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# Unique *Challenges* Require Unique *Solutions*

Thursday, March 14, 2019  
North Palm Beach, Florida

Join the Avila Institute of Gerontology and Health Dimensions Group for a special, one-day event, that will address the specific needs of religious Communities including:

- providing education on aging issues
- managing and assessing your aging communities
- positioning your community for sustainable success
- aligning mission and financial success

## REGISTRATION — SPACE IS LIMITED

**\$99.00 PER PERSON**

*Includes full day of education, presentation materials, breakfast, lunch and breaks.*

## TO REGISTER

Go to [www.avilainstitute.org/seminars/unique-solutions](http://www.avilainstitute.org/seminars/unique-solutions) to download a registration form. Registrations forms and payment are due Feb. 28, 2019.

## LOCATION

Our Lady of Florida Spiritual Center  
1300 US Highway 1  
North Palm Beach, Florida

## ACCOMMODATIONS

Overnight accommodations at Our Lady of Florida Spiritual Center \$110.00/night.

## PRESENTED BY



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For more information about this conference, registration, and accommodations, visit our website [www.avilainstitute.org](http://www.avilainstitute.org) or contact Tricia Misonznick at (518) 537-5000 or [triciam@avilainstitute.org](mailto:triciam@avilainstitute.org).

## SEMINAR SCHEDULE AND SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

7:30 am Public Mass  
8:15 – 8:45 am Hot Breakfast and Registration  
8:50 – 9:00 am Welcome and Call to Prayer

9:00 – 10:00 am

### Understanding Aging Issues

*Sr. M. Peter Lillian Di Maria, O.Carm., BA, LNHA*

The processes of aging, although highly individualized, follow a common path. The progress and rate of aging varies for each person, but certain traits and events are considered a normal part of the aging process. This session will provide an overview of the importance of education that highlights normal aging patterns and the resources that are available to Communities to facilitate aging well.

10:00 – 10:15 am Break

10:15 – 11:00 am

### Top Trends 2019

*Erin Shvetzoff Hennessey, MA, NHA, CPG*

The rapid changes to payment and regulation, combined with rapidly aging communities require forward thinking leadership to prepare for providing care in new and innovative ways. During this session, we will share thoughts on the top trends for 2019 with attendees and provide actionable steps for success.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Cancellation and refund requests must be made in writing (mail or email). Phone cancellations will not be accepted. AIG regrets that refunds will not be given for no-shows; however, substitutions are gladly accepted.

**EVENT CANCELLATION POLICY:** We reserve the right to cancel any scheduled seminar due to unforeseen circumstances up to one week in advance of the scheduled workshop with full refund of any registration payment.

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

### Assessment Tool

*Sr. M. Peter Lillian Di Maria, O.Carm., BA, LNHA*

The goal of the Care Transitions Assessment is to identify issues that affect the overall health of the Community. It helps identify care needs and aids in determining the availability of resources within or outside the Community to help manage care for its members. By conducting a Care Transitions Assessment, Leadership can begin to answer key questions such as:

- What data is necessary to facilitate transitions?
- What are the strengths in the community?
- What health concerns do community members have?
- What resources are available to address these concerns?
- What additional resources are needed to address these concerns?
- What are the future care needs within your community?
- What transition protocols are currently in place?
- What education will enhance care?

12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 – 2:45 pm

### Choosing the Right Partner

*Erin Shvetzoff Hennessey, MA, NHA, CPG*

*Sr. M. Peter Lillian Di Maria, O.Carm., BA, LNHA*

Religious communities provide unique care and require partners who understand the nuances of religious communities. This session will provide attendees with guidance on how to select partners who will honor their mission, improve care and position communities for sustainable success. The session will provide an overview of partner organizations, the types of services partners can offer, an understanding of how these services are provided, and tips for maintaining successful partnerships.

2:45 pm – 3:00 pm Wrap Up