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Partnering for Quality

Partnering for Quality: Fall Prevention Safety Summit for Skilled Nursing Facilities is sponsored by the Connecticut Department of Public Health and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services in collaboration with the Connecticut Association of Health Care Facilities/Connecticut Center for Assisted Living; Connecticut Department of Rehabilitation Services; Elim Park; LeadingAge Connecticut; Long Term Care Ombudsman Program and Qualidigm.

Funding for the conference content and materials has been made available by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Registration

\$ 40.00/attendee; Kosher lunch may be ordered when registering at an additional cost.

CAHCF/CCAL Members register at
<http://tiny.cc/2019FallSafetySummit>

LeadingAge CT Members register at
<http://www.leadingagect.org>

All others register at either of the above.

Payment by credit card when registering or payment by check at the event is expected. Registration is a commitment to pay.

Additional Information

This program is intended for Administrators, Directors of Nursing Services, Certified Nursing Assistants, Rehabilitative Staff, Medical Directors, Physicians, Physician Assistants, APRNs, Nurses, Social Workers, Therapeutic Recreation Directors and other staff.

5.25 contact hours will be awarded by the Connecticut Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators for attendance at the entire event.

If any special accommodations are necessary, please contact 860-290-9424.

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Fall Prevention Safety Summit for Skilled Nursing Facilities



September 5, 2019

Aqua Turf Club
556 Mulberry Street
Plantsville, CT 06489



Conference Schedule

8:00 AM to 9:00 AM – Registration

9:00 AM to 9:30 AM – Welcome

**9:30 AM to 10:30 AM – Keynote Speaker
(Jaclyn S. Olsen, DO)**

10:30 AM to 10:45 AM – Break

**10:45 AM – 12:00 Noon – A QAPI
Approach to Fall Prevention (Janice
Lexton, DNP, QCP, RN-BC)**

12:00 Noon – 1:00 PM – Lunch

**1:00 PM – 2:00 PM – Evidence Based Tools
and Resources (Ann Spenard, DNP, RN-
BC)**

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM – Panel Discussion

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM – Closing Remarks

Keynote Speaker

Jaclyn S. Olsen, DO

Dr. Jaclyn Olsen, DO, is a double-board certified physician specializing in Internal Medicine and Geriatric Medicine. She attended and graduated with honors from Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2013. She completed her Internal Medicine residency at the University of Connecticut in 2016 and subsequently completed her Geriatric

Medicine fellowship at Harvard in 2017. She is an Assistant Professor of Medicine at the University of Connecticut School of Medicine and teaches geriatric medicine throughout the curriculum. She has served as the Associate Medical Director at Avon Health Center in Avon, CT since 2017 and has particular expertise of the aging process and specialized skills in the diagnostic, therapeutic, preventive, and rehabilitative aspects of older adult healthcare.

Speakers

Janice Lexton, DNP, QCP, RN-BC

Janice Lexton, DNP, QCP, RN-BC is the Chief Nursing Officer at Elim Park in Cheshire, CT. Dr. Lexton believes strongly that it takes a team to achieve positive outcomes and exceed the expectations of our residents and their families.

Ann Spenard, DNP, RN-BC

Ann Spenard, DNP, RN-BC is a Principal and Vice President of Qualidigm in Wethersfield, CT. Dr. Spenard is chiefly responsible for program operations and overseeing major initiatives at Qualidigm, including the Quality Innovation Network-Quality Improvement Organization contract with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

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Conference Information

The purpose of this Fall Prevention Safety Summit for Skilled Nursing Facilities is to provide participants with the tools to reduce the risk of falls in skilled nursing facilities.

The Fall Prevention Safety Summit for Skilled Nursing Facilities will provide better recognition of fall risk factors as well as research-driven and clinically-tested interventions to improve resident quality of life and functional independence.