



Monthly In Service Program

As you know, nursing paraprofessionals, such as CNAs and GNAs, continue to be the health care occupation most in demand as the U.S. population ages. Nursing assistants play a crucial role in a healthcare team.

Premier Homecare understands how important it is for our caregivers to stay ahead of the trend to meet the ever changing needs of our clients. "In the Know" has developed cutting edge, quality paraprofessional in-services that will assist and encourage your growth as a caregiver.

Premier Homecare will offer 12 mandatory in-services per year, which is one per month. **On the 3rd Monday of each month, from 8:00 am to 9:00 am, you are invited to come into the office for "Coffee and Convo" as we complete the in-service topic together.** You will have the opportunity to share your experiences on the monthly topic as well as learn from others. This is also an opportunity to earn a star in the Strive for Five program each month that you attend.

For those unable to attend, we will email the In-service topic and enclose an answer sheet in your paycheck. If you are not scheduled to receive a paycheck, we can email you the module and the answer sheet. If you do not have an email, it is still your responsibility to complete the documents. You can come into the office.

Please read the material, answer the 10 questions on the answer sheet and return the answer sheet. You may use a smart phone to take a clear photo and email it to me at jgreenleigh@jssa.org . Please make sure to include your name and the date. You must score an 80% or higher in order to pass the module. You may also fax in your answer sheet to 301-881-4384.

Month	Topic	Coffee & Convo	Date Due
January	Understanding Hospice	N/A	1/31/2017
February	Critical Thinking	N/A	2/28/2017
March	Understanding Parkinson's	3/20/2017	3/31/2017
April	Understanding Abuse	4/17/2017	4/30/2017
May	Client Centered Care	5/15/2017	5/31/2017
June	Communicating with Alzheimer's Clients	6/19/2017	6/30/2017
July	How to Really Love Your Job	7/17/2017	7/31/2017
August	Taking Care of Your Back	8/21/2017	8/31/2017
September	Recognizing and Reporting Abnormal Observations	9/18/2017	9/30/2017
October	Understanding Neglect	10/16/2017	10/31/2017
November	Working with Difficult & Combative People	11/20/2017	11/30/2017
December	Working in Kosher Homes	12/18/2017	12/30/2017