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ASSISTED LIVING FORUM

Tuesday, February 13th, 2024

The February 13, 2024, Assisted Living Forum will be held online using Zoom meeting technology.

Meeting ID: 160 480 6553 Join by Phone: 1-669-254-5252

Zoom Link
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General Session
10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

AGENDA

10:00 a.m. Welcome

- Kenneth Brotheridge, Bureau of Assisted Living (BAL) Director

10:05 a.m. Bureau Updates

- DHS 88 Rule Update-Ken Brotheridge
- Assisted Living Trends-Kenneth Brotheridge; Jerry Riederer, Nurse Consultant II, Bureau of Education, Services and Technology (BEST); Kathleen Lyons, BAL Deputy Bureau Director
 - Emergency Preparedness
 - Involuntary Discharges
 - Waivers
 - Side Rails

10:35 a.m. Public Health Updates

- Norovirus Update – Dr. Lynn Roberts, Epidemiologist and SOS Team Coordinator-Division of Public Health
- Multidrug-Resistant Organisms (MDRO) in Wisconsin-Greta Michaelson, MDRO Infection Preventionist

11:00 a.m. Community-Based Treatment and Training Registry Updates

- Kennedy Suhr, Program Specialist, UWGB
- Margie Reichwald, Director, UWGB

11:20 a.m. Question and Answer

12:00 p.m. Adjourn

Prior to the forum, providers may submit questions to DHSDQABALCENTRAL@dhs.wisconsin.gov.

For meeting agendas, handouts, and past forum recordings, visit the [Assisted Living Forum](#) webpage. Presentation materials from DHS staff members will be available on the webpage after the forum. For external speakers, please contact the speaker to obtain materials distributed during the forum.

The Assisted Living Forum is intended for professionals working in the industry to share best practices and stay informed on evolving issues to serve their customers. If you are a member of the Media, you are welcome to attend, however, please refrain from asking questions during the Q & A portion of the event. If you have inquiries, contact DHS Communications at dhsmedia@dhs.wisconsin.gov.