Assisted Living in Minnesota: New Framework & Consumer Rights & Protections

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8:00 am - Noon

St. Paul: UMN Continuing Education Conference Center
Live streamed in: Alexandria, Bemidji, Carlton, Detroit Lakes, Mankato, New Ulm, Rochester, St. Cloud, and Thief River Falls

Objectives
1. To understand the new regulatory framework for assisted living in Minnesota.
2. To provide feedback into the development of the assisted living report card.
3. To participate in a community conversation about the impact of legislative changes on the lives of older Minnesotans and family caregivers.

Agenda

8:00 – 8:30  Breakfast and Registration Open
8:30 – 8:45  Local Welcome  Local Host
8:45 – 9:00  Live Stream Welcome & Overview  Lauren Bangerter, Rajean Moone & Jane Pederson Health & Aging Policy Fellows
9:00 – 9:30  New Regulatory Framework  Marie Dotseth, MN Department of Health
9:30 – 10:00 New Consumer Rights & Protections  Mary Jo George, AARP Minnesota
10:00 – 10:15  Office of Ombudsman for LTC  Genevieve Gaboriault, Deputy State Ombudsman
10:15 – 11:00  Local Discussion & Break  Local Facilitators & Recorders

• How will this impact your work with older Minnesotans and family caregivers? Are there any barriers you see in the legislation? Do you see any opportunities in the new legislation?

11:00 – 11:30  Assisted Living Report Card  Kari Benson, MN Board on Aging
11:30 – 11:40  Live Stream Closing  Lauren Bangerter, Rajean Moone & Jane Pederson Health & Aging Policy Fellows
11:40 – 12:00  Local Discussion  Local Facilitators & Recorders

• How do you help older Minnesotans navigate housing and assisted living? What are aspects of quality that you find are important to older Minnesotans and family caregivers?

12:00  Local Closing  Local Facilitators & Recorders

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