HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS
COUNCIL OF PIERCE COUNTY
NEWSLETTER
SEPTEMBER 2024





Thursday, September 12th Breakfast 8:30am Meeting 9am-10am

Cogir at the Narrows
8201 6th Ave
Tacoma, WA 98406

Meeting Sponsor
Lori Hutson
LJ Hutson Insurance

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Kelly Chambers, Marian McGunagle, & Alice Smith <u>Visiting Angels</u>

Beverage Sponsor

Theresa Lloyd <u>King's Manor</u>

Business After Hours

Longbridge Financial - Rebecca
Rainsberger
Monarch Transitions - Tina Baril
Rahman Home Sales- Beth
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Concierge Care Advisors - Jenny
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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Aloha HCPC Ohana 🎨

I hope you all had a FABULOUS Labor Day Weekend!! I'm still trying to wrap my head around that it is already SEPTEMBER!!

I am looking forward to seeing you all at our September meeting this week. We will be hearing and learning from our sponsors this month, THANK YOU SPONSORS; Meeting Sponsor-LJ Hutson Insurance, Breakfast Sponsor - Visiting Angels Tacoma, and Beverage Sponsor - Kings Manor. We have a special speaker this month that I am so excited about, Ms. Patty Mannie, with Tacoma History Comes Alive!!

And right around the corner, is the Alzheimer's Conference, where we continue to gain momentum for this event, with current attendee registration over 150 and still counting!! THANK YOU to all of you promoting this event and please continue to share with your networks, families, and communities!!

Also, Making the Link is on the horizon! Another event you will not want to miss, especially if you would like to connect with the social workers, care managers, discharge planners, etc from the Pierce County hospitals, plus a ton of networking!!

September Business After Hours is happening Thursday, September 17th from 4pm to 6pm at the North End on Pearl with collaboration of several members; Longbridge Financial, Monarch Transitions, Rahman Home Sales, and Concierge Care Advisors, sounds like a party!! Yeah Baby!!

A hui hou,



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HCPC News & Events

Welcome to our new (& returning) HCPC Members! Thank you for joining!

- Randi O'Neal, Harbor Place at Cottesmore
- · Abigail Hueck, CayCare, Elder Care & Senior Living Advisors
- · Ann Crumley, Right at Home
- Tammy Baxter, Arcadia Home Care
- Mary McNally, Consistent Care
- Mary Jaynes, The Mustard Seed Project of Key Peninsula
- Robin Seiwerath, OTR/L, CAPS, Function First Homes
- · Tammy Brooks, SafetyLine
- · Leah Browning, Sage and Soul Photography
- Ryann Kezele, Ferguson Insurance Services
- Dr. Danielle Lord, Archetype Learning Solutions I COMPASS
- · Christine Jackson, Bankers Life

Membership Note

Friendly reminder that guests are allowed one free meeting before joining. HCPC will now be offering a \$25 per meeting guest pass for repeat visitors who have not joined as members. Membership is \$100 for a one year *individual* membership.

2025 Sponsorship Opportunities Open Now!

Sign up to sponsor a meeting, breakfast, beverages, or Business After Hours in 2025! As a reminder-

All Sponsorships Include:

- 5 minutes in the meeting to promote your business
- Table collateral opportunity
- Website & Social Media recognition
- Newsletter recognition

Click here for more information or to sign up to sponsor.

Flyers on Tables at Meetings

Having your collateral on the tables at the meeting is a benefit of being a meeting, breakfast, beverage or business after hours sponsor. Please do not put your flyers or collateral on tables at our meetings unless you are a sponsor.



Upcoming HCPC Events:

Mark your calendars for these great events!

