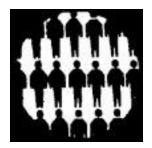
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### WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

As though lowest cost, highest program quality, most pertinent topics as selected by your peers, finest speakers, greatest award of professional credits and double money-back guarantee were not reasons enough for your attendance, let the words of recent conference/exhibit attendees provide additional incentive. In response to our question about ways we could improve, one wrote: "You may be able to improve but I can't imagine how you could offer more excellent programming for the price. It would be a bargain at twice the cost. Count on me to attend your programs and to spread word to my colleagues." And another: "Invaluable in its practical problem solving by national authorities." The programs, organized on a daily basis and appearing in boldface type on the program listed below, are alphabetically coded A-H to correspond to the coding for the speakers addressing them. Speakers may be assisted by executive staff members.

## FEBRUARY 22 For NHA's, DON'S AND ALL SUPERVISORS/MANAGERS MANAGING STRESS AND LABOR LAW

7:30 AM Registration

### 8:00 AM Leading your Staff and Team Building for Conflict Resolution and Organizational Wellness In the Stressful Healthcare Workplace (A)

Leading in an Era of Team Building; Stress Management Tools; Understanding Fundamental Changes in Work Environments; Emotional Intelligence and Staff Behavior; Dealing with Difficult Behavior; Recognizing your Staff as your Most Valued Assets.

12:30 PM LUNCH

### 2:00 PM Hot Topics in Labor and Human Resource Law in LTC (B)

Effective Hiring and Firing Practices; Recent Trends in Wage and Hour Litigation; Preventing Sexual and Other Harassment; ADAAA & FMLA; EFCA Patterns; Labor Law Trends Today & Beyond 6:30 PM End of Program Day

# (A) Sam Anderson, Vice President of Corporate and Community Services; Gateway Rehabilitation Center Mr. Anderson speaks regularly to employees about varied workplace issues, most notably managing stress and enhancing employee wellness. Before joining Gateway, he was Wellness Director at Alcoa Corp. and then at Westinghouse Corp. He has assumed the presentation responsibilities with us formerly held by Dr. Abraham Twerski. Sally Littell, responsible for Gateway's Employee Assistance Program, will co-present.

#### (B) W. Scott Hardy, Partner and Deputy Group Head, Labor and Employment Group; Cohen & Grigsby, P.C.

Mr. Hardy counsels and defends clients in all types of litigation in federal and state courts nationwide. A graduate of Notre Dame's Law School, he was named a Pennsylvania Super Lawyer "Rising Star" and is Vice Chair, Employment Group, American Healthcare Lawyers Association. He has been among the highest rated presenters in each of his past five appearances at our conferences. Phil Kontul and Jessi Herman will co-present.

## FEBRUARY 23 For NHA's, DON's, AND ALL SUPERVISORS/MANAGERS INFECTION CONTROL AND END-OF-LIFE ETHICS

7:30 AM Registration

8:00 AM Confronting LTC's Critical Infection Control Challenges, Especially MDRO's (C)

Recognizing Most Common MDRO's in LTC; Reducing MDRO's Potential Occurrence; Developing a Priority-Based System for Infection Control; Placing All MDRO's Under a Single Policy to Reduce Cross-Contamination; Incorporating Varied Precautionary Techniques for Enhanced Containment; Developing your Facility's Infection Control Policy.

12:30 PM LUNCH

2:00 PM LTC's Ethical Challenges: Help from Ethics in Decision Making at the End of Life – The Competent; The Formerly Competent; The Never Competent (D)

Next Generation Ethics; Flowers in the Desert: Ethical Decision Making; Making Decisions for the Never Competent Resident; Decision Making with the Formerly Competent and Competent Residents; Preserving Choices: Advance Directives; How to Encourage Advance Directives for Residents and Families

6:30 PM End of Program Day

(C) Sister Bernadette Washy, Education Coordinator; Quest Diagnostics, Inc.

Recipient of the Allegheny County Medical Society's Benjamin Rush Award for Health Education and former Infection Control Coordinator for Allegheny County's LTC Facilities, Sister Bernadette is one of the nation's leading infection control consultants and the only expert to be continuingly featured at the state and regional conferences of the profit, nonprofit and public state associations in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio. She was the highest rated presenter in her last conference appearance in 2003.

