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SAVE THE DATE!

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY NEVADA
WORLD ALZHEIMER'S DAY
KICK OFF EVENT

Wednesday, September 21, 2016
9:00AM – 11:00AM

The Nevada Aging and Disability Services Division (ADSD) in collaboration with Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health (CCLRCBH), AARP, and The Alzheimer's Association invite you to join us at our Kick-Off Event that will help promote Dementia Friendly practices in the State of Nevada.

Southern Nevada
Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health
888 W. Bonneville Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89106
Please **RSVP** before September 16th to: santai@ccf.org / 702-685-7072

For more information please contact Isaac Santa Ana at santai@ccf.org



Help us shape Nevada into a “dementia friendly” community.

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SHAPING A MOVEMENT

- Dementia Friendly Nevada is an evidence-based, multi-sector program designed to advance “dementia friendly” communities in the State of Nevada.

Dementia Friendly Sectors:

- **Businesses**- Restaurants, Grocery Stores, and Retail
 - **Legal & Financial**- Advanced Planning and Banks
 - **Healthcare**- Support Groups, Hospitals, and Clinics
 - **Care Partners**- Family and Friends
 - **Faith Communities**
 - **Community Services**- Social Services, Senior Centers, and Home Health Services
 - **Town, City, State Government**- Transportation, Emergency Planning, First Responders, Parks and Recreation, and Libraries
 - **Rural Communities**
- For more information or if you are interested in participating in Dementia Friendly Nevada, please contact Isaac Santa Ana at 702-685-7072 or santai@ccf.org.

MISSION OF DEMENTIA FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES

- Broaden awareness and recognition of the signs of dementia and how to communicate with people with dementia.
- Encourage people with dementia to go about their daily activities, have a voice and make decisions, and contribute to community life for as long as possible with understanding, respect, and support from their care partners and other community members.
- Support people with dementia to live safely and be as independent as possible in settings that promote physical, mental, intellectual, emotional, social and spiritual wellness.
- Guide people with dementia-like symptoms to receive an accurate and timely assessment and diagnosis followed by optimal treatment, support, and care.
- Provide people with dementia and their families, friends, and care-partners easy access to supportive options, information and resources, such as education on disease process, self-care, and providing care.
- Ensure resources and support are available and accessible to all people regardless of where they live, their cultural background, or their economic status.