



NATIONAL HEALTHCARE DECISIONS DAY

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The OOIE congratulate the following facilities and organizations for their efforts to promote Advance Care Planning as part of the National Healthcare Decisions Day:

OOIE presented NHDD programs on:

April 2, 2012 –House of the Good Shepherd, 798 Willow Grove Street, Hackettstown, NJ

April 3, 2012- Seabrook Village, 3000 Essex Road, Tinton Falls, NJ

April 10, 2012 –Friends Village, One Friends Dr, Woodstown, NJ

OOIE will attend events on April 16, 2012:

At Bright View Greentree, 170 Greentree Road, Marlton, 08053 Assemblyman Herb Conaway will be speaking. Jerry Rothkoff, Elder law attorney, will speak on Advance Directives at 11 a.m. and then Samaritan Hospice will present on the 5 Wishes Document at noon.

At Pitman Manor, 535 North Oak Avenue, Pitman 08071, Victoria Dalton, attorney, will speak on advance directives at 10:30 a.m. Samaritan will present on the 5 Wishes Document at noon and at 1 p.m. Tina Bontya, social worker, will present “Are your Docs in a Row?”

Spring Oak Assisted Living of Vineland, 1610 S. Main Rd., Vineland, NJ 08361, will have a NHDD event in which South Jersey Legal Services Senior Staff Attorney will be providing a presentation for the public on Power of Attorney’s, Medical Directives, and other important legal health care concerns that affect all. This presentation is free to the public and will have a q & a session with Brenda Rascher, Esq.

Other agencies that are participating in NHDD

Masonic Home, Burlington, hosted a program entitled National Healthcare Decisions Day and Advance Directives: Their Role in Preventing Ethical Dilemmas at the End-of-Life. Cindy Shemansky, MEd, RN-BC, LNHA presented. A program for families will be presented on April 16.

NJ Veterans Memorial Home at Paramus, 1 Veterans Drive, Paramus, NJ 07682 is presenting a NHDD event “*Do your Loved Ones Know Your Health Care Wishes?*” on April 18, 2012 at 2pm with Keynote Speaker Russell Warren, Attorney-at-Law.

Willow Creek Rehab and Care Center, 1165 Easton Avenue, Somerset, NJ 08873 will have a table to display valuable information to residents and the public regarding advance directive in celebration of NHDD.