



Agency for Health Care Administration Joint Training for Assisted Living Facilities

Wednesday, March 28 – Tampa
Friday, March 30 – Orlando
Wednesday, April 4 – Weston
Wednesday, April 11 – Tallahassee

Approved for 6 hours of continuing education – FHCA Provider Number 50-720:

- Florida Board of Nursing Home Administrators
- Florida Board of Nursing
- Florida Board of Clinical Social Work
- Florida Board of Occupational Therapy
- Florida Board of Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology
- FHCA does not have NAB approval for this program.

Assisted living facilities are at the center of attention for policy makers, regulators, advocates, media interests, financiers, and state and federal legislators. This focus will continue into 2012 through new legislative proposals, broader implementation of a new survey process, an updated, streamlined regulation set, and ongoing national scrutiny.

As Florida's assisted living community anticipates and adapts to operational and philosophical shifts, Florida Health Care Association is pleased to announce, in collaboration with the Florida Assisted Living Association and Leading Age Florida (formerly FAHSA), a one-day joint training in four convenient locations throughout Florida. Experts from the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Children & Families will address today's most critical topics facing Florida's assisted living communities.

This educational offering will equip ALF providers with the latest, most authoritative information for maintaining successful operations, strong resident services, and safety in a changing environment. Attendees at Florida's first-ever joint training designed especially for ALFs will learn about regulatory expectations across a broad spectrum of areas including managing adverse behaviors, crisis intervention, appropriate placement, training requirements, and state training responsibilities.

Agency staff will provide attendees with insights from the new resident-focused survey process. Attendees will get a status review of the Agency's background screening results database and learn how the Agency is working with other agencies to improve resident outcomes for the assisted living community.

Target Audience:

Assisted living facility executive directors, administrators, nurse leaders, charge nurses, social workers, therapists, activity directors, consultants, education trainers, dietary staff, and representatives of long term care ombudsmen and state surveyors

Program Objectives:

- Highlight 2012 legislative changes
- Review trends noted on the new resident-focused survey process
- Identify the new abbreviated survey thresholds and tasks
- Discuss the modified regulation set categorization and the Z-tags
- Explore the Baker Act and mental illness impacts on ALFs
- Identify behaviors associated with cognitive conditions
- Review criminal history screening developments and resources
- Discuss pharmacy related and other training requirements
- Review Fire Inspection expectations, the Kitchen Observations Task List, and shared Agencies' responsibilities
- Explain Florida's ALF Medicaid Waiver Program and status update

Faculty:

Polly Weaver, Chief, Bureau of Field Operations – Agency for Health Care Administration

Polly Weaver has over 25 years of regulatory experience and since 1995 has served as the Chief of Field Operations for the Division of Health Quality Assurance, Agency for Health Care Administration. Her responsibilities include management of the eight Agency for Health Care Administration field offices located throughout Florida. In addition, she currently oversees the staff training and quality assurance program, as well as complaint administration activities.

Kim Smoak, QDDP, MSH, Survey & Certification Support Branch Manager – Agency for Health Care Administration

Kim Smoak has been with the Agency for Health Care Administration for over 16 years. Her current responsibilities include monitoring quality improvement/quality assurance indicators for the Division, training survey staff, developing strategies to improve consistency among the field offices and program units, and assisting in interpreting rules, policies, and standards. She is a Qualified Developmental Disability Professional and a certified CMS QIS Trainer.

Catherine Anne Cone, RN, LNC, Operations and Management Consultant – Agency for Health Care Administration

Catherine Anne Cone currently oversees the Statewide ALF Enforcement Team as an RN Specialist for Health Quality Assurance. Previously, she has been a certified Legal Nurse Consultant and has provided expert testimony in both Administrative and Criminal proceedings. Between 2005 and 2008, Ms. Cone was a Medical Investigator with the Office of the Attorney General's Medicaid Fraud Control Unit and involved with the Patient Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation (PANE) and Operation Spot Check investigations. She served as a nursing supervisor with the Tallahassee field office of the Agency for Health Care Administration from 1999-2005, and prior to that was a registered nurse and hospital case manager.

Thanks to our Official Program Sponsor:



Dates and Locations:

March 28, 2012

*DoubleTree Tampa
Airport – Westshore*
4500 West Cypress St
Tampa, FL 33607
(800) 222-8733
Room rate – \$109

March 30, 2012

*Hyatt Regency Grand
Cypress*
1 Grand Cypress Blvd.
Orlando, FL 32836
(800) 233-1234
Room rate – \$189

April 4, 2012

*Hyatt Regency
Bonaventure*
250 Racquet Club Rd.
Weston, FL 33326
(888) 421-1442
Room rate – \$159

April 11, 2012

*Holiday Inn/Monroe
Street Conference Center*
2714 Graves Road
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 536-2000
Room rate - \$119

**Registration begins
at 7:30 a.m. and the
program runs from
8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

Agency for Health Care Administration Joint Training for ALFs

March 28, 30 & April 4, 11, 2012 — Tampa, Orlando, Weston, Tallahassee

Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. and the program runs from 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (lunch and breaks included).

ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM

3 Easy Ways to Register

INTERNET

www.fhca.org
Register online and receive
immediate confirmation.

FAX*

(850) 681-2075
Credit card payments only.
If faxing, DO NOT mail original form.

MAIL*

FHCA
P.O. Box 1459
Tallahassee, FL 32302

FACILITY INFORMATION

Facility/Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Select your member affiliation: FHCA Leading Age Florida FALA Not a member

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Choose from one of the following seminar locations/dates and write your choice in the site location field below: Tampa (Wed, 3/28); Orlando (Fri, 3/30); Weston (Wed, 4/4); Tallahassee (Wed, 4/11)

1. Name _____
Title _____
E-mail _____
License No. _____
Site Location _____
Fee (see description below): \$100 \$75

2. Name _____
Title _____
E-mail _____
License No. _____
Site Location _____
Fee (see description below): \$75

3. Name _____
Title _____
E-mail _____
License No. _____
Site Location _____
Fee (see description below): \$75

4. Name _____
Title _____
E-mail _____
License No. _____
Site Location _____
Fee (see description below): \$75

REGISTRATION FEES

(includes 6 contact hours, handouts, breaks, and lunch)

\$100 – Initial Registrant

\$75 – Additional registrant, same facility

On-site registration fees increase \$25 in each category.

PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Check payable to FHCA

Charge my: American Express MasterCard VISA

Card No. _____ Exp. _____

Cardholder's Name _____

Signature _____

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____

POLICIES

FHCA cannot guarantee your registration will be processed unless it is received 3 business days prior to the seminar date. ***Registrations without payment will not be processed. Registrations cannot be taken by phone.**

Confirmations: Registration confirmations for our programs are available online. Go to www.fhca.org, click on "Events," then "Registration Confirmations" for that event.

Cancellation Policy: A \$30 administrative fee will be charged for each cancellation. No refunds will be given for cancellations received less than 5 business days prior to the seminar.

Florida
Health Care
Association 