



ACHCA

American College of
Health Care Administrators

Connecticut Chapter

Chapter Communicator

January 17, 2020

1. Welcome to our **newest Connecticut Chapter Member:**

Karen Hatcher

If you know Karen and see her at a College or other event, please make sure to go up to her and say, **“Welcome to the College!” (with enthusiasm!!!)**.

We wish to note our National Business Affiliate Member who is a Connecticut Chapter Member and who supports the College:

Celtic Consulting LLC

Thank you all!

2. We are pleased to announce our **"Annual Update from the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health, Facility Licensing & Investigation Section"** to be held on **Friday, February 14th at Zandri's Stillwood Inn in Wallingford, CT**. Yes!, it's Valentine's Day!!! The Program will begin at **8:30 AM** (Registration opens at 8:00 AM) and will conclude at **11:30 AM**. Representatives from the State CT DPH will be there to give you the absolute latest information on what's happening with nursing facilities in the State. CT DPH promises a very full morning, and we wish to remind you that this event is ALWAYS sold out or near capacity, so register early.

3.0 CEUs will be awarded to Nursing Home Administrators for their attendance at the entire event.

AITs/Students in an accredited college/university LTC management program attend FREE (but you must register to attend!)

CT ACHCA Members are \$ 50.00/person and Guests registering WITH a CT ACHCA Member (same facility) are \$ 35.00/person.

Not-yet-CT ACHCA Members are \$ 100.00/person and additional people registering with that person (same facility) are \$ 75.00/person.

Registration IS a commitment to pay. Survey Guarantee IS in effect; substitutions ARE allowed.

Outstanding balances due CT ACHCA MUST be satisfied before registering for this event.

Program Announcement and Registration Information is now posted to the CT ACHCA Calendar page of our website.

You KNOW you need to be at this!!!

For additional information, please contact Rick Brown at **860-290-9424**; rbrown@cahcf.org.

3. We are pleased to announce the Connecticut Chapter's **Annual Meeting & Elections; 2020 CNA Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony; Luncheon; Educational Presentation; and Collegiality Hour** for Wednesday, April 22nd. SAVE-THE-DATE!

AITs/Students attend FREE (but you must register); ALL others are \$ 75.00/person.

Our Chapter Annual meeting will include the election of all Officers and two (2) Directors; Bill McGinley, CNHA, CALA, CAS, FACHCA, President/CEO of the American College of Health Care Administrators has been invited to join us again this year; recognition of newly advancing to Fellow; and Chapter longevity awards. You must be present to receive your Chapter longevity awards. And we shall be recognizing Members with 10 or more years of Membership this year!

Coming soon..., 2020 CNA Hall of Fame Nomination Announcement, 2020 Officer/Director Nomination Announcement and Annual Meeting Program Announcement and Registration Form.

4. Convocation! It's not too early to start planning for next year's Convocation, May 3rd – 6th, 2020 in New Orleans, Louisiana at the Hilton Riverside.

Our own Theresa Rice Sanderson, CNHA, FACHCA will advance to Chair of our National organization at this event, and we hope that many of you will be there to support her as she begins her journey.

Information is available NOW from the ACHCA website at <https://www.achca.org/convocation>. Check it out!

The Board of Directors of the Connecticut Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators has voted to reimburse Connecticut Chapter Members (primary) who attend Convocation up to a maximum of \$ 1,200.00 for expenses to attend Convocation from May 3 – 6, 2020 in New Orleans, LA. You are going to Convocation this year, aren't you?

To qualify for reimbursement (READ CAREFULLY):

- 1) you must be a Connecticut Chapter Member in good-standing (primary) by no later than May 3, 2020
- 2) you must be registered for the FULL MEETING PACKAGE or ADDITIONAL REGISTRANT FULL MEETING PACKAGE (must also be a Connecticut Chapter Member in good-standing (primary))
- 3) you must actually attend the event
- 4) in addition to the cost for the FULL MEETING PACKAGE or ADDITIONAL REGISTRANT FULL MEETING PACKAGE (must also be a Connecticut Chapter Member in good-standing (primary)), reimbursable expenses include:
 - a) The cost for Additional Tickets to Events at Convocation
 - b) Travel expenses
 - c) Lodging expenses

SAVE YOUR RECEIPTS and submit to Richard C. Brown by email (rbrown@cahcf.org; scanned pdf attachment) no later than May 30, 2020. Reimbursement up to a maximum of \$ 1,200.00 will follow.

Questions? Contact Rick at 860-290-9424; rbrown@cahcf.org.

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Thank you all! Links to their website at www.ctachca.org/corporatesponsors.htm.

Please encourage others to join us as Connecticut Chapter Corporate Sponsors! Sponsorships are pro-rated for the rest of the FY ending 03/31/2020. Please have interested parties contact Rick at 860-290-9424; rbrown@cahcf.org. Thanks.

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