

# LeadingAge MN NURSING SOLUTIONS WEBINARS

April 17 • May 6 • June 15



## PURPOSE

Nurse Lunch and Learn webinars offer quick, focused sessions for nurse teams, emphasizing staff and direct care nurses. Each virtual webinar begins with a brief presentation on key topics, followed by a small group exercise for hands-on application of the learning outcomes. Tailored for busy schedules, it promotes interactive participation, community building, and practical skill application among nurses, contributing to ongoing professional development and improved resident care.

## SCHEDULE *All sessions are from Noon - 12:30 p.m.*

### Wednesday, April 7

#### **Recognizing Early Signs of Sepsis in Elderly Residents**

- Identify at least three early and atypical signs of sepsis in elderly residents, including subtle changes that may differ from classic presentation in younger adults.
- Demonstrate use of a structured communication tool (SBAR) to relay critical resident changes to a provider in a timely and accurate manner.

### Presenters

Brianna Andrasfi, RN, Corporate Director of Clinical Operations for Assisted Living, Ebenezer, Edina; and Dr. Kari Everson, RN, LNHA, LALD, Vice President of Clinical Services, LeadingAge Minnesota, Minneapolis and President, Evercare Aging Services Consulting, St. Paul

### Wednesday, May 6

#### **Pain Assessment in Non-Verbal Residents**

- Accurately apply the PAINAD scale to assess pain in a non-verbal resident by correctly interpreting at least four of the five behavioral indicators.
- Document pain assessment findings using facility-appropriate language that reflects observed behaviors, interventions provided, and resident response.

### Presenters

Dr. Kari Everson, RN, LNHA, LALD, Vice President of Clinical Services, LeadingAge Minnesota, Minneapolis and President, Evercare Aging Services Consulting, St. Paul; and Brianna Olson, RN, PHN, LALD, Clinical Consultant, Alexandria

### Monday, June 15

#### **Urinary Tract Infections vs. Colonization**

- Differentiate between asymptomatic bacteriuria (colonization) and a true urinary tract infection by identifying the clinical criteria required to support treatment in a long-term care resident.
- Explain the risks of unnecessary antibiotic use in elderly residents, including the impact on antibiotic resistance and *C. difficile* infection risk.

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## SUGGESTED AUDIENCE

Directors of Nursing, Associate Directors of Nursing, Nurse Managers, and Floor Nurses in both care center and assisted living settings.

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES

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Registration cut-off date/cancellation deadline is two business days prior to the live event date. LeadingAge Minnesota reserves the right to cancel these webinars.

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Registered individuals must attend the live webinar to receive a CEU certificate.

**CEUs**  
*Eligible for 0.50  
clock hours per webinar*

The Nurse Lunch and Learn webinars have been designed to meet the continuing education approval of the Minnesota Board of Nursing.

Participants may also request a general certificate of attendance.

CEUs are earned only for the individual registered.

## For Further Information

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