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Medication Administration: Best Practices for Caregivers & Medication Aides in ALFs & RCFs November 9, 2017

Location: Sysco Food Services, Wilsonville, OR

DATE

November 9

TIME

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Check-in 8:30 a.m.) Lunch provided

LOCATION

Sysco Food Services 26250 SW Parkway Center Drive, Wilsonville, OR

CEUs

6 CEUs provided

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations must be received no later than five working days prior to the course to be refunded (less a \$25 service charge).

No refunds are possible after that date, but you are welcome to send someone in your place.

TO REGISTER

Register online at www.leadingageoregon.org (Educational Opportunities)

QUESTIONS?

Call LeadingAge Oregon at 503.684.3788



Overview

Safe and efficient medication administration practices are critical to the health and well-being of your ALF and RCF residents. Because it is such an important system, medication administration receives close scrutiny by state surveyors, who often cite organizations for substandard practices. Be sure that your caregivers and med aides know and understand Standards of Practice and their key role in passing medications.

In this course, frontline caregivers and medication aides will review the procedures and systems that must be in place to make your medication pass safe and efficient. This in-depth training is geared to newer staff but is a good refresher for veterans. Policies and procedures for implementation will be provided.

Notes:

- CMAs: This class provides continuing education hours (CEUs) for CMAs
- Home care: The content of this class is valuable for home care staff but it is not currently approved as a qualified medication training course under the In-Home Care rules.

Faculty

Haffenreffer & Associates, Inc., Oregon's premiere long-term care consulting firm.

Who should attend

Assisted living, residential care and in-home caregivers and medication aides. Class is also a valuable refresher for veteran staff, administrators or nurses looking for caregiver training ideas, as well as nursing facility CNAs and CMAs.

Topics included:

- Delegation
- Drug formulations and routes of administration
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Generic/Trade names
- Medical Terminology
- Standards of Practice for Medication Pass
- CBG calibration
- PRN parameters
- How to process physician orders
- Documentation standards
- Psychoactive medications—rules and regulations
- Most frequent survey citations

Fees

LeadingAge Oregon members: \$125 Non-members: \$145

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