

Caring for Patients with Special Diets

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Wednesday, June 22, 2011, 2:00-4:00 p.m. (Central Time)

3:00-5:00 p.m. (Eastern) 1:00-3:00 p.m. (Mountain) 12:00-2:00 p.m. (Pacific)

It takes more than just medication and doctor's advice to keep your home-bound patients feeling good; proper diet and nutrition are also necessary to promote good health. Often times patients will be encouraged to follow a therapeutic diet, one that's customized to achieve a certain outcome. These diets are used to treat and prevent a variety of health-related conditions that could have dramatic, negative effects on your patient. Program faculty will discuss therapeutic diets in detail so you can help your patient not just eat better, but feel better, too.

Faculty:

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Program Objectives:

1. Name the most commonly prescribed therapeutic diets.
2. List the foods generally restricted on each therapeutic diet.
3. Identify credible resources for information on therapeutic diets.

****This training is a required in-service for 2011 for E/D and HIV/AIDS Waiver case management staff employed by the Alabama Department of Public Health to include Case Managers, Area Social Work Managers, and Area Social Work Directors who have direct client contact.****

Conference Details:

Target Audience: Home health aides, home attendants and other professionals and family workers who administer and care for patients in the home setting, waiver case management staff.

Continuing Education: Social Workers 1.75 hours

Registration: www.adph.org/alphntn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphntn

Satellite - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

Webcast - Watch with RealPlayer or Windows Media Player. Test your computer with the "test connection link" at www.adph.org/alphntn

Audio - To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #.
Press # again to listen to the conference.

On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphntn@adph.state.al.us