

Raleigh Geriatric Care Management Announces Virtual Dementia Tour

Date: Saturday, November 21, 2009

Times: 9:00 am — 2:00 pm

Location: Clare Bridge of Cary

7870 Chapel Hill Rd

Cary, NC 26513

Dealing with Dementia

Interactive seminar for caregivers and people with dementia and/or Alzheimer's disease.

If you are an eldercare professional or caregiver of a person with dementia or memory loss—do not miss this FREE community event featuring:

Memory screenings- for early detection of the symptoms of dementia—find out whether additional follow up is necessary

Virtual Dementia Tour- a program that sensitizes caregivers to the symptoms of dementia, resulting in better care for people with dementia and Alzheimer's disease

Documentaries featuring top researchers- to provide the most up to date information on dementia—diagnosis, treatment, research, and care

Geriatric Care Manager- Lauren Watral from Raleigh Geriatric Care Management will be available to meet with you and discuss your concerns about living with and caring for your loved one who has dementia and/or Alzheimer's disease

In addition, information about ongoing research studies involving dementia and Alzheimer's disease will be available.

There are approximately 35 million Americans age 65 and older and more than 4.5 million suffer from dementia. Dementia is the overriding diagnosis for cognitive impairments - the largest category under dementia is Alzheimer's disease.

There are a limited number of slots for the Virtual Dementia Tour; please make your reservations ASAP.

To RSVP please call 877-307-8839

About the Author

Created by Second Wind, a non-profit organization committed to improving people's perceptions of aging, the Virtual Dementia Tour allows health professionals, caregivers, and family members to experience the world of dementia. Participants are given tasks to perform while wearing distortion goggles and listening to constant background noises. And as a result, simple tasks suddenly become more difficult and even impossible.

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