



What We're Talking About

July 14, 2023



Oregon State Board of Nursing (OSBN) selects Rachel Prusak as the new Executive Director

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Nurse Licensure Compact expected to come back into discussion in Oregon's 2025 legislative session

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The State releases Long-Term Care Facilities survey results - Bed Availability, Capacity & Workforce

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Governor's Senior Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council seeks a registered nurse working in ALF/RCF setting

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House Subcommittee Advances “Unthinkable” HUD Funding Bill to reduce HUD’s budget overall by 25% in FY24

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LeadingAge Oregon Leadership Academy

LeadingAge Oregon's Leadership Academy provides a transformative year-long learning experience purposefully designed to empower aging services professionals in accelerating their leadership development. Our comprehensive program equips participants with the skills and knowledge necessary to excel in our sector.

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Things at Our Communities

[Share](#) your community's successes, announcements and events with us!

! Rose Villa's CEO, and LeadingAge Oregon's President, **Vassar Byrd** [announces](#) her decision to explore new opportunities and leave Rose Villa.

👏 LeadingAge Oregon's **Merry Killam** gets a promotion becoming our new Operations and Membership Director. Congrats Merry!

👍 Mennonite Village to celebrate their annual [Heritage Day event](#) Friday, July 21, with a farmer's market and vendor fair with Food Trucks, and raffle prizes.

👍 The Cedar Sinai Park vehicle will be in the Portland PRIDE parade Sunday, July 16. Residents and employees will participate to spread the word about their welcoming community.

Things in the News

“Shall We Dance?” The Impact of Dance Classes on Depression in Older Adults. [Read it here.](#)

Unions are Having a Moment. [Read it here.](#)

Provider Alerts

The State frequently modifies alerts breaking the links provided below. If you have any issues, [this link](#) should always take you to all of the alerts.

[ODHS-23-052-CBC-NF](#) - Infection Prevention and Control Survey

[ODHS-23-053-CBC](#) - ServSafe Class July 17, 2023

[ODHS-23-054 CBC](#) - Training Hour: Move Out Notices July 20, 2023



What would You Do With \$10,000?

Value First is running the 5-Star Sweepstakes and your organization could win one of five \$10,000 prizes.

[Learn More](#) about the Sweepstakes!

Upcoming Educational Opportunities

Navigating MDS 3.0 RAI Training for Nursing Facility Staff (MDS)

3 Day Webinar | September 6-8, 2023

Time: 9-1pm

[Register Here](#)

[Nursing Practice in Community Based Care \(CBC\)](#)

3 Day Webinar | September 12-14, 2023

Time: 9-2pm

[Register Here](#)

[Management Training Summer Series](#)

with Del Gilbert

When: July - August 2023 | Time: 9-10am | Where: Online

[Register Here](#)

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Thanks for reading!

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