

# Health Care Providers Council of Pierce County



## August, 2008 NEWS

**Our next meeting is August 14, 2008 at 7:30 a.m., at Life Manor, 1609 S. Union Ave., Tacoma, WA**  
**Wonderful Full Breakfast is \$6 or Coffee only is \$2** Dues are \$50 per year, per individual.

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*Thank you for joining us in our mission "to enhance the lives of the seniors we serve."*

**This will be a *Networking Month!***

**We look forward to learning more about your services. Be sure to practice your 20 second elevator speech! As we are a growing group we'll need to be concise. If you have any announcements please bring flyers for the resource table.**

**Our Sponsor this month is**

### CASCADE PARK COMMUNITIES

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#### **Upcoming Calendar**

August 14<sup>th</sup> - Networking  
September 11<sup>th</sup> - TBA  
October 9<sup>th</sup> - Speaker  
November 13<sup>th</sup> - Networking  
December 11<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Party

#### **2008 Board Members**

President: **Michelle Graham, Sunwest Management**  
Vice President: **Laura Runkle, Franke Tobey Jones**  
Secretary: **Vicki Judge, Judge Advertising**  
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**Lisa Crivellone, Bridgeport Place**  
**Doug Deems, Washington Elder Care**  
**Julie Moorer, R.N., UW/VA Memory Wellness Program**  
**Melinda Schultz, Gentiva Health Services**

## 2008 HCPC Education Conference

### *“Resources to Meet Your Daily Challenges”*

HCPC will sponsor the 2008 HCPC Education Conference on October 8<sup>th</sup> at LaQuinta in Tacoma. This will be an all day conference (similar to the former “Fast Track”) geared towards meeting the needs of social workers, discharge planners, case managers. Anticipated attendance is 100+. There may be a few vendor opportunities as well as sponsorship opportunities. If you have questions please contact Conference Chairs: Michelle Graham, [Michelle.Graham@sunwestmanagement.com](mailto:Michelle.Graham@sunwestmanagement.com) or Rosanna Pace, [rpace@hotmail.com](mailto:rpace@hotmail.com)

### EVENTS

**Free Summer Concerts at Franke Tobey Jones.** August 6th Tacoma Concert Band, August 13th Tacoma Musical Playhouse. All concerts start at 6:30pm. Bring your chairs, blankets, and picnics. Open to the public.

**Healthcare Providers...FREE booth space** available at the Annual Senior Wellness Walk at Franke Tobey Jones. The event is Friday, September 12th, from 10-12 with setup by 9:30am. Expected attendance is 200. Please contact Laura Runkle if you are interested in a booth, (253)756-6350

**Park Rose Care Center** Cordially invites you to attend our Open House. Come by and see our beautiful renovation. Meet our new management team. Enjoy good wine, good food and good company. Tuesday August 13, 2008, 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. 3919 South 19th St, Tacoma. Please RSVP To 253-752-5677.

**The UW/VA Memory Wellness Program** has dates available in September for educational seminars on aging & memory loss. Please contact Julie Moorer R.N. for more information or to discuss date/time availability.

**Email: [julie.moorer@va.gov](mailto:julie.moorer@va.gov) Phone: 253-583-2008**

### JOB POSTINGS

To submit a job posting for the HCPC newsletter, please email a brief (less than 30 words) description to Vicki Judge at [vicki@judgeadvertising.com](mailto:vicki@judgeadvertising.com) by the 25th of the month.

**Puget Sound home health** is looking for a Physical Therapist to add to our team . . . We offer a \$10,000 sign-on-bonus and a gas card. To inquire further about the position please call Shannon Mays, Administrator, at (253) 581-9410

**ResponseLINK**, is a Personal Emergency Response Systems company is looking for a territory manager in Pierce and Kitsap County. Position has a base salary, commissions, benefits and expenses. If you are interested please contact Jeff Pagel, Area Manager at (253) 298-1395 or email [jeffpagel@responselink.com](mailto:jeffpagel@responselink.com) .

### 2008 Member Dues \$50

(per individual, good through 2008)

**Your HCPC membership includes email updates and newsletters, opportunity to introduce yourself at networking meetings, vendor and sponsorship opportunities.**

**Treasurer’s report is available upon request.**

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