. Make an **Accurate and Timely Diagnosis**
3. Provide an **Interdisciplinary Assessment** to identify need for services and an appropriate plan of care, for individuals living with dementia and their caregivers.
4. Provide comprehensive, person-centered **Management and Referral** to meet needs
5. **Support Caregivers**

1. Increase **Awareness and Recognition** of Dementia

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