



Community Services Professional Development Thursday, April 25, 2013

Workshop Program



- 8:00 am – 8:30 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 am – 8:45 am ***Welcome and Introduction to the Importance of Getting Around***
Elinor Ginzler, Virginia Thomas, and Nanette Schieke
- 8:45 am – 9:45 am ***The Effects of Aging on Health, Driving & Personal Mobility***
Barbara Resnick and Timothy Jones
How normal aging can affect health and impact driving ability; age-related conditions that influence driving skills, walking ability, and ability to navigate the travel environment; how a wellness approach supports safe driving; key indicators & complexities of driving; and steps individuals can take to maintain health & stay safe on the road.
- 9:45 am – 10:00 am BREAK/Refreshments
- 10:00 am – 11:30 am ***Assessing Functional Ability & Promoting Driving Longevity***
Deondra Jones, Fran Carlin-Rogers, and Jennifer Holz
Medical Review Process – how it works & how it can help; how to identify functional decline (warning signs etc) and role of professionals in addressing functional decline that impacts the ability to stay mobile; identifying resources to help seniors adapt to health conditions and meet their needs, such as CarFit; and identify resources to both family members and professionals working with clients who may be in need of transitioning from driving.
- 11:30 am – 12:30 pm LUNCH
- 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm ***Considerations for a Personal Transportation Plan & Helping Families***
Virginia Dize, Catherine R. Willis, and Joanne E. Williams
Programs, services & resources to help families & clients as they seek to stay engaged in their communities as they age and need mobility options; identify programs from calculating financial value of car ownership to resources available when transitioning from driving to mobility alternatives; and the abc's of using public transit and the role of mobility management to maximize mobility.
- 1:30 pm – 1:45 pm BREAK/Refreshments
- 1:45 pm – 3:00 pm ***Case Presentations of At-Risk Drivers / Discussion of Appropriate Prevention, Intervention, & Resilience***
Elinor Ginzler and Deondra Jones

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