



A FREE Elder Law Seminar for Older Iowans and Their Caregivers, by webinar or over the Iowa Communications Network. The session starts promptly at 12:30 and ends at 3:45 p.m.

Protecting the Rights of Older Iowans

October 23, 2014

- 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. Iowa's New Elder Abuse and Power of Attorney Acts**
Paige Thorson, Attorney at Law and Department on Aging Legal Services Developer
Learn about the new protections and remedies for older adults provided by Iowa's new Elder Abuse Act and the Iowa Uniform Power of Attorney Act.
- 1:30 - 1:40 p.m. Break**
- 1:40 - 2:40 p.m. Medicaid Eligibility for Nursing Home and In-Home Services**
Scott Hartsook, Attorney at Law, Iowa Legal Aid's Legal Hotline for Older Iowans
This presentation will discuss the Medicaid eligibility rules for people in nursing homes and assisted living facilities, and for people who need in-home services, including protecting assets, spousal allowances, Miller Trusts, transfer of asset rules and Iowa's estate recover law.
- 2:40 - 3:40 p.m. Protecting the Rights of Nursing Home Residents**
Deanna Clingan-Fischer, Attorney at Law, Iowa's State Long-Term Care Ombudsman
Learn about the rights retained by residents of nursing homes and assisted living facilities, including rights that protect residents from abuse, invasions of privacy, involuntary discharges and being denied visitors.

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This seminar will take place over the Iowa Communications Network (ICN) at the sites listed below.
You may also participate by webinar from your home or office.

Algona – Iowa Lakes Community College, 2111 Highway 169 North, Attendance Center, Room 13	Des Moines – State Library East 12th & Grand Ave, Ola Babcock Miller Building, 3rd Floor	Normalk – Easter Public Library, 1051 North Ave, Multi-Purpose Room
Burlington – Great Prairie Area Education Agency, 3601 West Ave	Dubuque – Keystone Area Education Agency, 2310 Chaney Rd, Room 2	Ottumwa – Great Prairie Area Education Agency, 2814 N. Court Street
Cedar Falls – Area Education Agency 267, 3712 Cedar Heights Dr.	Fort Dodge – Trinity Regional Medical Center, 802 Kenyon Road, ICN Room	Sheldon – Northwest Iowa Community College, 603 W Park Street, Building D Room 410
Cedar Rapids – Kirkwood Community College, 6301 Kirkwood Blvd SW, Linn Hall, Room 2182	Guthrie Center – Barnett Public Library, 400 Grand	Sioux City – Public Library, 529 Pierce Street
Clarinda – Iowa Western Community College, 923 E. Washington, Clarinda Center, Room 306	Iowa City – Public Library, 123 South Linn Street, Meeting Room D	Spencer – Public Library 21 East Third Street
Council Bluffs – Iowa Western Community College, 2700 College Road, Looft Hall, Room 024	Johnston – Iowa Public Television, 6450 Corporate Drive, McElroy Room	Storm Lake – Buena Vista University, 610 West 4th Street, Room 7A, Information Technology Center
Creston – Gibson Memorial Library, 200 W. Howard St.	Le Mars – High School, 921 3rd Ave SW, Room 128	Urbandale – Public Library, 3520 86th Street, ICN Classroom
Davenport – Public Library, 321 Main, ICN Room	Marshalltown – Area Education Agency 267, 909 S. 12th Street	West Union – Community Library, 210 North Vine St
Denison – Western Iowa Tech Community College, 11 North 35th St, Room B-6	Mason City – North Iowa Area Community College, 500 College Dr, Business Incubator Building, Room 128	Winterset – High School, 624 Husky Dr, North Portable Building
Des Moines – Iowa Workforce Development, 1000 E Grand Ave.	Newton – Senior High School, 800 E. 4th Street South, Room 104	



To attend at an ICN site or by webinar, mail, fax, or email this page by October 17, 2014 to:

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