



RN Case Manager and Delegating Nurse For Assisted Living Training Program

This 2-days course is designed to update the knowledge and skills of delegating nurses who practice and teach in assisted living facilities in Maryland. The Maryland Board of Nursing approves this course.

Dates For Training
Tuesday, March 31, 2009
Wednesday, April 1, 2009
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Handelman Conference Center
Columbia, Maryland

Registration & Breakfast begin at 8:00 am.
Doors open at 7:45 am

Training Program Hours
16 clock hours/8 hours each day
for two-day sessions

Qualifications of Participants

- Current active Maryland RN license in good standing
- Interest and current employment in Assisted Living

Course Description

This course is designed to provide a basic foundation for the nursing practice of the registered nurse who:

- a. delegates nursing functions in the assisted living setting including medication administration.
- b. teaches medication administration to the medication technician in assisted living.

Instructor

Debra Coppedge, RN, MS.N

Debra Coppedge, RN is an assisted living provider in Prince George's County, Maryland. She is a Maryland State approved delegating nurse instructor. She has extensive experience in professional nursing, long-term care, home care and assisted living. She has been an instructor at Prince George's County Community college for over ten years.

Objectives

Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. explain the history and role of assisted living facilities in Maryland;
2. describe the impact of SB405 on the registered nurse's practice in assisted living facilities;
3. discuss legal and ethical issues when delegating nursing functions as an independent contractor;
4. outline business practices and the nurse's responsibilities to both the assisted living provider and resident;
5. review effective teaching strategies for classroom and clinical practice;
6. list documents that must be submitted to the Maryland Board of Nursing at the completion of the Medication Technician training program.

Topics

- History of Assisted Living Programs
- Regulations Governing Case Manager/Delegating Nurse Practice in Assisted Living
- Overview of Case Management/Delegating Nurse Role and Responsibilities
- Teaching Medication Administration in Assisted Living
- Case Management Principles
- Delegation of Nursing Practice
- Legal, Ethical and Business Issues
- Communication
- Adult Learning Principles

Before Course Begins

Nurses attending this course must bring a copy of the most recent Maryland Nurse Practice Act.

To receive your copy of the *Maryland Nurse Practice Act* contact Anika Alford, Administrative Assistant by

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Nurses need to include full name, Maryland RN license number and current mailing address to receive a current copy of the Maryland Nurse Practice Act.

Nurses attending this course must bring a copy of the most recent COMAR Assisted Living Regulations (C.O.M.A.R. 10.07.14) and their nursing license number.

Fees: \$325.00

Includes photocopy of handouts from MBON, continental breakfast and lunch. Attendance is required at all 16 hours to receive a certificate of completion and meet the Maryland Board of Nursing requirements for successful completion.

