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**PRESENT POSITIONS:** Senior Researcher at Norwegian National Centre for Ageing and Health and Professor at Molde University College, Norway

**HIGHEST ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION:** PhD

**PROFILE OF MEMBER:**

My current positions are Professor, Faculty of Health and Social Sciences, Molde University College, and Senior Researcher, Norwegian National Centre of Ageing and Health. I have been working as a clinical nurse, supervisor, and head of an Old Age Psychiatry Unit for 25 years before I turned into research and finished my PhD at the University of Oslo in 2013.

**AREAS OF EXPERTISE:**

My main research topics are person-centred dementia care, day care designed for people with dementia, basic needs and user involvement for people with dementia and risk factors and dementia prevention.

**KEY PUBLICATIONS (Max. 5):**

Kjelvik G, **Rokstad AMM**, Stuebs J. *et al.* (2022) Public knowledge about dementia risk reduction in Norway. *BMC Public Health*, 2046 (2022). <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-022-14433-w>

**Rokstad AMM**, Eriksen S, Bjørkløf GH (2021) The facilitation of user-involvement for people with dementia as experienced by health care professionals: A qualitative study using focus groups, *Aging & Mental Health*, DOI: 10.1080/13607863.2021.1975094

**Rokstad AMM**, Røsvik J, Fossberg M, Eriksen S (2021) The COVID-19 pandemic as experienced by the spouses of home-dwelling people with dementia – a qualitative study. *BMC Geriatr*, 583 (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12877-021-02551-w>

Telenius EW, Eriksen S, **Rokstad AMM**. (2020) “I need to be who I am”: a qualitative interview study exploring the needs of people with dementia in Norway *BMJ Open*, 10: e035886. doi: 10.1136/bmjopen-2019-035886

**Rokstad AMM**, Engedal K, Kirkevold Ø, Benth JS, Selbæk G. (2018) The impact of attending day care designed for home-dwelling people with dementia on nursing home admission: a 24-month controlled study. *BMC Health Services Research*, 18:864. s. 1-11

**RELEVANT RESEARCH ACTIVITY:**

**Covid-19 in nursing homes**, Funded by Norwegian National Advisory Unit on Ageing and Health and Molde University College 2020 – current (ongoing)

**The needs of people with dementia - creating a knowledge base for "Dementia plan 2020"**, Funded by the Norwegian Directorate of Health 2016 – 2020 (completed)

**ECOD – Effects and Costs of a Day Care Centre Program for Persons with Dementia**, Funded by The Research Council of Norway 2013 – 2020 (completed)

**CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS/ONGOING PROJECT TITLE:**

**Risk factors of dementia in a life-course perspective. Measures to overcome barriers to modification of health behaviour.**, Funded by the Research Council of Norway 2020-2025

**HOW DO YOU INTEND TO CONTRIBUTE TO INTERDEM:**

Take actively part in the Task force on prevention group