

2009 Assisted Living Best Practices *Creative Dementia Programs and Services: The Whole Package*

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Location:
New Jersey Hospital Association
760 Alexander Road, Princeton

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Quality improvement often is best achieved through learning what works well and adapting it to your own facility's environment. To help assisted living providers in New Jersey, the Department of Health and Senior Services developed the "Assisted-Living Best Practices Program." This program recognizes and disseminates information about what works well in assisted living residences so that other providers can use these showcased programs to improve quality. This year's best practices topic is *Creative Dementia Programs and Services – The Whole Package*.

Best Practices Award recipients will present their programs.

DHSS and the Ombudsman for the Institutionalized Elderly also will provide an update on several important topics including the soon-to-be required DHSS Assisted Living Disclosure Statement, admission agreements and related policies, the Ombudsman Disclosure Consent Form, upcoming requirements related to food service, survey trends and the Assisted Living Resident Profile Survey report.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Assisted-living executive directors, managers and wellness coordinators

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

CALA and LNHA credits have been applied for.

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Fees: NJHA, HCANJ, NJAHS members

\$60 per person

Non-Members: \$75 per person

Includes continental breakfast and materials.

- **Payment by credit card or check is required along with this registration form in order to be registered. Faxed copies of check will not be accepted.**

- Registrations will be accepted by FAX at 609-275-4271 **ONLY IF ACCOMPANIED BY** credit card information (MasterCard, VISA or American Express).

- Make checks payable to: HRET of NJ

- Mail to: Educational Services

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If your check is being processed you may use a credit card to hold your registration. Please write "HOLD ONLY" by the credit card information. **Credit card will be charged if check is not received by the date of the conference.**

I AGREE TO THESE TERMS.

- Cancellations received by Sept. 11 will receive a refund minus a \$20 per person service fee. Cancellations received after that date will not be eligible for a refund.

- Registrants unable to attend may send an alternate.

- **No confirmation will be sent.**

- For FAX copies of brochures or a calendar of upcoming seminars, call 609-275-4113, or go to <http://www.njha.com/hret/conted.aspx>.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, OR IF YOU HAVE A DISABILITY AND NEED A SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION, PLEASE CALL 609-275-4180 or 4181.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

8:30 *Registration and Continental Breakfast*

9:00 **Welcome**

Theresa Edelstein, MPH, LNHA
Vice President, Continuing Care Services
NJHA

Kathy Fiery
Director, Division of Assisted
Living/Alternative Care
Health Care Association of New Jersey

Michelle Guhl
President and CEO
New Jersey Association of Homes and
Services for the Aging

9:15 **Best Practices Program
Introduction**

Alison Gibson
Director
Office of Health Facilities Assessment &
Survey
Division of Health Facilities Evaluation
& Licensing
New Jersey Department of Health
and Senior Services

9:30 **Best Practice Programs
Award Recipients**

10:30 **Something Old, Something New – An
Update from DHSS and the Office of
the Ombudsman**

- Assisted Living Disclosure Statement
- Admission agreements and related policies
- Ombudsman Disclosure Consent Form
- Upcoming requirements related to certification of food service managers
- Survey trends
- The Assisted Living Resident Profile Survey report

Alison Gibson

Debra Branch, Esq.
Ombudsman for the Institutionalized
Elderly
Department of the Public Advocate

12:00 *Program Evaluation and Adjournment*

For directions visit NJHA on the Web at
<http://www.njha.com/directions.aspx>

To register online with a credit card please go to
www.HRET-Register.com.

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