



# Older Adults Mental Health Conference



May 11th | 1pm - 4pm  
3 CECs | On-Site & Virtual

Join the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) and the CT Coalition for Elder Justice for this half-day conference on older adults and mental health, featuring experts in geriatric medicine, elder law, and veterans' services. The afternoon will include presentations on the use and misuse of psychotropic medications in older adults, the effects of ageism and loneliness, and a panel discussion on veterans' services and older adults.

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# **Older Adults Mental Health Conference Presentations:**

## **Use/Misuse of Psychotropic Medications in Older Adults**

*Sandra Sherlock-White, JD, and Harry Morgan, MD*

## **Effects of Ageism and Loneliness**

*Deb Bibbins, JD, MBA*

## **Panel on Veterans Services:**

### **VA eligibility and legal services to assist in accessing these services**

*Alison Weir, JD, LLM, CT Veterans Legal Services*

### **Errera programming: Mental health and substance use services for veterans**

*Matthew Abbott, LCSW*

### **VA Elder Services**

*Samuel Adelman, LCSW, and Olivia Druckrey, LMSW*