Senior Coalition
Giving Voice to Experience

The Solano County District Attorney's Office and Senior Coalition of Solano County Present:

The 1st Annual

Solano Family Justice Center

Elder Abuse Forum

Wednesday, June 15, 2016

Board Chambers

675 Texas Street, Fairfield

10am-12pm

AGENDA

Opening

Krishna Abrams, Solano County District Attorney

Context of Elder Abuse

Rochelle Sherlock, Senior Coalition

Elder Abuse & Neglect: Victim Profile

Lyn Fuller, Adult Protective Services

Path to Self-Neglect

Tracee Stacey, Area Agency on Aging

Financial Abuse / Exploitation

Lauren Rolfe, California Senior Legislature/Senior Coalition

Barriers to Offender Accountability

Det. Steve Howisey, Vacaville Police Dept. Special Victims Unit

Closing Remarks

Jason Aguirre, Solano Family Justice Center

Thank you for participating in this forum. Please visit the resource tables in the lobby for additional resources and information.

KNOW ABUSE REPORT ABUSE

ELDER AND DEPENDENT ADULT ABUSE AWARENESS MONTH

DON'T MISS THE SIGNS

NEGLECT / SELF-NEGLECT

- Lack of adequate food and water
- Dirty clothing and changes in personal hygiene
- Unusually messy home
- Lack of medical aids or medication

FINANCIAL ABUSE

- Basic needs not being met
- Bills not paid
- New credit cards and increased cash withdrawals
- Unusual purchases by caregiver

PHYSICAL ABUSE

- Bruises, black eyes, welts
- Broken bones, cuts, sprains
- Sudden change in behavior
- Caregiver refusal to leave elder or dependent adult alone

MENTAL ABUSE

- Threatening significant physical harm
- Derogatory or inappropriate names, insults, profanity, or ridicule
- Harassment, coercion, intimidation, humiliation

SEXUAL ABUSE

- Unusual bruising on thighs and chest
- Unexplained sexually transmitted diseases
- Unusual stains on clothing or sheets
- Withdrawn from social interactions / panic attacks

Additional Resources:

Solano County Adult Protective Services
(707) 784-8259 / (800) 850-0012

Area Agency on Aging
(707) 644-6612

Solano Family Justice Center
(707) 784-7635

SafeQuest Solano
(707) 422-7345 / Crisis 1 (866) 4UR-SAFE

Vacaville FIRST
(707) 469-6600

Solano County District Attorney's Office
(707) 784-6800

Legal Services of Northern California
(707) 643-0054 / (800) 270-7252

Senior Coalition of Solano County
(707) 864-3984

Solano County Behavioral Health
(800) 547-0495

Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program (HICAP)
(707) 526-4108 / (800) 434-0222

National Center on Elder Abuse
(855) 500-3537

Elder Financial Protection Network
www.elderfinancialprotection.org

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