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MILITARY CAREGIVING NEWSLETTER

Choosing what's Right: Using Ethics to Make Practical Decisions while Caring for Another

APR. 28, 2021 | 11 A.M. ET

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This engaging and interactive session will guide participants through an ethical decision-making process to solve problems. Participants will learn practical strategies for making decision for persons under their care. They will identify the core components of ethical decision making and how this knowledge can be used. Participants will also walk away with an understanding of how their decisions impact others.

CILs: Preventing Abuse, Neglect & Exploitation

Individuals have the right to live their lives free from abuse of any kind. Unfortunately, far too often older adults and people with disabilities are abused, neglected or exploited. In part seven of the nine-part vlog series, Pat Morse, LMSW, Program Manager for the Brazos Valley Center for Independent Living (BVCIL) provides a brief overview of abuse and neglect in the aging community and identifies programs and services available through CILs to support loved ones residing in skilled or nursing facilities.

CILs: Person-Centered Planning

Centers for Independent Living (CILs) are community-based centers that are run by and for people with disabilities and offer a broad range of services to empower and enable people to stay in the community (ACL, 2020). CILs assist individuals with disabilities as they navigate life skills such as health, wellness and emergency preparedness using person-centered planning. CILs works with consumers to help identify what is important to and for a person with disabilities, that eventually leads to the development of an individual's future plans.

ADHD, Anxiety, & Autism: Practical Approaches to Child Psychiatry

Professional development training focused on two very common disorders in childhood, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and Anxiety. Viewers have the opportunity to learn more about the mystery of Autism Spectrum Disorders and learn about practical ways parents and caregivers can help manage these disorders, while reconnecting with the fun of parenting. Session is presented by a Board Certified Child Psychiatrist.

UPCOMING EVENTS

A Primer in Telehealth Services for Providers, Caregivers, & Individuals with Special Needs
MAY 6 @ 11:00 A.M. ET

Back to School in 2021 - Getting Ready for Virtually Anything
JUN. 30 @ 11:00 A.M. ET

Latest Podcast Ep.

Ep. 9: Aging with Disabilities

What does aging with a disability look like for many individuals? When we think about disability and aging, we most often assume a type of change associated with growing older. But what about the individual that is aging, who also has a disability. For example, think about someone who may have an intellectual or developmental disability. In this episode, the podcast guest speaker will briefly review aging and disability as a dynamic processes, reconciling models for aging and disabilities, balancing gains and losses throughout the lifespan, and highlighting similarities and differences in the aging experience.

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