Program

Family Caregiving: State of the Art, Future Trends brings together experts from across practice, policy and research to encourage a dialogue about leading edge research, interventions and future trends affecting family caregivers.

Morning

8:30 – 8:45 Welcome and Overview of the Day
Kathleen Kelly, Executive Director, Family Caregiver Alliance

8:45 – 9:45 Opening Presentation
“Forces Reshaping 21st Century Healthcare” – Emily Friedman
Ms. Friedman is an independent writer, lecturer and health policy and ethics analyst based in Chicago, IL
Questions and Dialogue

9:45 – noon Panel Presentations
Moderator: Jeanette C. Takamura, PhD
Dean and Professor, School of Social Work, Columbia University

Key Data Trends: Research on Caregiving Patterns and Characteristics
Brenda Spillman, PhD, Senior Research Associate, Urban Institute, Washington DC

Key Healthcare System Trends: Families as Care Partners
Gregg Warshaw, MD, Professor & Director of the Office of Geriatric and Family Medicine, University of Cincinnati

Key Economic Trends: Baby Boomer Caregivers and Retirement Security
Cindy Hounsell, JD, Executive Director, Women’s Institute for a Secure Retirement (WISER), Washington DC

Key Technology Trends: Care Management Tools
Carol Smith, RN, PhD, Professor, University of Kansas Medical Center

Key Media Trends: Caregiving in Popular Culture
Robert Rosenblatt, Journalist, Washington DC

Emily Friedman, Responder
Questions and Dialogue
Afternoon  
12:00 – 1:00  Lunch

1:00 – 2:45  Promising Practices and Research Trends: Concurrent Workshops

**Caregiver Assessment: Filling the Gap in Policy and Practice**  
*Moderator:* Katie Maslow, MSW, Associate Director, Alzheimer’s Association  
Lynn Friss Feinberg, MSW, Deputy Director, National Center on Caregiving, Family Caregiver Alliance  
Susan Reinhard, RN, PhD, Co-Director, Rutgers Center for State Health Policy, Rutgers University

**Workforce Issues: The Link Between the Informal and Formal Care Networks**  
*Moderator:* Nancy Giunta, MSW, John A. Hartford Doctoral Fellow, University of California, Berkeley  
Gail Hunt, President & CEO, National Alliance for Caregiving  
Dorie Seavey, PhD, National Policy Specialist, Paraprofessional Healthcare Institute  
Robyn Stone, DrPH, Executive Director, Institute for the Future of Aging Services, American Association of Homes & Services for the Aging

**Caregiver Health: The Link Between Prolonged Stress and Illness**  
*Moderator:* Rick Greene, MSW, Project Officer, Office of State & Community Programs, U.S. Administration on Aging  
Elena Andresen, PhD, Professor & Chair of Epidemiology & Biostatistics, University of Florida  
Richard Schulz, PhD, Professor of Psychiatry & Director, Center for Social & Urban Research, University of Pittsburgh

2:45 – 3:15  Break

3:15 – 5:00  Promising Practices and Research Trends: Concurrent Workshops

**Diverse Caregiver Populations**  
*Moderator:* Donna Benton, PhD, Director, Los Angeles Caregiver Resource Center  
Kimberly Acquaviva, PhD, Assistant Research Professor, School of Medicine & Health Sciences, George Washington University  
Carmela Lacayo, President and CEO, Asociacion Nacional pro Personas Mayores  
Carol Miller, Director, National Center for Frontier Communities, Ojo Sarco, New Mexico

**Leading Edge Caregiver Interventions**  
*Moderator:* Vicki Schmall, PhD, Consultant in Aging Services  
Laura Gitlin, PhD, Director, Center for Applied Research on Aging & Health, Thomas Jefferson University  
Mary Mittelman, Dr.PH, Director of Psychosocial Research & Support, Silberstein Aging & Dementia Research Center, New York University  
Carol Whitlatch, PhD, Assistant Director of Research, Margaret Blenkner Research Institute, Benjamin Rose.

**Integration of Caregivers in the Healthcare System**  
*Moderator:* Jodi Cohn, DrPH, Research Director, Geriatric Practice Innovation Research, SCAN Health Plan  
Adam Darkins, MD, Chief Consultant for Care Coordination, Department of Veterans Affairs  
Carol Levine, Director, Families & Health Care Project, United Hospital Fund  
Jennifer Wolff, PhD, Assistant Professor, Department of Health Policy & Management, Johns Hopkins University Medical Center

5:15 – 6:30  Reception and Networking