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ASSISTED LIVING FORUM

Tuesday, August 19th, 2025

The August 19th, 2025, Assisted Living Forum will be held online using Zoom meeting technology.

Meeting ID: 160 972 5647 [Join Zoom Meeting](#) **Join by Phone:** 1-669-254-5252

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

AGENDA

10:00 a.m. Welcome and Bureau Updates

- Ken Brotheridge, Bureau of Assisted Living (BAL) Director
 - DHS 88 Adult Family Home Administrative Rule Updates
 - Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) updates
- Kathleen Teske, BAL Deputy Director
 - Staff Updates
- Cheryl Bott, Senior Quality Assurance Program Specialist, BAL
 - New Guidance for the use of Electronic Recording, Video Monitoring, or Filming Equipment available online
 - [Assisted Living: Guidance for the use of Electronic Recording, Video Monitoring, or Filming Equipment | Wisconsin Department of Health Services](#)

10:25 a.m. Electronic Monitoring Guidance

- Kim Marheine and Jenna Helminski Juve, Board on Aging and Long-Term Care
- [Electronic Devices White Paper - Final.pdf](#)
- [Electronic Devices Discussion Tool - Final.pdf](#)
- [BOALTC Publications](#)

10:45 a.m. UW Oshkosh-Center for Community Development, Engagement and Training- (CCDET) Updates

- Shari Klessig, UW Oshkosh Consultant
- <https://www.uwosh.edu/ccdet/caregiver-home/>

11:00 a.m. FOCUS 2025 Conference update

- Jerry Riederer, RN, Nurse Consultant, Bureau of Education, Services and Technology (BEST)
- [FOCUS Conference - UW-Green Bay](#)

11:05 a.m. Assisted Living Dietary Information

- Angela Hertz, RN, CFM, Dietary Services Consultant, BEST

11:15 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.