

# Geriatric Care Training

This is a Population Specific Training Course

Be proactive: See the reverse side of this flier for IMPORTANT information...

These courses will be offered on the following dates, at the following locations:

# Everett, WA area:

Friday, February 9th, 2018; 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM Bethany at Silver Crest ALF

2131 Lake Heights Dr., Everett, WA 98208

Friday, April 13th, 2018; 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Bethany at Silver Crest ALF

2131 Lake Heights Dr., Everett, WA 98208

# Seattle, WA area:

Friday, February 16th, 2018; 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

**Brookdale West Seattle ALF** 

4611 35th Ave. SW, Seattle, WA 98126

Friday, March 23rd, 2018; 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Chateau at Valley Center ALF

4450 Davis Ave. S., Renton, WA 98055

# Tacoma, WA area:

Friday, March 2nd, 2018; 8:00 AM to 2:30 PM

Narrows Glen; The Laurel House ALF

802 N. Laurel Ln., Tacoma, WA 98406

Cost: \$40.00 per person

Jeannine White, RN, MSN, CCNS

Washington State D.S.H.S. Approved Community Instructor

To register for classes online:

www.assurance-quality.com/training.html

See our web page for other scheduled classes.

You may also register by: e-mail; QACcons@aol.com FAX; 360 887-4114; or call 360 887-4118 (voicemail only)

Payment arrangements must either be made in advance, or Payment will be due during the Training Session.

If payment arrangements are not made, or if payment is not received by the end of class, Certificates/Cards may not be issued until payment is received. Upon receipt of payment, Certificates/Cards will be mailed to the facility/individual.

Make checks or money orders payable to: QUALITY ASSURANCE CONSULTING, LLC Method of payment: cash, checks or money orders. No out of state checks will be accepted.

There will be a \$25.00 fee for returned checks.

# Geriatric Care Training Continued:

# **Geriatric Care Training: \$40.00**

A Washington State Aging and Long-Term Support Administration (ALTSA); Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) Approved course: May be taken to help fulfill the component of Population Specific Training hours, toward the 75 hour Long-Term Care Worker Training requirement.

# **Important Information regarding Training Regulations / classes at this time:**

The New Training requirements of Initiative 1163, which were brought to and passed by the voters in Nov., 2011, by the primary initiator of I-1029, Service Employees International Union (SEIU), are now in effect, as of 01-07-12.

Go to: www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/long-term-care-professionals-providers

Scroll down to, and click on, the "Training Requirements & Classes" heading.

This section offers links to information regarding Training Requirements for Long Term Care Workers (LTC Workers) for Adult Family Homes (AFH's) and Assisted Living Facilities (ALF's).

It also illustrates how to become approved to teach Orientation and Safety Training in your AFH or ALF; and other useful information.

<u>Links to</u>: LTC Workers application and testing for <u>Home Care Aide Certification</u> - requirement for all, trained after 1-7-12. <u>Home Care Aide Application Packet</u> (\$85.00 fee): www.doh.wa.gov/Portals/1/Documents/Pubs/675002.pdf <u>Examination Application</u> (\$127.00 fee): <u>Included in the above Application</u>

HCA Fee Schedule: www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPe

www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewRenewerUpdate/HomeCare Aide/Fees Washington Home Care Aide Regional Test Site Locations:

www.prometric.com/en-us/clients/WADOH/Documents/UpdatedWARegionalTestSites.pdf

WA State Dept. of Health Certified Home Care Aide Candidate Information Bulletin:

www.prometric.com/en-us/clients/WADOH/Documents/WAHCBulletin EffectiveMay1.pdf

WA State Dept. of Health Practice Test: www.prometric.com/en-us/clients.wadoh/Pages/practice-exams.aspx

HCA Examination Request Form (for those who have already submitted a HCA Application prior to 05-01-16, and now need to take the Prometric Test): www.doh.wa gov/Portals/1/Documents/Pubs/675012.pdf

LTC Workers application and testing for "Home Care Aide" Certification (a requirement for all, trained after 01-07-12).

#### I-1163 Training Requirements will NOT effect RN's, LPN's or NA-C's; except...

All LTC Workers (Long Term Care Worker) must take 12 Hours of Continuing Education (C.E.) per year. The C.E. requirement must be completed by ones Birthday (not the last day of the calendar year, December 31st, as in the past). This requirement began on 07-01-12. Birthday to Birthday is the LTC Worker's "year".

Since 07-01-12, 12 Hours of C.E. must be completed by one's Birthday, or one cannot work until it IS done. See "Continuing Education Requirements" at this link:

See: www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/training/continuing-education-requirements

#### CPR / First Aid may now be used to count for 3 Hours of C.E. A number of restrictions apply.

See: www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/training/applying-cprfirst-aid-training-hours-ce

Any LTC Worker hired <u>as of 01-07-12 or later</u>, <u>must</u> take 75 Hours of <u>LTCW Training</u>; made up of these four components: <u>Core Basic Training</u>, <u>Population Specific Training</u>, <u>Orientation Training</u> and <u>Safety Training</u>.

### Quality Assurance Consulting, LLC, is now offering:

Core Basic Training: 40 Hours

Population Specific Training: 30 Hours (or 32 Hours)

Dementia Specialty Training (LTC Worker & Manager): 8 Hours;

Mental Health Specialty Training (LTC Worker & Manager): 8 Hours;

Developmental Disabilities Training - Part 1: 8 Hours;

Developmental Disabilities Training - Part 2: 8 Hours;

Care of the Geriatric Resident Training: 6 Hours

### Courses NOT INCLUDED in the 75 Hour LTC Worker Training; but still probable Training requirements:

Nurse Delegation for Nursing Assistants Training; 9 Hours

Nurse Delegation; Special Focus on Diabetes Training: 3 Hours

CPR Training: 3 Hours

First Aid Training: 3 Hours

HIV/AIDS Training (included in CBT)

Continuing Education: online only; Sometime in 2018 (hopefully). ALL C.E. offerings will be approved by DSHS.

See: www.assurance-quality.com/ceu.html

RN's, LPN's, NA-C's and LTC Workers would still need to take Dementia Specialty Training; and / or Mental Health Specialty Training; and / or Developmental Disabilities Specialty Training, if interacting with those client categories.

NA-C's and LTC Workers would still have to take Nurse Delegation for Nursing Assistants Training if needing to be Nurse (RN) Delegated for certain tasks (including passing medications).

NA-C's and LTC Workers would also still need to take Nurse Delegation; Special Focus on Diabetes Training if needing to be Nurse (RN) Delegated to administer Insulin Injections to clients.

Active NA-C (Nursing Assistant-Certified) licenses (for NA-C's);

Active NA-R (Nursing Assistant-Registered) licenses (for those eligible to have them); or

Active HM-C (Home Care Aide-Certified) licenses (for LTC Workers) are required, for Nurse Delegation to be able to occur.