

# Brookdale Center for Healthy Aging & Longevity of Hunter College

## ELDERS AGING IN PLACE: WHO'S PAYING THE BILLS? *The Value of Daily Money Management and a Blueprint for Policy*

Friday, November 13, 2009, 8:30AM – 12:15PM  
Hunter College School of Social Work, Harold Lewis Auditorium

### PROGRAM

- 9:00-9:10     **Introduction and Welcome**
- **Marianne C. Fahs**, Professor and Rose Dobrof Co-Director, Brookdale Center for Healthy Aging & Longevity of Hunter College
  - **Jacqueline Mondros**, Dean, Hunter College School of Social Work
- 9:10-9:15     **Opening Remarks**
- **Stephanie Raneri**, Executive Director, Isaac H. Tuttle Fund
- 9:15-9:30     **Facilitator Remarks – Robert Blancato**, President, Matz, Blancato & Associates, Inc.  
*Introduction by Loraine B. Tsavaris*, Managing Director, Rockefeller & Co., Inc.
- 9:30-9:45     **Needs Assessment – J. David Nelson**, Member, AARP Board of Directors, AARP Foundation
- 9:45-10:00   **Policy Analysis – Marianne C. Fahs**
- 10:00 -10:20 **Practice Examples**
- CSCS Bill Payer Program - **Amanda Leis**, Money Management Project Coordinator, Council of Senior Centers and Services; &
  - Adult Protective Services Financial Management Unit, **Lin Saberski**, Deputy Commissioner, Adult Protective Services, NYC Human Resources Administration
- 10:20-10:40   **Q&A (Needs Assessment, Policy Analysis & Practice Examples)**
- 10:40-11:40   **Policy Work Session**
- Introduction: **Michael Burgess**, Executive Director, New York State Office for the Aging
  - Moderator: **Robert Blancato**
  - Presenters:
    - **Caryn Resnick**, Deputy Commissioner, NYC Department for the Aging
    - **Bobbie Sackman**, Director of Public Policy, Council of Senior Centers and Services
    - **Greg Olsen**, Deputy Director, Executive Division, NY State Office for the Aging
    - **James P. Firman**, President and CEO, National Council on Aging
    - **Ruth Finkelstein**, Vice President of Health Policy, New York Academy of Medicine
- 11:40-12:05   **Q&A (Policy Work Session)**
- 12:05-12:15   **Call to Action – Igal Jellinek**, Executive Director, Council of Senior Centers and Services
- 12:15         **Closing Remarks – Robert Blancato**

\*\* Times approximate\*\*

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