

Project ECHO® - on “Issues Impacting the Quality of Life for Older Adults”

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The ECHO model uses a virtual case-based approach to learning via Zoom, amplifying the capacity of providers to deliver best practice care to their patients. Participants can share their patient cases for review and feedback from other participating sites and a multidisciplinary team of experts.

Each ECHO Session Features: “All Teach All Learn!”

- 15–20-minute didactic session by a guest subject matter expert
- 5–10-minute case presentation by a participating site
- 20–30-minute case discussion among all participants and subject matter experts

| Date/Time | Short Lecture Topic | Featured Subject Matter Expert |
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| 10/20/22 Noon - 1:00 pm | Oral health and older adults | Joseph M. Calabrese, D.M.D., F.A.C.D., F.I.C.D. Associate Dean of Students and Clinical Professor Director, Geriatric Dental Medicine, Department of General Dentistry; Boston University Henry M. Goldman School of Dental Medicine |
| 11/3/22 Noon - 1:00 pm | Incontinence concerns and older adults | Kendra Bisconti, PT, DPT Spaulding Pelvic Rehabilitation at Care New England |
| 11/17/22 Noon - 1:00 pm | Hearing issues and older adults | Sara K. Mamo, AuD, PhD, CCC-A Department of Communication Disorders School of Public Health and Health Sciences University of Massachusetts Amherst |
| 12/1/22 Noon - 1:00 pm | Vision concerns among older adults | Amy Falk, OD, MBA Optometrist and Founder; “The Eye Doctor” East Greenwich, RI |

Q: Do we have to participate in all the sessions?

A: We recommend that you identify a team from your site to participate in the series. While we encourage the team to participate in all sessions, we understand that not everyone will be able to do so.

Q: Is the information going to be relevant to my team?

A: We are inviting a variety of sites that care for older adults. While they may not all look like your site, the ECHO model’s “all teach all learn” principle ensures you will have the opportunity to get information and feedback related to your specific needs. Unlike traditional webinars with a short Q&A at the end, these sessions are designed to create an interactive learning community.

Q: I have heard that there is an opportunity to share and participate in case study discussions during these sessions. How do you pick who gets to present?

A: Case study discussions are an integral part of the success of the ECHO model and provide an opportunity for us to learn from each other. The more people who are willing to share and participate, the more valuable the sessions are for all. Cases do not necessarily need to align specifically with the current meeting topic as other difficult cases are welcome to be shared. Our team helps facilitate case discussions and a link to our case discussion form will be included in your registration confirmation.

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