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SUMMER LEARNING SERIES

Are you currently caring for a loved one with a mental or physical disability? Planning for their future care is critical. Please join us for a one-hour informational session and get the answers you need to know!

First Tuesdays of Summer 2010

7:00-8:00 p.m.

Wesley Glen Retirement Community

5155 North High Street, Columbus, OH (1 block north of Graceland Shopping Center)

Tuesday, May 04

Medicaid Buy-In for Workers with Disabilities Program (MBIWD)

Janet K. Miller, BA, Associate Director, Cerebral Palsy Association of Ohio

- MBIWD is an Ohio Medicaid program that provides health care coverage to working Ohioans with disabilities. This program was created to enable Ohioans with disabilities to work and still keep their health care coverage. Ms. Miller will discuss this program including eligibility, basic requirements, financial criteria, and how to apply. Other topics for discussion will include the differences between Medicaid and Medicare and resources to explore when questions arise.

Tuesday, June 01

Navigating the System: Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)

Julie Koehler, JD, CWIC, Program Director, Center of Vocational Alternatives (COVA)

- Ms. Koehler is certified through the Social Security Administration to provide benefits consultation. SSI and SSDI can often be confusing and overwhelming. Learn about SSI and SSDI benefits and how to navigate the system when you have questions and concerns.

Tuesday, July 06

Work Opportunities for Individuals with Development Disabilities: LIFE Works Program

Stacy Collins, MSW, BS, Manager, LIFE Works Program, Goodwill Columbus

- Ms. Collins will discuss the LIFE Works program that trains individuals with developmental disabilities and places them in paid internships with the goal of obtaining competitive employment within businesses in Franklin County. Topics include eligibility, vocational classroom training and on-the-job paid internships.

Cost is \$10 per session.

Seating is limited and pre-registration required.

Please RSVP by calling PLAN of Central Ohio at

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