(D) Dr. Mary Therese Connors, Ethicist; UPMC-Mercy; Duguesne University

In addition to her position as Ethicist with a large hospital system and numerous skilled nursing facilities, Dr. Connors lectures for the Consortium Ethics Program with the University of Pittsburgh Medical System and the Center for Health Care Ethics at Duquesne University. Widely published, she also serves as Duquesne's Clinical Supervisor for Health Care Ethics Residents at health care facilities throughout Western Pennsylvania. She was the highest rated presenter in her last conference appearance in 2002.

### FEBRUARY 24 For NHA's, DON'S AND ALL SUPERVISORS/MANAGERS ARCHITECTURAL AND FINANCIAL EXCELLENCE FOR THE NHA

7:30 AM Registration

8:00 AM Achieving Architectural and Interior Design Excellence: Enhancing Resident Care and Profitability While Upgrading the Budgeting Process, Design Excellence and the Relationship with Your Architect (E)

What Is Good and Appropriate Design; Good Design Need Not Cost More; Evaluating and Integrating Cost-Effective Trends in Architecture and Interior Design; Maximizing Construction Dollars to Optimize Profitability; Budget Impact of Design Decision-Making Process; Hiring the Architect and Getting the Most Out of the Relationship; Studying the Best National Practices

12:30 PM LUNCH

1:00 PM Managing the Revenue Cycle of Your LTC Facility to Insure You, As a NHA, Know Where Your Revenue Is Hiding (F)

Impact of the Admissions Process in Revenue Cycle Management; Don't Just Fill the Beds-Get Paid; Part B Billing; Managing Your Billing Processes; Traditional Revenue Streams in a SNF Setting; Medicare Part B Revenue Opportunities: Are You Missing the Boat; Accounts Receivable Management: Who is Minding the Store; Specialty Product Lines: Which Generate Income Greater than Cost; Medicaid Pending: Pending, Not Lost Revenue; Minding the P's & Q's of the P&L.

5:30 PM End of Program Day

### (E) Stefani Danes, Principal; Perkins Eastman Architects, P.C.

Ms. Danes is a registered architect and one of the nation's foremost figures in designing and managing projects in senior housing and long term care. For 24 years, she has also served on the faculty of the School of Architecture at Carnegie Mellon University, teaching architectural design. She earned her undergraduate degree at Princeton and her Master's Degree at Yale. We are honored by her appearance. Perkins Eastman's Senior Living Practice is one of the largest in the eastern U.S. and Canada. Emily Chmielewski, Gerard Schmidt, and Laurie Butler will co-present.

(F) K. James Hunt, Partner In-Charge, Healthcare Services; Jennifer Cidila and Dan Wolf, Senior Managers, Health Care Services; Carbis, Walker and Associates, LLP.

A CPA and NHA faculty member at two Pennsylvania colleges, Mr. Hunt provides clients with consulting services in maximizing reimbursement. Mr. Cidila and Mr. Wolf, both CPA's, also have extensive experience working with Pennsylvania skilled nursing facilities. They have performed hundreds of audits in third party reimbursement, taxes, and operational improvement/ turnaround. We are pleased that Carbis Walker participates annually; as healthcare specialists, they bring a welcome expertise and are always among the best received by conferees.

### FEBRUARY 25 NHA'S, DON'S AND ALL SUPERVISORS/MANAGERS LTC LAW AND ORGANIZATIONAL EXCELLENCE

### 7:30 AM Registration

### 8:00 AM LTC Law: Major Issues and Recommendations (G)

A Provider's Tools to Obtain Payment for Services Rendered: Admission Agreements, Medicaid Applications/Appeals, Undue Hardship Waivers under Deficit Reductions Act, Guardianships, Litigation Options; Deficit Reduction Act's Impact on Medicaid Eligibility – Transfer Penalties, Undue Hardship Waiver Procedures, Home Equity Limits, Citizenship Requirements; Suggested Revisions to Admission Agreement; County Assistance Office Determinations; Medicaid Eligibility Appeal Process; Guardianships and Medicaid Eligibility; Litigation Tools to Compel Cooperation, Payment, or Medicaid Eligibility; Act 169: Advance Directives, Living Wills, Powers of Attorney, Absence of Legal Documents.

