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NHF Invites Health Care Leaders to Tribute Dinner for Gene Grigsby

National Health Foundation (NHF), in association with HASC, will honor J. Eugene Grigsby, III, who is retiring from his role as President and CEO of NHF, on Tuesday, March 31, 2015, 6 p.m. in a *Celebration of Leadership, Vision, and Commitment*.

This premier Tribute Dinner Event, which will be held at the Cathedral of Saint Vibiana in Los Angeles, will gather the leaders and executives of the health care industry to honor a colleague whose career has exemplified dedication to expanding knowledge to improve policy and programs in social services and health care operations.

Sponsorship opportunities are available for this event. NHF thanks the following sponsoring organizations:

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Advanced LEAD Academy Begins March 19

If you have basic leadership skills and want to more fully explore your leadership potential by taking your skills to the next level, register now for Advanced LEAD Academy. This advanced training session picks up where LEAD Academy left off.

Register now for Session I, March 19, 2015, which will focus on Advanced Leadership Strategies: EQ-I and Negotiation as a Leadership Skill at <https://www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?EID=20134831E>.

All sessions take place at PIH – Whittier. Upcoming dates and topics are as follows:

Session II – April 16, 2015

- Managing and Leading Effective Projects
- Planning Successful Change

Session III – June 18, 2015

- Coaching for Development
- Organizational Politics and Building Trust

The following audiocast about Advanced LEAD Academy describes how this program can help you: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/recording/3552524630910661890>.

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Register Now for Change Management/Cultural Integration Program, Beginning March 27

Learn how to plan, implement and sustain organizational change, including change resulting from process improvement, new technology, renovation, expansion, or cultural integration, through a new program from HASC.

Focusing on the people side of change, this program integrates an understanding of how people respond to change with a 6-Step Change Model and practical tools embedded at each step. These tools are designed to help people through the transition process and clarify tasks essential to implement successful organizational change.

Registration is currently available online for this new program, which begins March 27. Visit <https://>

www.signup4.net/public/ap.aspx?EID=CHAN58E to sign up.

The six-session course is comprised of three classroom meetings (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) and three 90-minute webcasts.

The first session will focus on The People Side of Change, the Change Model & Process.

For a full program description, go to <http://www.hasc.org/sites/main/files/file-attachments/chngmgmtbrochrev9.pdf>.

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5th Annual Health Care Provider Wellness Conference June 11-12 in Long Beach

Workplace wellness is not just a buzz word. It's a true opportunity to positively impact and improve the health of our communities. If you have a wellness program in place, or if you are developing a program and need insight on what factors to consider, mark your calendar for the 5th Annual Health Care Provider Wellness Conference.

This event focuses on designing and implementing solid wellness programs that result in healthy and engaged employees and a stronger bottom line. Join executives and wellness champions at a relaxing, one-of-a-kind location to explore the next generation of worksite wellness programs that help keep employees—and your organization—in good health.

The conference will take place June 11-12 at Renaissance Long Beach Hotel. Early bird registration rates apply now through April 24.

This year's keynote speaker will be Larry S. Chapman, MPH, President and CEO of the Chapman Institute. Over the last 45 years, he has developed more than 1,000 employee worksite wellness and health cost management projects in both private and public employer settings.

Among the engaging sessions planned for this conference:

- Fat Chance: The Hidden Truth about Sugar
- Legal Update
- Generational Wellness: Engaging the Most Diverse Workforce in History
- Reducing Stress: Tools and Techniques
- Building Culture of Health – County by County
- The Integration of Workplace Wellness and Employee Assistance Programs
- Panel Discussion: Wellness Incentive Approaches

This year, a two-day wellness certification program is being offered prior to the conference (June 9-10, also at the Renaissance Long Beach Hotel). The program is developed by Well-Cert and will provide certification as a Certified Wellness Program Coordinator Level 1. Chapman will be the Wellness Certification Program Facilitator.

Registration for the conference as well as for the certification program, available individually or in a bundled package, is now available online at <https://www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?EID=2015771E>.

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Not Too Late to Sign Up for HDMT March 3-4 in Los Angeles

Register now for *Hospital Disaster Management Training*, an in-depth two-day session that is a product of the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services Emergency Medical Services Agency's Disaster Resource Center Program. HASC provides administrative program support.

Participants will learn how to move beyond awareness and focus on operational strategies. At the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- Identify triage priorities in disaster patients

- Perform a role in the hospital command center and emergency department during disaster drill
- Describe the health care facility's role in a disaster

The online brochure and registration form is available at http://www.hasc.org/sites/main/files/file-attachments/hdmt_brochure_2015.pdf. Register online at <https://www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?EID=HDMT17E>.

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April 6 Session to Address Leadership Skills for RN

Learn how to apply emotionally intelligent traits to key nursing leadership skills, build communication, coaching and mentoring skills by attending *Leadership Skills for the Registered Nurse* on Monday, April 6, at Good Samaritan Hospital.

Registration for this full-day program is \$100 for HASC members.

Participants will be able to:

- Define emotional intelligence and explain why it is so important for professional success.
- Assess emotional intelligence using a simple screening tool.
- Analyze the impact of emotions when making decisions.
- Express thoughts and feelings appropriately in stressful

or ambiguous situations.

- Relate personal experience to the organization's nursing vision.
- Identify team behaviors known to produce better performance and improved outcomes.

Visit <https://www.signup4.net/public/ap.aspx?EID=20151862E&TID=316FVacrLpw8Rv2VnxkHkQ%3d%3d> to register. Go to http://www.hasc.org/sites/main/files/file-attachments/4_06_leadership_skills_for_the_registered_nurse.pdf for complete program information.

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HASC Annual Meeting Will Focus on Theme of Resilience

Don't miss out on HASC's Annual Meeting, April 22-24, 2015, at the Park Hyatt Aviara Resort in Carlsbad. This year's theme is *Resilience: Why Things Bounce Back*.

The most recently added breakout session will focus on *The Role of Leadership in Health Care Cyber Security*. Other sessions will focus on these topics:

- *Purchasing Medical Innovation: The Right Technology, for the Right Patient at the Right Price*
- *The Changing Commercial Market*
- *Two Southern California Partnerships and How They Address the New Environment*
- *Destination Population Health: Achieving Cultural Engagement*
- *The Voice of the Purchaser*

Read more at

www.hasc.org/2015HASCAnnualMeeting

. To register, go to <https://>

www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?EID=HASC37E.

HASC thanks the following sponsors for their support of this year's event:

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Corrections to 2015 Committee Leaders

HASC would like to issue the following corrections to the 2015 chairs of these committees, originally reported in the February 4, 2015 edition of *Briefs*.

Santa Barbara County Hospitals CEOs

Chair: Jim Raggio, CEO, Lompoc Valley Medical Center

Inland Regional Hospital CEOs

Chair: Jim Holmes, CEO, Redlands Community Hospital

Inland Area Emergency Services Committee

Chair: Mark Uffer, CEO, Corona Regional Medical Center

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