

Registration Form

Submit one form for each attendee:

NAME: _____

COUNTY: _____

DEPT.: _____

TITLE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/ZIP _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

Check one - I will be attending the forum in:

- Batavia Tuesday, March 2, 2010
- Liverpool Wednesday, March 3, 2010
- Garnerville Wednesday, March 10, 2010
(Rockland County)
- Warrensburgh Thursday, March 11, 2010

Registration – free!

Deadline – Fax Registration by February 16, 2010

There is no fee to attend, however pre-registration is required by February 16th. Fax Registration to: **518-449-7055**

Lunch

A light lunch will be provided at each site. If you are a morning coffee drinker, please be sure to make a stop somewhere on your way to the meeting site.

Share Your Resources

The forums include a resource-sharing component. Please send sample documents, successful practices, or news articles from your county to joanne@nysaaaa.org. We will provide copies of selected resources at the forums, others will be posted to our web site for downloading.

For More Information Contact

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Dates & Locations

March 2

Western NY: Batavia

Genesee County Office for the Aging
2 Bank Street
Batavia, NY 14020
585-343-1611

March 3

Central NY: Liverpool

Hospice of Central NY
990 Seventh North St.
Liverpool, NY 13088
315-634-1100

March 10

Lower Hudson Valley: Garnerville

Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library
10 West Ramapo Road
Garnerville, NY 10923
845-786-3800

NOTE: this location only: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

March 11

North Country: Warrensburgh

Cornell Cooperative Extension
377 Schroon River Road
Warrensburgh, NY 12885
518-623-3291

Brochure, directions and registration forms are also posted at

www.nysaaa.org

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Caregiver Coordinator Forums

2010

The Changing Face of Caregiver Coordination: What does the Future Hold?

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Caregiver Coordinator Forums

Purpose of Forums: In the Fall of 2008, NYSAAAA conducted a survey asking all Caregiver Coordinators in county Offices for the Aging for feedback on their needs to assist them in the performance of their duties. These forums are designed to address issues identified by AAAs in the survey results. Time is built into the agenda for dialogue and sharing of successful practices.

Who Should Attend?

Office for the Aging professionals and subcontractors involved the coordination of services for caregivers through Title III-e and/or Caregiver Resource Centers and NYConnects Coordinators. As space permits, AAAs are encouraged to invite staff from other agencies who they partner with to serve caregivers.

9:15 – 9:30 am	Registration
9:30 – 10:00 am	Introductions and Status Check from Each County Each county will provide a brief synopsis of the caregiver program in their area. What new activities have you tried this year and how did they work?
10:00 – 12:00 noon	Care Transitions Effective care transitions help patients and their caregivers move from one site of care to another with the best results. Limiting return hospital/facility admissions is the ultimate goal. Learn about efforts in this area that are designed to make this happen. Batavia & Liverpool locations speaker: <i>Christine Klotz, Program Advisor, Community Health Foundation of Western & Central NY</i> Garnerville & Warrensburgh locations speaker: <i>Christine Stegel, RN, MS, CPHQ, Performance Improvement Coordinator, IPRO</i>
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Luncheon: Converse and Connect Attendees will continue discussion of morning topics in a more informal atmosphere.
1:00 – 2:15 pm	End of Life Issues Do you know how to start the conversation regarding advanced directives? Are you aware of the programs available to help caregivers and care recipients through the process for planning for the end of life? Learn from experts in the field what you can do to help caregivers with the process. Speakers: Batavia – Penny Weller, LCSWR, Program Implementation Manager, Excellus BlueCross BlueShield; Ruth Spink & Jill Yasses, Genesee County Office for the Aging Liverpool: Rosemary DeJoseph, LMSW; Michelle Gladu, LMSW, Hospice of Central New York Garnerville: Joan Gall, Calvary Hospital Hospice Warrensburgh: Karen Brooks, High Peaks Hospice
2:15 – 3:15 pm	Strengthening Connections between Caregiver Coordinators & NY Connects What are effective methods of collaboration between Caregiver Coordinators and NY Connects staff? Participants will share successful collaborations with NY Connects to better assist caregivers as well as use group problem solving to address challenges. New ideas for joint ventures and partnerships are welcome!! Facilitator: <i>Staff from the NY Connects Bureau of Long Term Care Reform</i>