

### Saturday, November 2, 2013 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

West Valley College, The Campus Center 14000 Fruitvale Avenue, Saratoga

### FREE COMMUNITY EVENT PRESENTED BY THE SARATOGA SENIOR CENTER AND EL CAMINO HOSPITAL

### **FEATURING**

- Health education and resources for the aging population
- Flu shots and free health screenings
- Ask the Doctor booths, including specialists in orthopedics, urology, cardiology, cancer, sleep medicine, rehabilitation, and more
- Demonstrations of innovative health technology:
   GreenLight™ Laser Therapy and da Vinci® Surgical System
- Live cooking demonstrations, tastings, and take-home recipes

### **HEALTH INFORMATION ON A VARIETY OF TOPICS INCLUDING**

- Senior living resources
- Exercise & wellness
- Financial planning
- Home health & hospice
- Community & social services
- Veterans information
- Transportation resources



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www.elcaminohospital.org



## SOURCE WISE

previously Council on Aging Silicon Valley



### YOUR Medicare &

# Medi-Cal is Changing. ARE YOU READY?

to register for this FREE event! how these changes affect you. Log on to www.SCCDUALS.com for more information and & Medi-Cal questions. Hear from state officials and healthcare plan representatives about Don't miss this opportunity to receive updated information and answers to your Medicare

- 3 Informational Topics to Choose From!
- Cal MediConnect:

A practical approach to making your decision and knowing what to look for in a health plan.

□ <u>Medl-Cal</u>

Learn about Medi-Cal eligibility, share-of-cost and more.

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A brief overview, 2014 annual updates, and changes due to the Affordable Care Act.

For more information please call Sourcewise at (408) 350-3200, option 2

Sourcewise is a Registered 501 (c)(3) Public Benefit Corporation.

To learn more and to register visit: www.SCCDUALS.com

Seating is limited.

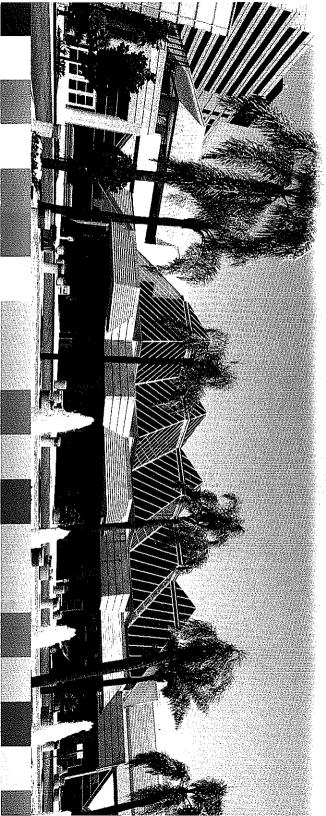
Friday, November 8, 2013

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Santa Clara Convention Center Exhibit Hall A 5001 Great America Parkway

Santa Clara, CA 95054

Language Translation Services Provided Vietnamese, Spanish, Mandarin, and American Sign Language





**Council on Aging Silicon Valley** (COA)

Information & Assistance Specialists provide information on programs, eligibility criteria, availability, and the procedures to obtain particular services for seniors and caregivers throughout Santa Clara County. I & A Specialists can also connect you directly to any of the available inhouse services:

Health Insurance Counseling Meals on Wheels Senior Employment Care Management Public Authority Services.

You may also browse the online resource directory which includes the following topics:

Bereavement and Burial
Assistance/End of Life
Caregiver Support
Disability Services and Products
Financial Assistance
Health/Medical
Housing Options/Resources
In-Home Services
Support Groups
Transportation

Phone: (408) 350-3200 Call Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Email: coasv@coasiliconvalley.com

Website: www.coasiliconvallev.com/ord



outreach?'s Senior Outreach Program assists lower income seniors with obtaining services and benefits (Medicare, SSI, HEAP, IHSS, etc.) from public and private entities. Individualized assistance includes benefits' assessments, translations, and assistance obtaining and completing application forms.

Services are provided in client homes and locations where seniors naturally congregate-nutrition programs, senior centers and housing projects etc.

Phone: 408-436-2865, ext. 276

Website: <a href="http://www.outreach1.org/">http://www.outreach1.org/</a> Click on Senior Services.



