



Regis College Leadership Series on Health in partnership with Harvard Pilgrim Health Care

The Regis College Leadership Series on Health, in partnership with Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, was established in 2007. This unique series of free lectures is designed to interest and inform both those in the health care field and members of the general public. The goal of the series is to build awareness of contemporary health and wellness issues and to develop knowledge and skills that will effect positive change addressing those issues. Topics to be discussed in the upcoming fall season are Helping Families of Depressed Patients and Obesity: A Cultural & Societal Perspective. Planned topics for Spring 2010 an Update on the Massachusetts Health Care Reform Law and Alzheimer's and Other Dementias of the Elderly.

Join us and ask the experts!

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Update on the Massachusetts Health Care Reform Law and National Health Care Reform

Wednesday, March 24, 2010, 6:30–8:30pm
Upper Student Union Lounge

Moderator:

Mary Jane England, MD, President, Regis College, Weston, MA

Presenters:

Sarah Iselin, MS, President, BCBS MA Foundation, Boston, MA

Melissa A. Boudreault, MA, Vice President, Dell Perot, Boston, MA

Brian Rosman, JD, Research Director, Health Care for All, Boston, MA

Mary Ann Hart, MSN, NP-C, Assistant Professor of Clinical Nursing, Regis College, Weston, MA

On April 12, 2006, Massachusetts enacted legislation that would provide nearly universal health coverage to state residents. Implementation of the plan began at the end of 2006. By May 2007 more than 100,000 previously uninsured people had gained coverage. By 2008 the plan was being discussed as a model for states.

Since President Obama was elected in 2008, one of his primary legislative issues has been to reform health care, reduce cost, and provide affordable health care insurance for US Citizens. In November 2009, the House of Representatives passed a National Health Care Reform Bill. In December, 2009 the Senate passed its version of a National Health Care Reform Bill. The final product will be a compromise of both bills. Panelists will discuss the economic impact on providers, health care professionals and the public.

This activity has been submitted to the Massachusetts Association of Registered Nurses, Inc., for approval to award contact hours. Massachusetts Association of Registered Nurses, Inc. is accredited as an approver of continuing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's COA.

Alzheimer's and Related Dementias of the Elderly

Wednesday, April 28, 2010, 6:30–8:30pm
Upper Student Union Lounge

Moderator:

Antoinette Hays, PhD, RN, Dean, School of Nursing and Health Professions, Regis College, Weston, MA

Presenters:

Robert J. Schrieber, MD, Chief Medical Officer, Hebrew Senior Life, Boston, MA

Kellie Lavin LaPierre, MS, RN, Assistant Clinical Professor of Nursing, Regis College, Weston, MA

Maureen Beirne Streff, EdD, RN, MS, CS, BC, Par-time Nursing Faculty, Regis College, Weston, MA

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According to the Alzheimer's Association, "Alzheimer's is a disease of the brain that causes problems with memory, thinking and behavior. It is not a normal part of aging. Alzheimer's gets worse over time. Although symptoms can vary wildly, the first problem many people notice is forgetfulness severe enough to affect their ability to function at home or at work, or to enjoy life-long hobbies." Come learn the warning signs and hear what is normal memory loss as well as the experience of a family caregiver.

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Wednesday, October 27, 2010

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder

Wednesday, November 17, 2010

Preventing Violence Against Women

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- Wednesday, March 24, 2010, 6:30–8:30pm (pre-registration requested by March 19, 2010)
- Wednesday, April 28, 2010, 6:30–8:30pm (pre-registration requested by Friday, April 23, 2010)

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