Pierce County Alzheimer's Conference Saturday, September 21st



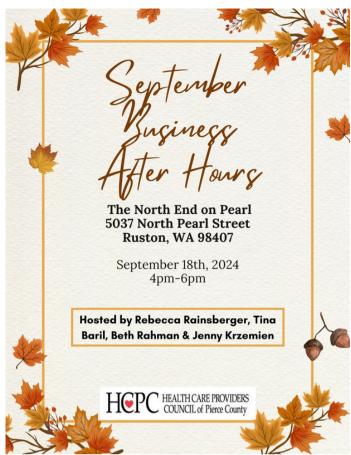
Making the Link Wednesday, October 16th

FOR BEING AN **HCPC MEMBER!**

If you have any questions about your HCPC Membership Directory Profile, please reach out to us via email at admin@healthcareproviderscouncil.org.



HCPC Information and Upcoming Events in the County...



Coat Collection



September Facts & Celebrations:

September is National Pain Awareness Month & National Suicide Prevention Month

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September 8th-14th National Night Out

September 11th 9/11 Day of Remembrance

September 12th National Report Medicare Fraud Day

September 17th National Voter Registration Day

> September 19th Talk Like a Pirate Day

September 21st National Dance Day

September 28th National Public Lands Day

> September 29th National Coffee Day



Early October Celebrations:

October 1st National Pumpkin Spice Day

> October 4th National Taco Day

HCPC Information and Upcoming Events in the County...



2024 HEPC HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS COUNCIL of Pierce County Alzheimer's Conference

Saturday, September 21st

RAINIER VIEW CHRISTIAN CHURCH 12305 SPANAWAY LOOP ROAD S TACOMA, WA 98444



Unraveling Dementia: Exploring the Mind and the Person Within



FREE EVENT- Opens at 8 am, Ends at 3:15 pm, Lunch Provided Register Today at Alzheimer's Conference Event Page or Call 253-798-4600 4-ContinuingEducationCredits(CEUs)for eligible caregivers



The Dementia Whisperer, Laura Wayman is BACK!! She will take us on a journey inside the mind of someone with dementia symptoms. Experience what your loved ones may be going through and learn how to better connect, engage, and communicate with someone, with dementia symptoms.



Caregiver Self-Care: It's Not Selfish...It's Essential It's not selfish to prioritize your own well-being! Caregiving can be physically and emotionally demanding, and many experience mental health challenges. Learn how to practice self-care so YOU can provide the best care possible.



Balancing Care with Peace of Mind

Discover better coping mechanisms with in-the-trenches advice, from local resident and author, Tracy Cram Perkins. She is a dementia caregiver survivor who knows how stressful dementia caregiving can be and offers practical tips on how to balance care with peace of mind.



VA Aid & Attendance, Elder Law, and Medicaid?

All of these can be confusing and overwhelming! Do you qualify for any of these? Even Medicaid? How can you afford to stay in your own home if you place your loved one? Learn from our panel of experts who will answer these questions and so much more. Get help today!

https://www.piercecountywa.gov/6905/Alzheimers-Conference

QUESTIONS? Contact Pierce County Aging & Disability Resource Center • 253-798-4600 or 800-562-0332 www.pierceadrc.org



Want your event in the HCPC Newsletter?

If you have relevant information to share in our newsletter, please submit to secretary@healthcare providerscouncil.org.

If space and time allows we will try to share your information.

HCPC Information and Upcoming Events in the County...

SAVE THE DATE



FREE RESOURCE FAIR

FOR HEALTH CARE CASE MANAGERS & SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONALS

Oct 16, 2024

10AM - 3PM • STAR Center 3873 \$ 66th St, Tacoma, WA 98409 253-798-4600 • 800-562-0332

DO YOU SERVE THE NEEDS OF OLDER ADULTS AND INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES? THIS FREE EVENT IS FOR YOU!

COME CONNECT WITH INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS

This annual resource fair is ideal for case managers, discharge planners, social service providers, service organizations, parish nurses, faith communities & volunteers.

Information • Resources • CEU Credit

Make the connections θ resources you need to be successful in your role. Case managers can receive 1 CEU approved credit during this event.

Shuttle Service

Free Hospital Shuttle Service. Getting here is easy! Grab a shuttle bus from Tacoma General, Allenmore, Good Samaritan, St Joseph, St Anthony, St Clare hospitals. Driving yourself? STAR Center parking is FREE.



Scan for more event information.

Win a Starbucks Card!

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