# **Clinical Skills Needed in Home Care** A Program for Home Care Paraprofessionals

#### **Satellite Conference and Live Webcast**

Wednesday, April 15, 2015, 1:30-4:00 p.m. (Central Time) 2:30-5:00 p.m. (Eastern) • 12:30-3:00 p.m. (Mountain) • 11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. (Pacific)

### **Program Objectives:**

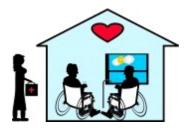
When the training is completed, the paraprofessional will be able to:
1. Recognize principles of good interaction with home care patients.
2. Understand infection control guidelines when providing personal care.
3. Identify three important points in caring for patients with catheters.
4. Understand the importance of following correct guidelines and procedures when providing care in the home.

## **Conference Details:**

Target Audience: Home health aides, home attendants, and family workers who administer and care for patients in the home setting Continuing Education: None for this program **Registration:** www.adph.org/alphtn **Technical Information:** To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphtn. Program will be available via live satellite (C band analog), webcast, and audio bridge. **Conference Materials:** Available for ADPH employees approximately one week before the program from the ADPH Home Care Secure Site. On Demand - Available for ADPH employees 2-3 business days after the broadcast from the ADPH Home Care Secure Site. Non-ADPH Paraprofessionals can view live broadcasts but will not have access to program materials. A complete packet of the program may be purchased for \$300. Packet includes: DVD, Handouts, Evaluation, Sign-in Sheet, and Certificate. Complete the Order Form at: www.adph.org/alphtn Conference Details Questions? Call: (800) 225-9770 | Email: hced@adph.state.al.us

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Caring for patients in their home can be a very rewarding experience. Patients that have become unable to manage all of their activities of daily living without some assistance depend on the care that home health aides and family members provide. Providing that care in a loving manner and following correct procedures enables the patient to not only continue to live in their home but to have confidence in the assistance they receive and gain encouragement through the interaction the home health aide provides. Home Health Aides have the opportunity to encourage and interact with those patients that may have little social interaction and greatly affect their wellbeing emotionally and physically. This program will provide beneficial insight on how to keep your home care patients as healthy and comfortable as possible.

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