



Essentials of the LTC Director of Nursing Role Part 1

August 9, 2023 @ 12:15-4 p.m. CT

August 10, 2023 @ 1-4 p.m. CT

www.LeadingAgeIowa.org/DONSeries1

This event is scheduled in a virtual, live-streaming webinar format. To meet the regulatory and education requirements, participants must stay for the entire event to receive credit. Sign-in and sign-out times, as well as attentiveness, will be verified before credit is issued. Contact [Amy Huisman](#) for details or questions.

LeadingAge Iowa is pleased to announce a virtual series that will take place in three segments over the second half of 2023 that will aid in developing the Director of Nursing (DON) role in nursing homes. Elements of this series will focus on understanding CMS programs that impact reimbursement and quality assurance; survey processes and regulations; and human resources, customer service, and leadership.

Each segment of this series is designed to provide in-depth information and discussion on each topic without taking the series in a sequential order or taking all 3 sections of the series. By making each of the 3 segments standalone, you can better address succession planning by having individuals attend as their nurse leadership skills are identified. Additional sections in this series will be added to the events calendar in September and December.

Who Should Attend

LTC Administrators, Director of Nursing, Assistant Director of Nursing, and other nurse leaders. Appropriate for SNF providers.

Event Agenda

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Quality & Reimbursement Programs

This session will include an overview of Federal and State reimbursement and Performance Measures including Patient Driven Payment Model (PDPM); Payroll Based Journal (PBJ); and Value Based Purchasing (VBP).

- Define, explain, and understand the implications of PDPM.
- Define, explain, and understand the implications of VBP.
- Define, explain, and understand the implications of PBJ.

Faculty:

Kellie Van Ree, RN, LNHA, IP, Director of Clinical Services, LeadingAge Iowa, Urbandale

Kellie Van Ree started her career in long-term care as a dietary aide, working short shifts after school, later advancing to a certified nurse's aide and a certified medication aide. In 2003, Kellie graduated from Kirkwood Community College, serving as an LPN, later returning to Kirkwood to complete her associates degree in applied science and successfully completed RN boards. In 2009, Kellie again returned to Bellevue University to complete her bachelor's degree in long-term care administration. In addition to being a state surveyor for a short period of time, Kellie served in many positions throughout a long-term care continuum including a home health nurse, corporate consultant, director of nursing and administrator before becoming the director of clinical services with LeadingAge Iowa.

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Quality Improvement for the LTC Leader

Successful long-term care leaders need a good understanding of how the publicly reported Five-Star quality measures impacts operations and using this data to identify opportunities for improvement. During this session you will learn more on what the data reveals about your organization, turning this information to identify priority needs for improvement, and “the how” to leading teams on the Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement (QAPI) journey.

- Define the Five-Star Rating system impacts on the organization.
- Recognize the value for enhanced data analysis.
- Utilize Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement to improve Five-Star Ratings.

Faculty:

Gina Anderson, RN, BSN, is a Senior Quality Improvement Facilitator at Telligen. She has worked in and supported nursing homes in a variety of roles for more than 25 years including an MDS coordinator, Director of Nursing, and nurse consultant. In her current role, she supports nursing homes across the Telligen region with quality improvement enhanced assistance, education, and resources. Gina has a strong compassion for building relationships with providers to improve the lives of residents living in health care facilities.

Attendee comments from previous class

- ~ “How they described things in plain non complicated ways, easy to follow and understand and allowed us to ask questions without feeling inadequate.”
- ~ “I liked learning through dialogue and the audience asking questions.”
- ~ “Very knowledgeable presentation”
- ~ “Gina is a great presenter.”
- ~ “Very informative, great learning”
- ~ “Great information that I will be able to use in my day-to-day operations of LTC”

Continuing Education Information

Iowa Board of Nursing Provider #67 – LeadingAge Iowa has been approved as a provider of continuing education for nurses by the Iowa Board of Nursing, provider No. 67. 3.5 contact hours for August 2 session and 2.75 contact hours for August 3 session. Partial credit for this event will not be granted. To receive contact hours or a certificate of attendance, you must attend the entire event. Evaluations for this event can be submitted to the Iowa Board of Nursing. Retain certificate for four years.

Nursing Home Administrators – 3.5 contact hours for August 2 session and 2.75 contact hours for August 3 session is intended to meet the criteria established by the Iowa Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators for participants who attend this event in its entirety. Partial credit for this event will not be granted. To receive contact hours or a certificate of attendance, you must attend the entire event.

For other long-term support and service provider professionals not listed above: Most licensure boards, credentialing agencies and professional organizations have processes that allow individuals to earn a certain number of CEUs for non-preapproved programs and/or to accommodate self-submission for approval of continuing education hours after the event takes place with proper documentation from the program sponsors. Most also require information objectives, date/time of presentation, agendas, faculty bios, and number of hours earned. If you require information for this purpose, please contact [Amy Huisman](#) in advance for assistance.

Registration & Other Information

Register at www.LeadingAgeIowa.org/DONSeries1.

LAI Member	
Individual Rate	\$145
Group of 2 People from the Same Campus** <i>This registration type allows for up to 2 people from the same campus to register for one flat fee! To register at this rate, you will need to select the Group Rate of 2 People on the online registration form and include the names and other demographic information requested.</i>	\$250 Best Value!
Prospective Member	
Individual Rate	\$300

What's Included

Registration fee is per individual and includes digital handouts, one connection to the virtual, live-streaming event per individual registered, and a CE credit/attendance certificate for one person. This event will NOT be recorded; therefore, a recording of this event is NOT included in the registration fee.

Cancellation/Refund Policy

Registration deadline for the series is August 7, 2023. No-shows will be billed. No refunds for failure to log-in at the time of the event. Substitutions welcome anytime via email prior to the first day of the event. All cancellation and substitution requests must be emailed to Amy Huisman (ahuisman@LeadingAgeIowa.org). A full refund will be given to all cancellations received 10 or more business days prior to the program. A \$25 administrative fee will be charged to all cancellations received six to nine business days prior to the program. No refunds will be given to cancellations received five or fewer business days prior to the program. Refunds will be calculated by the date received and the LeadingAge Iowa business days remaining prior to the program. LeadingAge Iowa reserves the right to cancel the program due to insufficient enrollment, in which case pre-registered participants will be notified and full refunds provided.

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