

SOCIAL WORK OPEN HOUSES

THIS IS A FREE EVENT

Social workers in elder care face unique challenges that require mental, physical and emotional resources. In this continuing education series designed specifically for social workers in elder care, we will first explore the realities of working with families and develop strategies for compassionately meeting the family's needs while maintaining our ethical boundaries. Next, we will explore empathy as a professional tool that enables us to relate to our client's emotional experiences without taxing our own internal resources. Then we'll round out this series with an intimate discussion and exploration of self-care as a professional development strategy that enhances our well-being as well as our capacity to provide compassionate care to our clients and their families. Each workshop features evidence-based information and strategies.

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DATES AND TOPICS

April 24: Engaging Challenging Families in Elder Care
May 22: Walk In Their Shoes: A Professional Model of Empathy
June 19: Self-Care

TIME & LOCATION

5:30 - 6:00 – Light fare and refreshments served
6:00 - 8:00 – Presentation
2 CE contact hours offered
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