



Wisconsin Caregiver Support Community Statewide Webinar

Tuesday, September 27th – 10:00-11:00 am

NOTES

10 am Advocacy Update – Janet Zander, GWAAR

- Please see attachments

10:05 am State DHS and GWAAR Updates – Lynn Gall, DHS, and Bryn Ceman, GWAAR

- DHS: The RAISE Act Family Caregiver & webinar opportunity:
<https://www.nashp.org/webinar-national-family-caregiving-strategy-a-state-roadmap-for-supporting-family-caregivers/>
- DHS: AFCSP budgets will be due Nov. 30 – Materials to be emailed to them first week of October. (hope)
- DHS: Possible extension of program waivers into 2023 – Not sure, but expect they will be extended. Will try to give final decision when AFCSP budget materials are sent out.
- DHS: Employer Engagement – Is there anything we or the Alliance can do to help you get started? Has anyone been doing outreach?
- DHS: Email Lynn / respond to email with spreadsheet to ensure accurate listserv and emails
- GWAAR: Close to completion CG Coordinator Training Curriculum. Soft rollout for with counties who have new hires. Remains a work in progress; hoping to add Motivational Interviewing Course and the final REDCap Trainings. Will share when it is available on the GWAAR site hopefully coinciding with GWAARs Learning Management System.
- GWAAR: Power of Attorney for Healthcare & Finance that Atty Polly Shoemaker provided is now available on the GWAAR website [here](#) or by following GWAAR → technical assistance → family caregiver → under resources, → under CG Coordinator Training and it's title WI HC & Financial POA – CG Training

10:10 am Trualta – Kunal Parikh and Laura Jane Ward

- eLearning presentation; refresher for some & new to other CG staff
 - Ongoing support during each CG Support webinar in 2022
 - Centralized intake process overview

10:25 am WI CG Coordinators & Professional Aging Staff

- (10:25 – 10:40 am) Terri Bradford, Brown County – S.T. and M.V.
 - Template as a means of gaining feedback; success stories
 - Template AF/NFCSP as a means of organization
 - Excel database; willing to share in '23
- (10:40 -10:55 am) Jackie Williams & Kristine Meyer, CG Support Coordinators LaCrosse County - La Crosse Queen
 - Success stories
 - Day-to-day work, etc.
 - [Caring Better & Braver • A podcast on Anchor](#)
- (10:55 – 11 am) Q&A and Wrap Up

Next Meeting Date:

- Tuesday, November 22nd from 10 am to 11 am - Lisa Schneider, Executive Director and Rachel Watkins-Petersen, Project *Manager* of Respite Care Association of Wisconsin (RCAW)
- Agendas will be forthcoming and posted on the GWAAR website
- Please feel free to email Bryn at: bryn.ceman@GWAAR.org and/or Lynn at: Lynn.Gall@dhs.wisconsin.gov with NFCSP/AFCSPP meeting topics or guest speaker ideas