### 12:30 PM LUNCH

### 1:00 PM Facing Special Challenges in LTC Law (H)

Documentation/Records: Requests for Records- What to Do; Key Areas: Intake, Communication with Physicians and Families, Changes in Residents' Conditions; Accuracy; HIPAA; Dealing with Third Parties: Difficult Family Members; What Jurors Think: A Synopsis of a Jury Research Project; Recent Developments in Long Term Care Litigation: Trends, Plaintiff/Defense Themes, Verdicts/Settlements; Litigation-What to Expect: Written Discovery/Documentation Issues; Deposition Tactics; OBRA/State Regulations; Policies and Procedures; Defending Individually Named Defendants; Disgruntled Employees; Under-Staffing, Under-Budget, and Under-Supply Claims; The Developing Picture for LTC; Analyzing a Typical Residency and Identifying Most Common Nursing Errors from Admission to Discharge; Mock Depositions with Respect to NHA's and DON's: Personal Responsibility and Professional Liability; Trends, Successes, and Areas of Concern; Recommendation for Reducing Liability.

### 5:30 PM End of Program Day

### (G) John Kennedy, Managing Partner; Kennedy PC Law Offices

Mr. Kennedy founded his own law firm after serving as Assistant General Counsel for one of America's largest operators of LTC facilities. His firm provides legal services exclusively for the LTC provider community. His areas of practice include: Medicaid/Medicare audit and rate appeals, Medicaid eligibility, guardianships, collections, regulatory matters, civil litigation, and corporate compliance. In law school, he was Managing Editor of the Dickinson Law Review. In his first appearance at a LTC conference in Pittsburgh in Spring 2008, he was awarded the highest review from conferees. Associates in his firm will co-present.



### (H) Stuart O'Neal, Partner; Fred Hughes, Partner; McCumber Daniels, P.A.

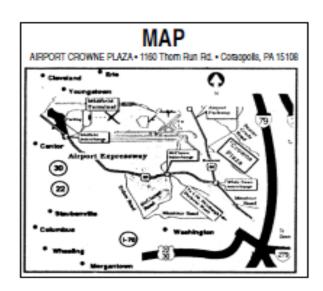
Working from offices in Philadelphia, Mr. O'Neal is responsible for his firm's Pennsylvania operations. His practice focuses on the defense of nursing homes, personal care homes, assisted living facilities and their management companies. He is legal counsel for the PA Assisted Living Association (PALA) and sits on the Pennsylvania Healthcare Association's Tort/Liability Committee, where his firm serves as tort counsel. He represents health care employers in union disputes in both the arbitration and mediation arenas. Fred Hughes will co-present. With offices also in Florida, McCumber Daniels is an AV rated firm that specializes in LTC defense in both civil and administrative proceedings.

### **EXHIBITOR DISPLAYS**

In addition to outstanding educational programs, the companion exhibit on the first two conference days features 20 invited companies displaying the latest products important to long term health care. The exhibits will not be available on the third or fourth days. Your exhibit visits will qualify you to win one of 25 prizes worth \$2,500, which include a wide range of gift certificates, consumer electronic products, appliances, and luggage. A partial list of the participating companies includes: Apex Medical, Blackburn's Pharmacy, Care Apothecary, Concept Rehab, Diamond Pharmacy, Family Home Health, Functional Pathways, Genesis Rehab, Hill-Rom, Mission Pharmacy, Mobilex USA, NeighborCare Pharmacy, J.T. Posey Company, Western Pennsylvania Hospital News, People First Rehabilitation, Pharmacy Management Group, PharMerica, Richter & Associates, Sysco Foods, Tri-State Mobile X-Ray and the University of Pittsburgh Institute of Aging.

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Airport Parkway) for two miles to Thorn Run Road Exit, and then follow the above directions. From Pittsburgh International Airport: When exiting the airport, follow the signs to Pittsburgh and follow 60 S. 1 mile to the Thorn Run Road Exit. Then follow directions above.

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