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Eastern Carolina Council

Area Agency on Aging

Living Wise
& Aging Well

IN EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA

March 6-8, 2012

Riverfront Convention Center

New Bern, NC



"Our seniors and families are doing their part to make North Carolina better—day in and day out. So we must continue to do our part in making North Carolina the state for Living Wise and Aging Well." - Governor Beverly Perdue



From the farm to the coast, we've got the most!

You are invited to attend the 2012 Living Wise and Aging Well in Eastern North Carolina regional conference. Tracks for this year's conference are based on five ideas coined by Dennis Streets, Director, NC Division of Aging and Adult Services (DAAS). These concepts; *People Helping People*, *People Getting Ready*, *Aging in the Community*, *Investing in Families*, and *Communities Embracing the Future* are designed to address present and future age related issues facing North Carolinians.

Pre-conference intensives are available to professionals in the aging network on March 6th. Conference workshops and general sessions are open for consumers and service providers beginning March 7th. An additional day of training, exclusively for professionals, is planned for March 8th. Continuing education credits will be available for professionals, see registration form for details.

Featured Speakers

Dennis Streets, Director, NC Division of Aging & Adult Services (DAAS)

Mr. Streets was appointed by the Secretary of Health and Human Services in February 2006, after serving as the chief of the DAAS Budget, Planning, and Systems Support Section. He has worked at the Division since 1996. Streets has devoted his career towards working in the field of aging and adult services.

Kevin Robertson, Deputy Commissioner, NC Seniors' Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP)

Kevin has been the Deputy Commissioner since November 2010. He was Statewide Volunteer Manager for SHIIP for seven years. Kevin is President for the NC Association of Volunteer Administrators. Before coming to SHIIP he worked with the Retired Senior Volunteer Program at the Northwest Piedmont Council of Governments in Winston-Salem, NC.

Conference Tracks

People Helping People

- Adult Protective Services
- Elder Abuse
- Volunteerism
- Pet Safety

People Getting Ready

- Living Healthy Programs
- Social Security and Medicare
- Senior Nutrition
- Advance Directive Documents

Aging in the Community

- Medication Safety
- Hoarding
- Safe Driving
- HIV & AIDS
- Active Living

Investing in Families

- Group Respite Programs
- Genealogy
- Guardianship
- Adult Children with Disabilities

Communities Embracing the Future

- Money Follows the Person
- Quality Care Choices
- Culture Change
- Community Resource Connections
- Americans with Disabilities Act compliance

Conference program will be available online by February 2012, www.eccog.org

Pre-conference Intensives

Senior Center Operations and Program Evaluation, SCOPE

Tool used to evaluate and certify senior service centers including status of merit or excellence.

Healthy Ideas: How to Raise Spirits in Your Community!

Evidence based program addressing depression in older adults living in the community.

Alliance of Information and Referral Systems

Organization for professionals providing information and referral services.

Virtual Dementia Tour by Second Wind Dreams

Simulated experience of having dementia for sensitivity in caregiving.

Conference Schedule

Tuesday, March 6, 2012

12:00 p.m. Registration Table Opens

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Pre-conference Intensives

Wednesday, March 7, 2012

9:00 a.m. Registration Table Opens

10:00 a.m. General Session, Featured Speaker, Dennis Streets

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Lunch on Your Own

2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

Thursday, March 8, 2012

9:00 a.m. Registration Table Opens

10:00 a.m. General Session, Featured Speaker, Kevin Robertson

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Lunch Provided

2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Concurrent Workshops

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closing Session



2012 Conference Registration Form

Mail completed form to:

Name / Title (to be displayed on name badge)

Employer

Address

E-mail Address

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Attention: Angelia Pridgen

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Please Indicate Type of Registration:

Professional, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (May receive Continuing Education Credits and attend full conference including pre-conference intensives, two days of workshops and Thursday luncheon)	\$65	
Consumer/ Family Member, Wednesday (May attend all general sessions and workshops on Wednesday, without receiving Continuing Education Credits)	\$5	
Consumer/ Family Member, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (May attend full conference without receiving Continuing Education Credits)	\$20	

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