Diagnosing the Diagnosis

This educational conference is designed to provide knowledge and insight to professionals working in the healthcare field regarding dementia topics such as the importance of early detection, updates in research and legislation, care approaches with patients and specialized techniques to better Diagnose the Diagnosis, helping all who attend find ways to enhance the care of those with memory loss in their midst.







Proceeds from the conference will go to supporting the efforts of the Alzheimer's Association and Family Alliance Inc.

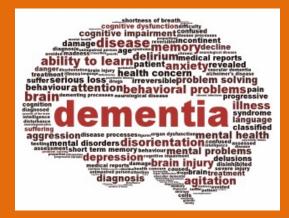
Community Resource Booth Space is available. For more information, contact Katie Monahan at 847-878-3836 or KatieM@dimensionshhc.com

Continuing Education Credits

6 Continuing Education Clock hours for Nurses, Social Workers and Nursing Home Administrators will be offered by Elderwerks. Universal training hours provided for all other professions.

Dimensions Home Health Care is a Certified Sponsor of professional continuing education with the National Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners and International Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners for members holding certifications as CDP, CDCM and CADDCT. 6 CEUs can be earned by attending sessions at Dimensions Home Health Care conference October 8, 2014 at McHenry Club. Conference Country participants will be eligible to receive up to 6 CEUs on October 8, 2014. If you have questions about continuing education units please email KatieM@dimensionshhc.com or call 847-878-3836.

Diagnosing the Diagnosis: *Dementias Defined*



Wednesday, October 8, 2014
7:30am - 4:00pm
McHenry Country Club
820 N. John Street, McHenry, IL 60050

Only \$50 per person
Includes 6 Continuing Education Clock Hours

Seating is Limited, RSVP Today!

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Diane Reier

...is the Director of Sales and Marketing with Autumn Leaves Crystal Lake. With 10+ years of experience in senior related industries, her passion is finding and helping people find the right solutions for their senior loved ones. This industry is close to her heart as she has recently helped her aging parents move into community living as well. Diane states; "Listening is the key...if you actively listen to what people are sharing in conversation you will be given oodles of information that will allow you to truly find what families are looking for in a senior community lifestyle."

Dr. Joshua LaVigne

...is a clinical neuropsychologist specializing in diagnosing brain injury and brain illness. As the director of NeuroClinic and Assessments, he focuses much of his practice on the assessment of people with Alzheimer's disease and other forms of dementia to develop comprehensive care plans in conjunction with physicians and psychiatrists.

Mary Helen Ekstam, MT-BC

...is a board certified music therapist with JourneyCare. Throughout her career as a music therapist, composer, performer, and health care executive, she has developed many workshops in which music is explored to enhance optimum health or to assist in dealing with an illness or injury. With expertise in neurological rehabilitation, hospice, palliative medicine and music therapy, she has presented at national and regional conferences.

Anna Alvarez, RN, MSN

...is the Regional Director of Home Care and Senior Consultant for Health Dimensions Group. With more than 25 years of experience as an accomplished senior management executive serving the health care industry, Ms. Alvarez has held key executive positions with businesses focused on the management and delivery of post-acute services including home healthcare, palliative care and hospice services.

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7:30 am	Registration and Breakfast	820 W. John Street, McHenry, IL
8:00 am	Welcome and Introductions	Wednesday, October 8, 2014
8:15 am	Virtual Dementia Explained Diane Reier, Autumn Leaves	Registration Deadline: Friday, September 26, 2014
9:15 am	Break & Visit Resource Booths	Registration Form:
9:30 am	Diagnosing the Diagnosis Dr. Joshua LaVigne, NeuroClinic	Name:
	and Assessments	Title:
11:30 pm	Lunch & Resource Booths	License #:
12:30 pm	Music and the Brain Mary Helen Ekstam,	Company:
	JourneyCare Hospice	Address, City, State & Zip Code:
2:00 pm	Break & Visit Resource Booths	
2:15 pm	Working with Individuals with Dementia	Phone:
	Anna Alvarez, Health Dimensions Group	Email:
3:45 pm	Conference Wrap-Up and Door Prizes	Or register by emailing to: Events@Elderwerks.com
		Please send registration and check made

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