211 Santa Clara County is the dialing code for free, non-emergency community, health and disaster information in Santa Clara County. Highly-trained Call Specialists can answer questions about a variety of nonprofit services and agencies. 211 is confidential, available in over 170 languages and available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Phone: 211

Website: http://www.211scc.org/



The Social Services Agency's

Department of Aging and Adult Services (DAAS) promotes a safe and independent lifestyle for seniors, dependent adults and the disabled through the delivery of protective services, quality nutrition and supportive in-home services. In addition, DAAS evaluates community needs, develops programs and services, and advises on matters of policy that concern the welfare of seniors and persons with disabilities.

Phone: 408-755-7600

Website: www.sccgov.org/daas

**Adult Protective Services** 

Phone: 408-975-4900 24-Hour Report Line: (800) 414-2002

**In-Home Supportive Services** 

(Medi-Cal eligibility required) Phone: 408-792-1600

Public Administrator/Guardian/Conservator

Phone: 408-755-7610

Senior Nutrition Program Phone: 408-755-7680



The Health Trust's (THT) Healthy Aging Initiative works to ensure that older adults spend more years in good health and engaged as vital members of our community. Two of our programs are:

**Senior Peer Advocate (SPA)** program trains and certifies older adult volunteers to provide one-on-one *information and assistance* to their peers or family caregivers needing resources for:

Transportation Housing

Health Care

Caregiving and Family support

Social/Education Activities

Legal services

SPA volunteers can be found at senior center locations in the County. These locations are posted on the THT website.

AGEnts for Change program enlists and trains volunteers for social action around issues that impact older adults' ability to live with dignity, choice and independence in the community.

Visit our website for information about either of these programs.

Phone: 408-513-8700

Website: http://www.healthtrust.org/

Click on the Healthy Aging

**Button** 

### **Caregiver Support**

Catholic Charities Day Break Respite & Caregiver Support Services 408-325-5186 www.daybreakcares.org

Alzheimer's Association 650-926-8111 http://www.alz.org/norcal/

Avenidas-Palo Alto 650-289-5400 www.avenidas.org

Family Caregiver Alliance 800-445-8106 www.caregiver.org

### Counseling

Almaden Valley Counseling Center (Geriatric Advisory Program) 408-997-0200 www.avcounseling.com

Santa Clara County Mental Health Services 800-704-0900 www.sccgov.org/sites/mhd/

### **Elder Abuse**

Adult Protective Services 408-755-7690 www.sccgov.org/aps

Long Term Care Ombudsman Program Crisis Line 800-231-4024 www.catholiccharities.org

### Financial & Legal

Senior Adults Legal Services (SALA) 408-295-5991 www.sala.org Legal Aid Society of Santa Clara County 408-998-5200 www.legalaidsociety.org

### Nutrition

Senior Nutrition Program
County of Santa Clara, Department of Aging
and Adult Services
408-755-7680
www.sccgov.org/snp

Santa Clara County Meals on Wheels (A partnership between the County of Santa Clara and Council on Aging Silicon Valley) 408-350-3246 www.sccgov.org/mow www.coasilconvalley.org

The Health Trust Meals on Wheels 408-916-9870 www.healthtrust.org

Second Harvest Food Bank-Brown Bag Program -800-984-3663 www.shfb/org/brownbag

### **Specific Populations**

Asian Americans for Community Involvement (ACCI) 408-975-2730 www.aaci.org

Billy DeFrank LGBT Community Center 408-293-3040 www.defrankcenter.org

Catholic Charities of Santa Clara County 408-468-0100 www.catholiccharitiesscc.org

India Community Center 408-934-1130 www.indiacc.org Indian Health Center of SCC 408-445-3400 www.indianhealthcenter.org

Jewish Family Services of Silicon Valley 408-556-0600 www.jfssv.org

Korean American Senior Citizens League 408-247-0605

Portuguese Organization for Social Services and Opportunities (POSSO) 408-293-0877 www.portuguesecenter.org

Self Help for the Elderly 408-961-7076 www.selfhelpelderly.org

Vietnamese Voluntary Foundation (VIVO) 408-532-7755 www.vietvoluntary.org

Veteran's Administration 800-455-0057 www.palo-alto.med.va.gov

Yu-Ai-Kai 408-294-2505 www.yuaikai.org

### **Transportation**

Heart of the Valley, Services for Seniors 408-241-1571 www.servicesforseniors.org/

