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Warren County Community College to hold seminar on Alzheimer's and dementia for caregivers

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Warren County Community College is offering a comprehensive 8-hour seminar on the effective providing of care to dementia patients in a long-term setting. This course is ideal for caregivers at assisted living communities, adult day services, nursing homes and other related senior communities. This course is also required for those seeking to obtain Certified Dementia Practitioner qualifications from the National Council

of Dementia Practitioners.

The course begins with an introduction to Alzheimer's and Dementia, discusses key aspects of the disease, covers important elements of proper care, provides instruction on elements of personal caregiving such as bathing and dressing, and give insight on caregiver support. Discussion topics include diagnosis, prognosis, treatment, and issues related to communication, safety, mental health, sexuality, and aggression.

The instructor for the course is Barbara Rimorin, a credentialed Alzheimer and dementia trainer with more than 8 years of experience as a practitioner in the field. This course is highly recommended for registered nurses, LPNs, social workers, Activity Directors and staff, Assisted Living Administrators, Nursing Home Administrators, and other health care professionals working with Dementia clients.

The course takes place on Wednesday, Nov. 7, at WCCC's Phillipsburg Education Center. The class runs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Registration cost for the course is \$225, plus a \$25 material fee payable to the instructor at the beginning of class. For more information or to register, call 908-689-7613.

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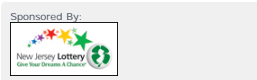
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