# THE COMPLEX NEEDS OF OLDER ADULTS



# MENTAL HEALTH, LEGAL ISSUES, AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT









# THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2023

**REGISTRATION** 7:30 am • **PROGRAM** 8:00 am - 4:15 pm

The William F. Andrews Conference Center, 3024 New Bern Ave, Raleigh, NC 27610

This conference is designed to provide health care professionals with new perspectives as they care for older adults and their complex needs. Content will focus on mental health and substance abuse, cognitive decline, communication and de-escalation techniques, how living in a rural area affects access to care and telehealth, guardianship, legal issues, neglect and abuse, and Aging in Place. The conference wraps up with a caregiver perspective of caring for a spouse in need of memory care.



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# **Target Audience**

Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Registered Nurses, Social Workers, Case Managers, Psychologists, Chaplains, Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Home Health Professionals, Nursing Home Administrators, and other healthcare professionals involved in the care of older adults

# **Learning Objectives**

At the conclusion of this competency-based activity, the participant should be able to:

- Identify the most prevalent mental health diagnoses in older adults including associated symptoms, risk factors, and potential comorbidities.
- List 3 complications related to dementia and delirium.
- Discuss the factors affecting access to health care for older adults.
- · Describe types of elder abuse.
- Identify 3 key ethical issues relevant to caring for older adults with complex care needs.

# **Agenda**

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7:30 am	Registration, Breakfast, & Exhibitors
7:50	Welcome & Announcements Eric LeFebvre, MD, FACEP & Erica Futrell, MSL
8:00	Silver Minds: A Primer on Geriatric Mental Health Micah Krempasky, MD
9:00	Cognitive Changes in Older Adults: Multidisciplinary Approaches to Diagnosis and Care Derya Ozkok, MD & Kaytlin Atwood, MSN, APRN, AGCNS-BC, MEDSURG-BC
10:00	Break & Exhibitors
10:15	Communication and De-escalation Techniques Graham Snyder, MD, FACEP & Linda Mayo MSN, APRN, ACNS, AGNP
11:15	Promoting Equity in Health Services Access and Use Among Older Adults Stephanie Hart PhD, APRN, NP-C & Edwin Burkett, MD, MBA
12:15 pm	Lunch & Exhibitors
1:15	Legal and Ethical Issues with Elder Abuse Melinda Manning, JD, MSW
2:15	Aging in Place Rachel Lipner, DO, HMDC
3:15	Break & Exhibitors
3:30	Caregiver Perspective Guest Speaker
4:15	Wrap up & Closing Comments Eric LeFebvre, MD, FACEP & Erica Futrell, MSL
4:20 pm	Adjourn

#### **Speakers**

#### **Alliance Medical Ministry**

Edwin Burkett, MD, MBA Medical Director

#### **Duke University**

Stephanie Hart, PhD, APRN, NP-C Clinical Associate and Postdoctoral Scholar National Clinician Scholars Program Duke Clinical and Translational Science Institute Duke University School of Nursing

#### **Transitions LifeCare**

Rachel Lipner, DO, HMDC Executive Medical Director Medical Director of Inpatient Palliative Medicine

#### **UNC Health**

Melinda Manning, JD, MSW Director, UNC Health Beacon Program

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The Wake Area Health Education Center is accredited by the North Carolina Medical Society (NCMS) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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A participant must attend 100% of the activity to receive credit. Partial credit will not be awarded.

**Contact Hours:** Wake AHEC will provide up to 6.75 contact hours to participants upon completion of this program activity.

## **Registration Fee**

- Early Fee \$79; after August 23rd, 2023 \$99.
- Vouchers will be accepted.
- Registration will include online handouts and online certificate of completion.
- Breakfast/breaks/lunch will be provided.
- To assure quality programming and safety for all participants, babies and children may not attend this program.
- Call 919-350-8547 for our Inclement Weather Updates.

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