

EXPANDING ACCESS TO EVIDENCE-BASED PROGRAMS FOR CAREGIVERS

Presented by the Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving
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FRIDAY, MARCH 19 | 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Fee: \$35 (Includes lunch)

Pre-registration is required (Limited to 300 attendees)

Attendees must be registered for the Aging in America Conference

The Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving (RCI) is currently working to support expanded access to evidence-based programs for caregivers. This session will present the RCI's model of support and will address important factors that determine effective implementation of evidence-based programs for caregivers: reaching family caregivers; tailoring programs to meet needs; securing organizational buy-in and leveraging partnerships. The session will end with the presentation of a position paper that builds the case for better caregiver support systems.

Co-chairs: **Richard C. Birkel**, PhD, Executive Director and Pope Distinguished Chair in Caregiving, Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving and **Kenneth Hepburn**, PhD, Dean, Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing, Emory University.

Agenda

9:30 - 9:40 am | Welcome and Introductions

Presenter: **Richard C. Birkel**, PhD.

9:40 - 10:40 am | The National Quality Caregiving Network: A Model for Supporting Evidence-Based Programs for Caregivers

Presenters: **Richard C. Birkel**, PhD; **Laura Bauer Granberry**, MPA, Director of National Initiatives, Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving.

10:40 - 11:40 am | Reaching Family Caregivers in Your Community

Presenters: **Mark J. Yaffe**, MDCM, MCISc, CCFP, FCFP, Associate Professor of Family Medicine, McGill University; **Barry J. Jacobs**, PsyD, Director of Behavioral Sciences, Crozer-Keystone Family Medicine Residency Program.

12:45 - 1:30 pm | Tailoring Programs to Meet Caregiver Needs: The Role of Risk and Caregiver Preference

Presenters: **Rhonda Montgomery**, PhD, Professor and Endowed Chair, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee; **Kenneth Hepburn**, PhD.

1:30 - 2:15 pm | The Importance of Organizational Buy-In: Fox GERI and the Environmental Skill-Building Program

Presenters: **Laura N. Gitlin**, PhD, Thomas Jefferson University; **Mimi Jacobs**, PT, GCS, OCS, Executive Director, Fox GERI: Geriatric Education & Research Institute.

2:15 - 3:00 pm | Leveraging Partnerships for Enhanced Service Provision: Creating a Menu of Service Options for Caregivers

Presenters: **Richard McGhee**, Director, Central Texas Aging and Disability Resource Center, Central Texas AAA; **Roberto E. Velasquez**, MSG, Director of Development/Multicultural Services, Southern Caregiver Resource Center.

3:00 - 4:00 pm | Expanding Access to Evidence-Based Caregiver Support Programs: A Position Paper of the National Quality Caregiving Network

Presenters: **Richard C. Birkel**, PhD and **Kenneth Hepburn**, PhD.



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