

2015
New Focus:
INTERPERSONAL
SAFETY
Ethics & Boundaries
In Providing
Long Term Supports



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Conversations about Interpersonal Safety in Providing Long Term Care

A New Focus for 2015

4-hour Ethics and Boundaries Training

Who should attend?

- Adult and child social workers
- Families , guardians and self advocates
- Provider staff, care managers, case managers, brokers
- County protective services, children's services staff
- Managed care organizations
- Other staff working with frail elders, children or adults with physical or intellectual disabilities

Can we support people to be safe through positive interaction, communication, and teaching -- rather than through control, confinement, and strict rules? How can we think about protection without limiting opportunities?

It might seem unnecessary to suggest the importance of having conversations about safety for individuals who have long term support needs and are very closely monitored. Family members and paid support people are ever present. And yet, advocates report that two of the most frequent comments heard during disclosures of abuse from victims/survivors with disabilities are: "he told me to" and "I have to be nice". And, the people they are talking about were not strangers but known to them.

What is our responsibility, duty, obligation to a person who receives support? What is the right thing to do? This is the language of ethics. During this session we want to explore the ethics of

New 2015 Seminar Schedule

Focus on Safety

<p>March 11, 2015 Fond du Lac 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Retlaw Plaza Hotel 1 North Main Street www.retlawshotel.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: February 25, 2015</p>	<p>May 28, 2015 Madison 8:30-12:30</p> <p>DoubleTree by Hilton 525 West Johnson St. www.doubletreehilton.com/Madison</p> <p>Registration deadline: May 21, 2015</p>
<p>March 12, 2015 Waukesha/Pewaukee 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Country Springs Hotel 2810 Golf Road www.countryspringshotel.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: February 25, 2015</p>	<p>June 2, 2015 Rhineland 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Holiday Acres Resort 4060 South Shore Drive www.holidayacres.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: May 26, 2015</p>
<p>March 18, 2015 Green Bay 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Tundra Lodge 865 Lombardi Ave. www.tundralodge.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: March 4, 2015</p>	<p>June 3, 2015 Stevens Point 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Country Inn and Suites 301 Division St. www.countryinns.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: May 27, 2015</p>
<p>March 19, 2015 Milwaukee 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Clarion Hotel Airport 5311 S. Howell Ave. www.clarionmilwaukee.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: March 4, 2015</p>	<p>June 10, 2015 Hayward 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Flat Creek Inn 10290 State Road 27 S. www.flatcreekhotel.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: June 3, 2015</p>
<p>April 7, 2015 Eau Claire 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Plaza Hotel & Suites 1202 W. Clairemont Ave. www.plazaeauclaire.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: March 31, 2015</p>	<p>June 11, 2015 Tomah 8:30-12:30</p> <p>Cranberry Country Lodge 319 Wittig Road www.cranberrycountrylodge.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: June 4, 2015</p>
<p>April 8, 2015 Richland Center 8:30-12:30</p> <p>City of Richland Center/ Community Center 1050 Orange St. www.richlandcenter.com</p> <p>Registration deadline: March 31, 2015</p>	<p>These trainings are sponsored and coordinated by</p> 

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