

# APA Style PowerPoint Presentations: Avoiding Plagiarism

How to acknowledge our sources according to APA style in an in-class presentation.

# Plagiarism & Your Presentation

- ▶ Plagiarism can occur on any assignment, including in-class presentations.
- ▶ Treat your PowerPoint slides like you would any research paper. Provide citations and references for ANY outside sources, including:
  - ▶ Direct quotations
  - ▶ Paraphrased words and ideas
  - ▶ Tables and data
  - ▶ Images
  - ▶ Video and audio files
- ▶ Oral citations should be backed up with written citations in your slides (Drummer, 2012)

# Basic Components of a Table

*Table number* → Table 1

*Table Title* → *Numbers of Children With and Without Proof of Parental Citizenship*

*Stub column:*  
*lists major*  
*independent of*  
*predictor*  
*variables*

	Girls		Boys	
Grade	With	Without	With	Without
3	280	240	281	232
4	297	251	290	264
5	301	260	306	221
Total	878	751	877	717

← *Column heads: Identifies entries in column in body of table*

*Table note* → **Note.** General notes to a table appear here, including definitions of abbreviations. *If all or part of the table is adapted give full credit to the copyright owner.*

Adapted from “Citizenship myths” by F.G. Castro, and F.J. Campbell, 2014, *Cultural Psychology*, 13, p.232.

← *Citation: provide complete citation in table note*



Figure 1. Wedgewood Retirement Home (Riverstone, 2014)

Web Image:  
Include a figure note describing the image and a parenthetical citation.

When you can, hyperlink images and citations to the source!

# Helping Clients Transition from Independent Living Assisted Living

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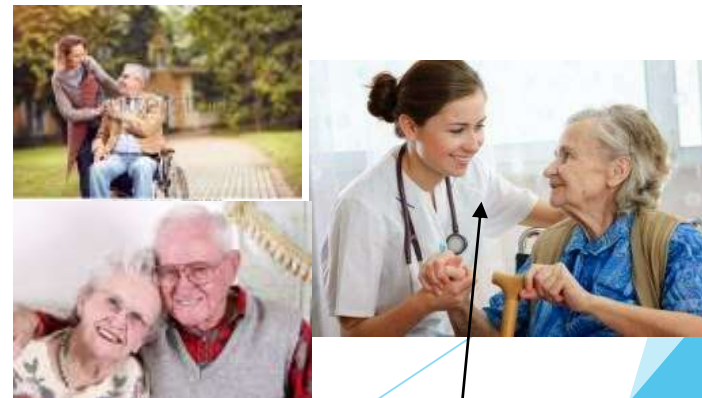
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# What Is Assisted Living?

- ▶ **Able to direct their own care/Able to make decisions on their own behalf** - being able to make the range of decisions that allow people to function safely in the supportive semi-independent environment of an assisted living residence. “Under section 26(3) of the *Community Care and Assisted Living Act*, operators are prohibited from housing someone who is unable to make decisions on their own behalf.” (Government of British Columbia, 2013, para. 6)
- ▶ Currently a high percentage of Canadian elderly take advantage of assisted living. (Cohen, 2014)

Citations: for a quotation

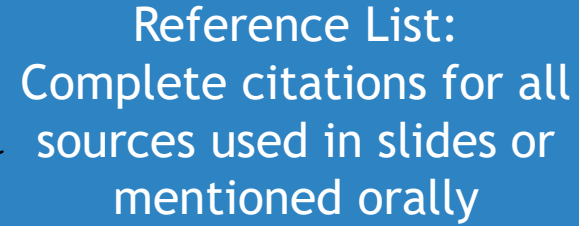
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# References

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Complete citations for all  
sources used in slides or  
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