Outreach (available 24/7) 408-436-2865 www.outreach1.org

VTA Customer Service 408-321-2300 www.vta.org

### A Good Place to Start

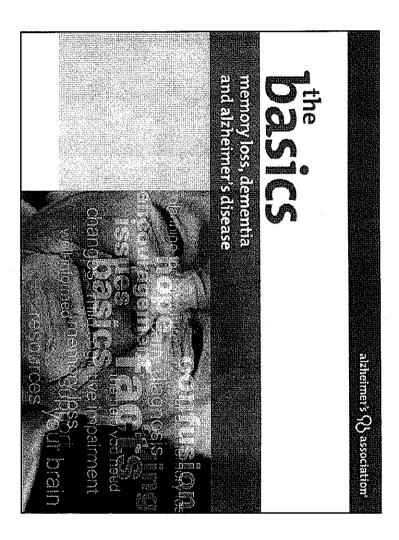


Connections to Resources for Older Adults in Santa Clara County

Compiled by volunteers with

AGEnts for Change

Summer 2013



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- Typical age-related changes involve:
- Making a bad decision once in a while
- Missing an occasional monthly payment
- Forgetting which day it is and remembering later
- Sometimes forgetting which word to use
- Losing things from time to time

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- Memory changes that disrupt daily life
- Challenges in planning or solving problems
- Difficulty completing familiar tasks
- Confusion with time or place
- 5. Trouble with visual images and spatial relationships
- 6. New problems with words in speaking or writing
- Misplacing things and losing the ability to retrace steps
- Decreased or poor judgment
- Withdrawal from work or social activities
- 10. Changes in mood and personality

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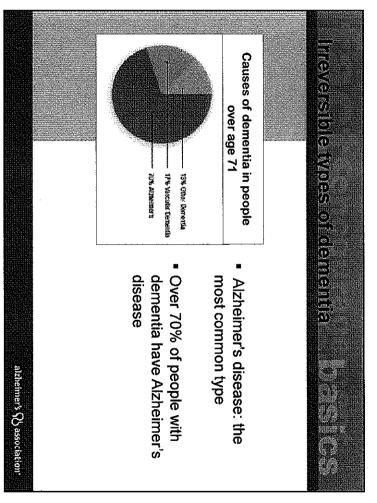
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### What is dementia?



- Loss of cognitive functioning serious enough to interfere with daily functioning
- Causes changes in:
- Memory
- Language
- Thought
- Navigation
- Behavior
- Personality/Mood
- Planning and Organizing

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## What is Aizhemers disease?

### Alzheimer's disease:

- is a brain disorder
- is a progressive disease
- is the most common form of dementia
- has no cure
- is eventually fatal
- has been diagnosed in over 5 million Americans

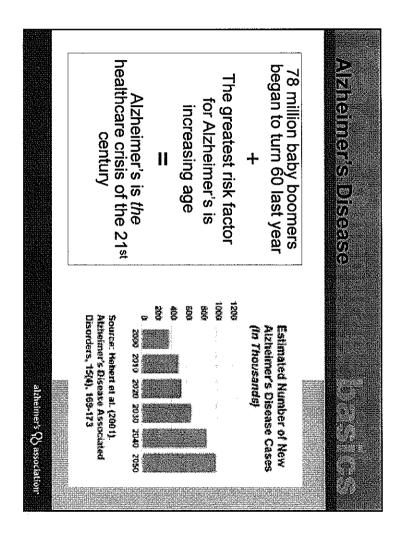
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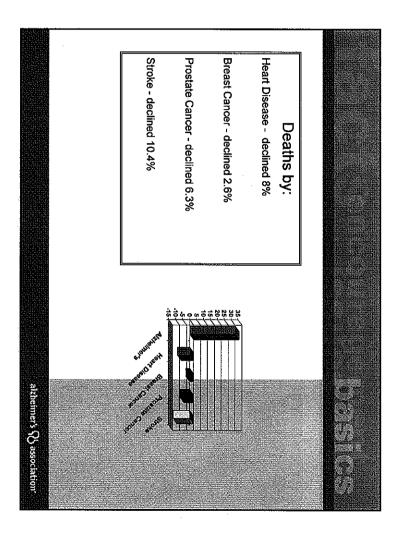
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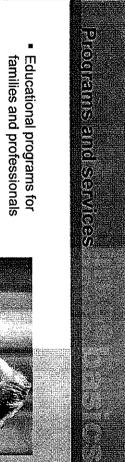
- Between now and 2030 -a doubling in the number of Californians living with AD.
- 1 in 8 baby boomers AD
- Latinos and APIs with AD will triple by 2030
- African Americans will double by 2030

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- 24-hour Helpline
- Information and Referral
- Care Consultations
- Support Groups
- Online Community
- Safety Services

