For Iowa Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities and Residential Care Facilities

Offered in TWO Locations

February 27 – 28, 2017
Radisson Hotel
1220 1st St.
Coralville, IA

March 1 – 2, 2017
Wild Rose Casino & Resort
777 Wild Rose Dr.
Jefferson, IA

SCHEDULE

**SPECIAL CONFERENCE FORMAT:**
- The conference is formatted so you can decide which session(s) you would like to attend.
- Full registration required. There is no daily/partial registration fee available for the conference.
- You will receive CEUs for each session you attend. (A total of 8.0 CEUs are available).

**DAY ONE**

12:00 p.m.  
Registration Open

1:00 p.m.  
Speaker: Mark Blackburn, PE, Fire Protection Engineer and Consultant, Jensen Hughes

3:45 p.m.  
**Inspection Requirements for Fire Doors**  
Speaker: Mark Blackburn, PE, Fire Protection Engineer and Consultant, Jensen Hughes

4:30 p.m.  
**Answers to the Questions!**  
Speaker: Mark Blackburn, PE, Fire Protection Engineer and Consultant, Jensen Hughes

5:00 p.m.  
Evening Open

**DAY TWO**

8:30 a.m.  
Continental Breakfast (Provided)

9:00 a.m.  
**Fire Marshal’s Nursing Facility & RCF Life Safety/Fire Safety Update**  
Speaker: Dan Wood, State Fire Marshals’ Office

10:30 a.m.  
Break

10:45 a.m.  
**Emergency Preparedness – New Rules Review**  
Speakers: Mary Jane Carothers, Bill Nutty

12:15 p.m.  
Lunch (Provided)

1:00 p.m.  
**Fire Marshal’s Assisted Living Facility Life Safety/Fire Safety Update**  
Speaker: Doran Pruisner, State Fire Marshals’ Office

2:30 p.m.  
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Program Description


Inspection Requirements for Fire Doors
This presentation will provide an overview on new testing, inspection and maintenance for fire doors based on NFPA 101, NFPA 80 and NFPA 105. The presentation will also focus on new required documentation that must be on file associated with the inspection of fire doors.

Answers to the Questions!
The intent of this session is to have attendees submit specific technical questions in advance and each question will be discussed and responded to during this presentation. By submitting questions in advance, the specific applicable code requirements can be reviewed and complete accurate answers can be provided. Please e-mail your questions to Dave Tomlin by February 8, 2017 dave@iowahealthcare.org

Fire Marshal’s Nursing Facility and RCF Life Safety/Fire Safety Update and Review
Fire Prevention Inspector Dan Wood will discuss how to apply the 2012 Life Safety Code to the health care environment. Discussion will focus on the differences from the 2000 Code and their implications. The session will address the top 10 Life Safety Code violations, overall Code provisions including placement of equipment and furnishings in corridors, expanded provisions for automatic sprinkler systems, evacuation policies, plans of correction, and how to access and utilize online policies and waiver forms.

Emergency Preparedness – New Rules Review
CMS has released the Final Emergency Preparedness Rule mandating providers to implement comprehensive disaster planning assessments and full scale community exercises. This session will provide an overview of the rule requirements to help providers start preparing for the November 2017 implementation date.

Fire Marshal’s Assisted Living Facility Life Safety/Fire Safety Update and Review
This presentation will cover the most outstanding issues found during inspections of Assisted Living Programs. It will include how to recognize and maintain many of the buildings safety features. We will discuss some of the required policies that need to be maintained for evacuation, how to perform a fire watch, and who to contact in case of an emergency. The presenter will point out any time the State Fire Marshal has a policy that has been adopted that would take precedence over the code. Time will be allowed to answer any questions after the presentation.
Speaker Bio’s

**Mark Blackburn** is a registered Fire Protection Engineer with over 12 years of experience. He is the Vice-Chairman of the Rhode Island Fire Safety Code Board of Appeal and Review and chairman of the Rules and Regulations Subcommittee. Mark currently serves as a Fire Safety Director for Jensen Hughes, a global consulting engineering firm specializing in fire protection and life safety. Mark has significant experience with health care facilities, nursing homes, and assisted living facilities, where he provides code consulting and fire protection system design services for both new and existing facilities.

**Mary Jane Carothers**, RN, BA, LNHA is the Vice President, Quality & Clinical Services for Iowa Health Care Association. Her previous work experience includes work as a home care clinical manager, long term care administrator and an assisted living manager. MJ works closely with the IHCA and ICAL Quality Improvement and Medicare Committees and is knowledgeable regarding issues related to quality improvement, regulatory compliance and clinical practice in post-acute care settings.

**Bill Nutty**, Vice President of Governmental and Regulatory Affairs at Iowa Health Care Association is a licensed attorney in the state of Iowa. Bill represents IHCA on Capitol Hill and monitors proposed rules and advances the Association’s position on proposed legislation by attending hearings and submitting comments. Bill is a member of the Iowa Bar Association and the American Health Lawyers Association.

**Doran Pruisner** is a Facility Engineer with the Iowa Department of Public Safety in the State Fire Marshal Division. His past experience includes a position in Architectural Drafting with an Architecture and Engineering company and a Project Manager with the State of Iowa, General Services. Doran received an Associate Architectural Degree from Hawkeye Community College.

**Dan Wood** has a BA Degree from Hastings College in Hastings Nebraska. After college Dan was on the Iowa State Patrol from 1997 to 2005. Since 2005 Dan has been in the State Fire Marshal’s Office Fire Prevention Bureau. Since 2008 Dan has been in charge of the CMS program for the Fire Marshal’s Office. Dan also has 15 years fire and EMS experience with the Waukee Fire Department. There Dan is currently and Lieutenant and EMT. Dan is also a Captain on the Iowa Speedway Fire and Safety Team and teaches fire safety for NASCAR.

Continuing Education Credit information

A total of 8.0 hours of continuing education credit is available if you attend all sessions offered

**Administrators**: This continuing education program meets the Iowa Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators criteria for continuing education credit for nursing home Administrators and Owners.

**Department Heads**: This program is approved by the Iowa DIA, Health Facilities Division, for continuing education credit for department heads.

**Environmental Services**: This program is approved by the Iowa DIA, Health Facilities Division, for continuing education credit for environmental service mangers.

**Assisted Living Management Certificate**: This program is approved for continuing education credit for maintenance of the ICAL Assisted Living Management Certification.
Registration Information

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Fee includes: CEUs for the sessions you attend, access to the conference handouts, refreshment breaks, continental breakfast and lunch on day two.

HOW TO REGISTER FOR THE CONFERENCE

1. Go to www.iowahealthcare.org and click on the Life Safety/Fire Safety Conference under the EDUCATION section of our website. (Make sure you select the appropriate conference location).
2. Select Register online. If you have not previously created a personal profile, you will need to do so before you register (One profile per person).
3. Complete the online registration and click Submit. A registration confirmation will be e-mailed to you.
4. To register another person, click on LOGOUT and repeat this process.

Cancellations/Refunds: Refunds will only be granted to those who cancel their registration three business days prior to the date of the program listed. Cancellations after this date, no-shows due to weather, acts of God or illness, will be charged the full registration fee. IHCA ICAL reserves the right to cancel any education program; in the event of such a cancellation, all fees will be refunded.

Hotel Sleeping Room Information

Sleeping rooms are available at a special rate for attendees of the conference. Mention the Iowa Health Care Association conference to get the special room rate.

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<td>IHCA room rate: $89.00 single/double, plus tax</td>
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PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR QUESTIONS BY February 8 for the Answer to the Questions session

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