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RESIDENTS!





WALA Member Benefits

- Represent Adult Family Homes (AFH), Community-Based Residential Facilities (CBRF), and Residential Care Apartment Complexes (RCAC)
- Advocacy – Legislative and Regulatory
- Educational Opportunities
 - 83.15 Administrator Course
 - State Approved
 - Annual Spring and Fall conferences
 - Spring Conference – Largest Assisted Living Focused Conference in Wisconsin
- Diamond Accreditation Program
- Access to affordable professional liability and workers compensation insurance
- WALA Reinhart Legal Line
- Full-time contract lobbyist on retainer
- Herzing University Partnership





COVID-19 Resources

- State and federal guidance on WALA website
 - <https://ewala.org/page/COVID-19ResourcesNews>
- Template variance/waiver forms
- Weekly eBlast communications
- Weekly interactive Zoom meetings with membership
- Collaboration with Department of Health Services, Division of Quality Affairs, Division of Medicaid Services, Division of Public Health, Bureau of Assisted Living, Governor's Office, State Legislators, and Strategic Emergency Operations Center
- WI CARES Act Funding
- Direct Care Workforce Funding
- Access to personal protective equipment (PPE) and Testing

The screenshot shows the WALA website header with the logo and navigation menu. The main content area features a section titled "COVID-19 info for Assisted Living Providers" with a dropdown menu for "More in this Section...". Below this is a social media sharing bar and a prominent red link: **[Coronavirus Disease \(COVID-19\) Information and Resources for Assisted Living Providers](#)**. A paragraph below the link states: "WALA continues to be your advocate in providing resources to work through this public health situation. We are committed to delivering the most up-to-date information as circumstances continue to develop." On the right side, there is a "Sign In" form with fields for "Username" and "Password", a "Remember Me" checkbox, and a "Sign In" button. Below the form are links for "Forgot your password?" and "Join WALA Today!".



WALA Conference

- September 14-18, 2020 (Virtual)
- Over 45 total sessions/7 sessions directly tied to COVID-19
- 8 Sponsored networking/social hours
- Interactive Session with DHS Secretary-Designee, Andrea Palm; Curtis Cunningham, Division of Medicaid Services; and Otis Woods, Division of Quality Assurance
- Licensure specific sessions with Alfred Johnson, Director - BAL
- Over 70 exhibitors
- 13.25 available CEU hours
- Nursing Home Administrator Credits (NAB)

Learn more at:

<https://ewala.org/page/2020ConfAttendee>

View the full agenda at:

https://cdn.ymaws.com/ewala.org/resource/resmgr/conference/2020conffinalagendavirt_fina.pdf



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WALA GOES VIRTUAL!



2020 WALA Conference

SEPTEMBER 14-18, 2020

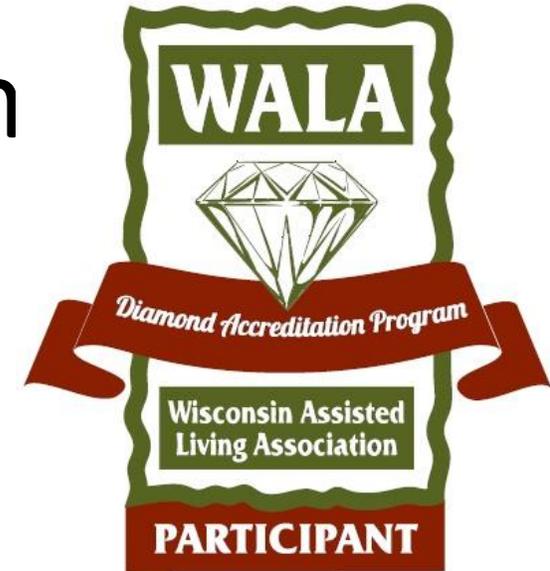
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Diamond Accreditation Program

- Improved Resident Outcomes
- Proactive Problem Solving
- Excellent Networking Opportunities
- Education and Support
- Quality Improvement Tools
- Benchmarking Reports (WCCEAL) – outline areas where exceeding averages
- Resident Satisfaction Surveys (WCCEAL)
- Use of Diamond Logo on collateral/promotional materials, website, and social media
- Diamond Participant certificate for display in community
- Community listed on the public WCCEAL website – wcceal.chsra.wisc.edu





Upcoming WALA Events

83.15 Administrator Course

- October 6-22
- <https://ewala.org/page/83AdminCourse>



WALA's 2020 Annual Conference (Virtual)

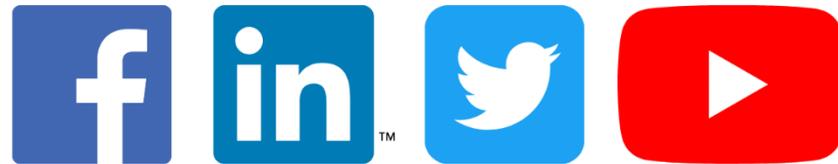
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