

REAL HOMES REAL SOLUTIONS

Establishing Homes for
Family Members With a Disability

Saturday, March 19, 2011

8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Courtyard Marriott Hotel, Marlboro, MA



ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

Frederick M. Misilo, Jr., Esq.

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Fred Misilo chairs Fletcher, Tilton & Whipple's Elder Law and Special Needs Practice Group, where his practice focuses in the areas of special needs planning, estate planning, elder law, trust administration and probate. Mr. Misilo serves as the Immediate Past President of the Arc of Massachusetts, Inc. and is Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Cooperative for Human Services, Inc. He is a member of the Massachusetts and the National Chapters of the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys and the Academy of Special Needs Planners. Mr. Misilo holds a law degree from Suffolk University Law School, a Master's Degree from Harvard University, and a bachelors degree from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

Theresa M. Varnet, Esq.



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Terrie Varnet has been an advocate for persons with disabilities for over 40 years. The parent of a disabled adult daughter, Ms. Varnet is a Past President of the Board of Directors of the Arc of Massachusetts, Inc. She contributes extensive work in the area of in-service training with families, special educators, social workers and other professionals. She is a frequent speaker for national volunteer and professional groups and presents numerous seminars on her special needs planning and advocacy all over the country. Ms. Varnet received her B.A. from the University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth, Masters in Social Work from the University of Connecticut and her J.D. from DePaul University.

PROGRAM AGENDA

8:30 Registration and Continental Breakfast

- Framework of housing options available
 - Solutions that have worked in the past
 - Examples of issues that may come up
- Financing options available (presented by XXXXX of Commerce Bank)
 - HUD programs
 - Home modification loans
- Panel discussion of families who have had success in setting up housing

11:30 Questions & answers

12:00 Adjourn

Have Questions?

For questions about the training or about registration, contact Melissa:

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Phone: 508-459-8207

- Options available
- What's worked, what hasn't
- Financing options
- Panel discussion with families
- Who have already set up housing

This Seminar Will Present Solutions Created By Individuals And Families In Establishing Homes For Their Family Member With A Disability

ABOUT THE PANEL MEMBERS

Our panel will be made up of families speaking about their experiences with setting up housing for their family member with a disability and professionals who serve the community.

John & Jean Mensis

Private funds

Sally LaPlante

Uses LIFE, housing in Central Mass.

The Quaily Family

Section 8 Housing

Robin & Jack Foley

Using services through Nonatuck

Diane Einock

Executive Director of LIFE

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From Boston/Logan Airport:

- Mass Pike west (I-90) to Route 495 north, exit Route 20 west/Northborough

From Worcester:

- Route 290 east to Route 495 south, exit Route 20 west/Northborough

From 495 North or South:

- Exit to Route 20 west/Northborough

Follow directions above, then take the first right onto Felton Street before the Shell gas station. The hotel will be on your right.

FOR FRIDAY NIGHT HOTEL RESERVATIONS

A block of rooms has been reserved at the:

Courtyard Marriott Hotel, Marlboro, MA
75 Felton Street (Rte. 20) at 508-480-0015

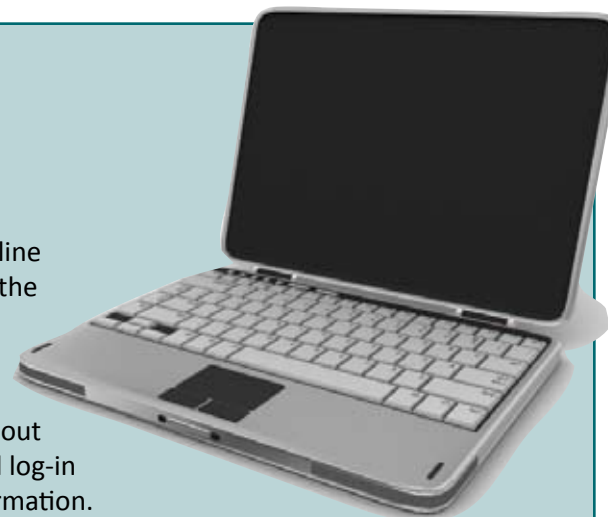
- Friday night room rate: \$85.00 (plus tax)
- Please reference "Fletcher, Tilton & Whipple" when reserving to receive this special rate

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Attend this seminar as a live webinar

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Hear either through your computer's speakers or over the phone. Just fill out and return the registration form or register on our website! Materials and log-in information will be sent to you. Or call Melissa at (508) 459-8207 for information.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Total Number of Attendees _____

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City State Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Registration / Fees (Please register no later than March 14. After 3/14, call for availability)

(Includes continental breakfast plus all sessions & materials for attendees - or - sessions & materials for webinar participants)

Please Check One

1 or 2 family members \$50.00
(Please add \$15 for each additional family member)

Attend as a WEBINAR participant \$50.00

Total Enclosed:

A limited number of scholarships are available to families and providers.

For consideration, contact:
Melissa at (508) 459-8207
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