

PUBLIC NOTICE

TASK FORCE TO IMPROVE END OF LIFE CARE MEETING

Where: First Floor Conference Room, Building #69

R.I. Department of Labor & Training

1511 Pontiac Avenue

Cranston, Rhode Island

When: Wednesday, March 9, 2005

8:30 AM

The public is invited to attend.

RE: To discuss training the medical directors of nursing homes and physicians concerning hospice care and advance care planning.

Date Posted: March 4, 2005

ATTORNEY GENERAL TASK FORCE TO IMPROVE END OF LIFE CARE

NOTICE & AGENDA

March 9, 2005

The Attorney General Task Force to Improve End of Life Care will meet on March 9, 2005 at 8:30 AM. in the First Floor Conference Room of Building #69 at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, RI.

TIME: TOPIC:

8:30 a.m. - 8:35 a.m. Welcome

8:35 a.m.– 8:40 a.m. Roll Call

8:40 a.m.– 8:45 a.m. Review Minutes from February 9, 2005

8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Update Hospice in the Nursing Homes Training

A. April 13, 2005 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. medical directors and physician program

B. June 2005 nursing homes administrators, nurses, and social workers program

Susan Miller, Ph.D., MBA, Center for Gerontology and Health Care Research, Brown University

Edward Martin, M.D.

Medical Director

Home and Hospice Care of Rhode Island

Maureen G. Glynn, AAG

9:00 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. Physicians' Orders

Tom Wachtel, M.D.

Lifespan/Brown University

9:20 a.m. – 9:40 a.m. Legislation

Jackie Janicki, MS, RN, CHPN

Hospice Director

VNS of Newport & Bristol Counties

Maureen G. Glynn, AAG

9:40 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. Universal Advance Directives for Nursing Homes

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9:55 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Any other business

The next meeting of the Attorney General Task Force to Improve End of Life Care is scheduled for May 11, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. in the First Floor Conference Room, Building #73, Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, RI. If you have any questions, please contact Rolanda Costa at (401) 274-4400 ext. 2316, fax 222-3016, or email: rcosta@riag.state.ri.us