

Health Care Providers Council of Pierce County
“Enhancing the Lives of the Seniors We Serve”



July 2009
Newsletter

Our next meeting is July 9, 2009 at 7:30 a.m., at Life Manor, 1609 S. Union Ave., Tacoma, WA
Wonderful Full Breakfast is \$6 or Coffee is \$2 Dues are \$50 per year, per individual

Presidential Corner!

With all of the unrest and economical struggles we all are in contact with on a daily basis, it's nice to take a moment, especially in the month of July to stop and appreciate all that we do have in this country. To celebrate the Forth of July is a reminder that we are a free country with a voice and opportunities to help our neighbors while we in turn help ourselves.

When we look in the faces of the seniors we serve, we see our history. Hopefully, we have learned important lessons from our past which will help to mold our future. So, on the forth of July, raise a glass to Lady Liberty and pause to thank those who have gone before us to pave the path to freedom, our seniors.

I look forward to seeing all of you on the 9th of July. We will be networking, so it's an opportunity to toot your own horn.

Warmest Regards, Melissa Martin President,
Health Care Providers Council of Pierce County

July Meeting Sponsor – Family Resource Home Care

Family Resource Home Care is licensed to provide private duty home care and home health care services including aide services to meet your care needs. We provide care from as little as two hours to round-the-clock and private duty nursing services and supervision. Our Care Assessments are done at no charge and we feature same-day turn around for staffing.

That's our formal description. What we are really about and believe in is commitment and kindness. Aging with dignity.

Helping people find new meaning later in life when they're least expecting it. We hire compassionate committed caregivers to provide the care our clients deserve.

Upcoming Calendar

July 9th – Networking
August 13th – Speaker
September 10th – Networking
October 8th – Speaker
November 12th – Networking
December 10th – Holiday Party

Board meetings are held the last Thursday of the month
8:00 a.m. at Ben Dews Restaurant
Members Welcome

2009 Board Members

President: Melissa Martin, The Villas-Union Park
Vice President: Kelly Smith, Visiting Angels
Secretary: Carmen Helle-Doud, Franciscan Lifeline
Treasurer: Terry Voeller, Spring Ridge Retirement

Members-at-Large:

Tiernan Andrews, Olympic Alzheimer's Residence
Debbie Baker, The Weatherly Inn
Therese Brown, Woodmark at Steele Lake
Lori Morales, Highline Medical Center
Melinda Schultz, Gentiva Health Services

Membership Events Calendar

Please email any event you would like included to Carmen Helle-Doud at carmenhelle-doud@fhshealth.org by the 21st of the month. Email needs to include: name of event, date, time and location.

Don't forget to pick up your material on the back table after each meeting!

Job Postings

To submit a job posting for the HCPC newsletter, please email a brief (less than 30 words) description to Carmen Helle-Doud at carmenhelle-doud@fhshealth.org by the 25th of the month.

Seeking a career change? Long Term Care Financial Partners insurance agents can earn six figures, residuals and dividends. Recruiting for Pacific NW and every state. Contact: tom.brown@lctcfp.net , 253.225.6815, www.tvbconsulting.com

"AGING OPTIONS" is seeking experienced Social Worker to work as a Geriatric Care Manager. The position directs the care plan and interventions designed for elderly individuals and families. A successful track record indicating a working knowledge of geriatric care issues, experience working with elders, seniors, family dynamics and interventions, education and training, supervision, quality assurance and customer service is required. Minimum of 2-3 years of experience. Email your resumes along with salary expectation to shaq2007@gmail.com.

Position Available – Part Time LPN – Please contact Terry Voeller at Spring Ridge Retirement 253-474-1093.

2009 Member Dues \$50

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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