

Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone and email: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you need respite care (free of charge) for your loved one? \_\_\_\_\_

Fees:

\$10 per person for family members  
And care partners.  
\$25 for professionals seeking CEUs

**Registration forms must be mailed before 10/31/11.** To register after 10/31/11, please call 781-231-7800. To register for the conference, please detach this form and fill out completely. Make check payable to: North Shore Elder Services, and mail to: Spano & Dawicki, P.O. Box 1345, Saugus, MA 01906-0645.

# Speakers

Scott McGinnis M.D.  
Division of Cognitive and Behavioral Neurology,  
Brigham and Women's Hospital  
Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School

Phyllis DeLarichelieri  
Community Relations Specialist  
Benchmark Senior Living  
Pursuing her Master's of Psychology

Beth Desrochers, RN, BSN  
Spectrum Adult Day Health Program

Daniel C. Potts, M.D.  
Alabama Neurology and Sleep Medicine, P.C.  
Associate Clinical Professor  
College of Community Health Sciences  
The University of Alabama School of Medicine

Attorney Stephen J. Spano, JD, MBA  
Board Certified Elder Law Attorney  
Law Offices of Spano and Dawicki  
President of the National Elder Law Foundation  
Past President, Massachusetts Chapter  
National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys

Free on-site respite care for guests  
with Alzheimer's Disease is available.

**Admission is \$10 per person**

**Pre-registration recommended**

**Cash or check only please.**

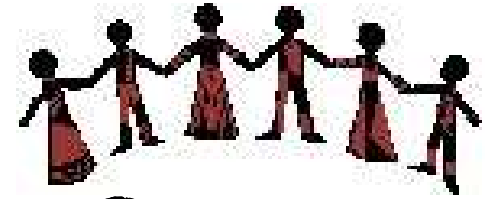
**Walk-ins welcome, first come - first serve**

**Pre-register by calling 781-231-7800**

3 Social Work and Nursing CEU credits are available  
for attendees for an additional \$15.00  
Certificates of Attendance provided at no charge.

The North Shore Alzheimer's  
Partnership  
is proud to present:

## 13th Annual Conference for Family and Professional Caregivers



# Caregiver

# Connections



Saturday, November 5th

8:30 am—1:30pm

Holiday Inn

Route 1 North

Peabody, MA

## Program Schedule

8:30-9:15 Registration and Resource Fair

9:15-9:30 Welcome: *Debra Katt-Lloyd, Alzheimer's Association MA/NH Chapter*

9:30-10:30 Keynote Address: *Dr. Scott McGinnis*

10:30-11:00 Break and time to visit Resource Tables

11:00-12:00 Workshops (choose one):

**Workshop A *Embracing the Journey: Phyllis Delaricheliere***

This workshop will discuss understanding the disease, getting to know your loved one's "inner hippie", and how to enjoy the days as you travel through the journey of Alzheimer's together.

**Workshop B *Managing Challenging Behaviors: Beth Desrochers***

This workshop will discuss triggers in the environment and other possible reasons a person with Alzheimer's disease may act inappropriately and will offer practical suggestions for caregivers to help reduce or eliminate many challenging behaviors.

**Workshop C *Expressive Arts Therapy, Bringing Art to Life: Dr. D. Potts***

This workshop will tell the personal story of his father, Lester Potts and his transformation from a rural Alabama lumberman to a watercolor artist, having never painted before his diagnosis with Alzheimer's disease. It touches on the importance of art therapy, coping with a loved one's diagnosis as a professional, and highlights the gift that expressive arts can be to individuals and their families coping with Alzheimer's.

12:00-12:30 Break and time to visit Resource Tables

12:30-1:30 Keynote Wrap up: *Stephen Spano* and Raffle Drawing

### **The North Shore Alzheimer's Partnership: Advocating with One Voice**

Established in December, 1996, the North Shore Alzheimer's Partnership is a collaboration of public, private, professional and family caregivers. Our goal is to enhance the availability of community resources for dementia victims and their families.

Through a partnership model, we are able to share resources, provide regional education and training and advocate with one voice.

Meetings are held at different member locations each month and anyone interested may attend or become a member.

The partnership's geographical area is Northeastern Massachusetts and we are affiliated with the Alzheimer's Association Massachusetts/ New Hampshire Chapter.

New members are always welcome.

**Please visit our website at:  
[www.alzheimerspartnership.org](http://www.alzheimerspartnership.org)  
781-231-7890**

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