

The Health Care Response to Abuse/Neglect of Older Adults

Illinois Health Cares 7th Annual Training of Trainers

Tuesday, March 24, 2009 • Wedeberg Conference Center at Memorial Medical Center • Springfield, Illinois



Overview

Laura Mosqueda, M.D.

Laura Mosqueda, M.D., is the Director of Geriatrics at the University of California, Irvine School of Medicine (UCI) where she is also a Professor of Family Medicine and holds an endowed chair in geriatrics. As a practicing physician and educator, Dr. Mosqueda makes medical care for older persons more comprehensive, interdisciplinary and compassionate. Her efforts led to the creation of the nation's first Elder Abuse Forensic Center, which brings together UCI medical experts and representatives from adult protective service and other agencies in a coordinated approach to addressing elder abuse. Dr. Mosqueda has been the principal investigator on multiple grants focusing on elder abuse in the areas of prevention, forensic markers and education.

Illinois Health Cares is active at national, state, and local levels promoting improved health care prevention and response efforts to domestic, elder and sexual violence. The initiative is co-sponsored by the Illinois Department of Public Health and the Illinois Violence Prevention Authority and draws on the strengths of many collaborative partners.

Training Agenda

9:30 Continental breakfast

10:00 Welcome and Introductions
Lynda Dautenhahn
Illinois Health Cares Statewide Coordinator,
Illinois Department of Public Health

Sara Moffitt, Assistant Director of Grant Programs, Illinois Violence Prevention Authority

Lois Moorman, Program Administrator, Office of Elder Rights, Illinois Department on Aging

Vernie Beorkrem, Director, Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Councils

Greg Kyrouac, Director of Education and Outreach Programs
Southern Illinois University Medical School, Center for Alzheimer Disease and Related Disorders

10:15 Health Care Response to Abuse and Neglect of Older Adults
Laura Mosqueda, M.D.

11:15 Break

11:30 *Dr. Mosqueda, continued*

12:30 Lunch (provided)

1:15 *Dr. Mosqueda, continued*

2:45 Break

3:00 *Dr. Mosqueda, continued*

4:00 Collaborative Work/Resources
Holly Zielke, Illinois Department on Aging

4:30 Evaluation/Closing

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Location/Parking

Wedeberg Conference Center
Memorial Medical Center
701 North First Street
Springfield, Illinois

Free visitor parking is available near the hospital.

To access a map with parking lot locations, go to the MemorialMedical.org Web site and follow the links for hospital information, then visitor information—where you will find a parking map.

Continuing Education

SIU School of Medicine, a licensed provider for continuing education, will offer credits for nursing home administrators (license # 139-000027), social workers (license #159-000106), and licensed counselors/clinical counselors (license #197-00073).

Resources

All participants will receive copies of the Geriatric Pocket Doc, developed by Dr. Mosqueda, as well as a cd-rom which will include slides for lectures, Web-based resources and other materials that might be helpful for trainers.

Registration

Registrations will be accepted on a first come first served basis and will close once capacity has been met. *There is no fee for this training.*

To register, fax the following information to the Illinois Department on Aging at 217-524-9644 or include this required data in an email and send it to Kathy.Seketa-Stefancic@illinois.gov or phone 217-524-1564.

Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

Organization: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Daytime Phone(s): _____ Email: _____

Please indicate any special needs you may have: _____



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Instructor: Dr. Laura Mosqueda, M.D., F.A.A.F.P., A.G.S.F.
University of California, Irvine
School of Medicine

Sponsored by: Illinois Health Cares, a collaborative project of
Illinois Department of Public Health and
Illinois Violence Prevention Authority
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Purpose:

Illinois Health Cares advocates for policy reform, public health approaches, prevention efforts and systems change work to promote improved health care prevention and response efforts to violence. The initiative is co-sponsored by the Illinois Department of Public Health and the Illinois Violence Prevention Authority (IVPA) and is guided by the work of many collaborative partners with a stake in promoting an improved health systems response to domestic, elder and sexual violence. IVPA has provided funding for one statewide grant, 12 local community grants and one grant to a large urban hospital to carry out Illinois Health Cares' goals.

Focus:

Health care professionals are in an excellent position to offer prevention messages and intervene early in the cycle of violence. Those who are abused may come into contact with health care professionals more often than they do law enforcement officers, judges, or service providers from local agencies that serve older persons. If you are working in a direct practice, clinic, or hospital setting it is likely you are encountering older patients on a regular basis who are suffering the effects of abuse and neglect. Failing to respond to patients places them at risk for future abuse and neglect and exacerbated chronic and acute illness; and, remaining silent on prevention issues deprives you and your institution of the opportunity to be a change agent to lessen violence. *This training is directed towards health care professionals, or service providers and supporting staff who work with health care professionals.* It is the hope of sponsoring agencies that those who attend this training will return to their local communities and institutions and offer training/technical assistance to their peers on the health care response to the abuse and neglect of older adults.

Objectives:

- Describe age related changes and issues and the scope of elder abuse
- Review Illinois reporting requirements
- Outline assessment and intervention, including red flags of elder mistreatment, interviewing techniques, the physical exam with medical markers, and what to tell the patient/family
- Describe collaboration and resources, including referral to services and the use of interdisciplinary teams