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Culture Change in Practice

Royal Learning Circle



"Culture Change in Practice" is our own weblog where people can become involved in a conversation about Culture Change as it is practiced by professionals in real nursing homes. Feel free to join the conversation, or post a comment about something you have learned on your journey.

<u>www.culturechangeno</u> <u>w.com/weblog</u>.html Posted by Steph Kilen at 9:53 AM

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Try this out for a learning circle topic: "If you were King or Queen for a day, what would you do?" Ask for details. It's kind of a fun one, meant for some conversation and sharing with elders. However, you just may get some ideas for ways to improve residents' lives. After having no say, it can be hard to ask for things, at least things beyond choice in services already offered. But, when you ask folks to think big, you may find the key to secret dreams and desires. As King, someone may want his own chocolate factory. Well, that may not happen, but you can be sure to stock his favorite candy bars. Or, as Queen, someone may want to throw a grand ball. See if you can't put together such a party and invite family, the community or a neighboring household. Get the idea? Now go make the residents feel like royalty!

