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program schedule

| 7:00 - 8:00 am | Registration, Breakfast & Exhibitor Fair | | |
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| 8:00 - 8:15 am | Welcome and Introduction, William Fisher, CEO | | |
| 8:15 - 9:15 am | Alzheimer's Prevention and Treatment: Which Strategies Have the Best Evidence?, Frank M. Longo, MD, PhD | | |
| 9:15 - 9:45 am | Q & A, Frank M. Longo, MD, PhD & William Fisher, CEO | | |
| 9:45 - 10:00 am | Break | | |
| 10:00 - 11:45 am | Preventing Elder Investment Fraud: Assessing for Vulnerability to Financial Exploitation, Robert Roush, EdD, MPH, Alana Golden & Don Blandin, MPA | | |
| 11:45 - 12:30 pm | Lunch and Resource Fair | | |
| 12:30 - 1:45 pm | Suicide in Persons with Dementia and their Caregivers, Patrick Arbore, EdD, Judy Filippoff | | |
| 1:45 - 2:45 pm | The Ombudsman Perspective: Working through difficult cases, Tippy Irwin | | |
| 2:45 - 3:00 pm | Break | | |
| 3:00 - 4:00 pm | Assessment of Dementia and Caregiving in the Afghan Immigrant and refugee elders: Discussing Cultural diversity and what the health care provider needs to know, Aida Shirazi, Ph.D. MS. R.Ph. | | |
| 4:00 - 4:15 pm | Closing and Evaluations | | |

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course objectives

- 1. Discuss the current status of dementia research, including new findings related to the cause and prevention of AD.
- 2. Learn about the processes that can make an elder susceptible to financial abuse, the symptoms to be aware of, and what can be done to help.
- 3. Understand regulations around mandatory reporting and suicide for professionals.
- 4. Discuss contributors for suicidality for caregivers and those with dementia.
- 5. Discover various perspectives on suicide, ethics, and the right to die.
- 6. Understand the ombudsman's perspective on best practices in dementia care.
- 7. Learn about specifics for assessing dementia in the Afghan Immigrant community.
- Discuss cultural diversity and what the health care provider needs to know.