The Interdisciplinary Approach to Care Planning

"CARE PLANS." Those two words alone can cause fear and frustration to most long term care professionals. Are we supposed to have separate, individual-discipline plans for every resident; or are we required to have one comprehensive care plan for each resident? And which care model do we use - medical or social; problem-based or needs-based? The debate goes on, the confusion grows, and professionals are now becoming so concerned over writing a care plan that they have no time to actually implement a realistic, workable care plan.

Care planning is an essential part of healthcare, but is often misunderstood or regarded as a waste of time. Without a specific document delineating the plan of care, important issues are likely to be neglected. Care planning provides guidance to every care team member who is responsible for a resident's care. Many people believe that the care plan is the sole domain of nurses. This view is damaging to all members of the interdisciplinary team, as it shortchanges the non-nursing contributors while overloading the nursing staff. This practice can also lead to citations, poor care, and even litigation. To be effective and comprehensive, the care planning process must involve all disciplines that are involved in the care of the resident.

This educational offering will give participants an overview of the comprehensive care plan process, as well as specific details regarding:

- CMS Requirements and Guidance
- Person-centered care
- Individualizing each resident's plan of care
- Interdisciplinary assessment
- The "total team" concept
- Plans that promote psychosocial well-being
- Pain, behavior, depression and end-of-life issues
- Legal aspects of the care plan

Participants will be able to identify federal requirements, surveyors' expectations, and specific care issues as they relate to the care plan process. Care team members will learn how each discipline can truly assist in the development of a "resident-centered" care plan that is designed to meet specific care/medical issues, as well as help the resident "attain or maintain their highest practicable psychosocial well-being."

This educational offering has been reviewed by the National Continuing Education Review Service (NCERS) of the National Association of Long Term Care Administrators Boards (NAB) and approved for 6.0 clock hours and 6.00 participant hours. Administrators must attend the whole training session (6.0 hrs.) to obtain continuing education hours, no partial credit is available.

INSTRUCTOR: BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND, Cat Selman, Educator, Motivator, Communicator, Consultant, Author, President/Co-Founder of The Healthcare Communicators, Inc. and a speaker in all 50 states, uses her dynamic personality and compelling presence to spread the message of positive continuing education for healthcare professionals. A seasoned lecturer, Cat has more than 30 years of experience in management, social work, activities/recreation, education and consultation.
Program Date & Location:
July 18, 2013 – Moore-Norman Technology Center – SOUTH PENN Campus – 13301 South Penn Avenue – Oklahoma City, OK 73170

Class Schedule:
8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.
Check-in starts at 7:45 a.m. – class starts promptly at 8:30 a.m.
Lunch provided – 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Registration Fee:
$125 member $175 non-member $25 additional per person after July 12
Cancellation: $25 member / $45 non-member
Registration and payment must be received in advance of class or participant will not be allowed to attend.

Registration Deadline: July 12, 2013

Cancellation Fee:
Payment must be received BEFORE class date, company check, credit card or money orders, no PERSONAL CHECKS. Register and pay on-line at www.oahcp.org – Education. Cancellations received before 10 days of class date will receive full credit refund; cancellations received within 10-days of class date will receive credit minus $25 (member) or $45 (non-member) cancellation fee. Cancellations MUST BE FAXED to 405-524-8354 or EMAILED to ccook@oahcp.org before start of class. Substitutions may be made with proper paperwork prior to class. Credit or refunds will not be given to NO SHOWS. Registration and payment must be received in advance of class or participant will not be allowed to attend.

Important Things to Bring:
Participants should bring a sweater or light jacket (room temperatures are often difficult to control), and pen and paper for note taking.

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