



Spring Conference on Aging – May 1, 2020
The Doubletree by Hilton Hotel - Tucson Reid Park
445 South Alvernon Way, Tucson, AZ

Dementia 2020- Agenda

7:00 AM

Registration, Breakfast, Exhibits

7:55 AM

Welcome and Announcements

8 AM

Keynote Address “The Alzheimer’s Disease Continuum”

Steven Rapcsak, MD

Professor of Neurology, University of Arizona and Banner Alzheimer Institute

9 AM

“Pharmacologic and Non Pharmacologic Management of the Behaviors of Dementia”

Marianne Klugheit, MD

Director of Geriatric Psychiatry, Southern Arizona VA Health Care System

10 AM

Break, Networking, Exhibits

10:15 AM

“Identifying and Diagnosing Dementia in a Primary Care Practice- the KAER Model”

Ed Perrin, MD and Miki Crane, MD

Geriatricians, Iora Health Primary Care

11:15 AM

Panel – “Helping Patients and Families”

Caregiver Resources - Debra Waring

Family Caregiver Program Support Coordinator, Pima Council on Aging

Clinical Trials - Helle Brand, PA

Dementia Specialist, Banner Alzheimer’s Institute Tucson

Advocacy - Morgen L. Hartford, MSW

Southern Arizona Regional Director, Alzheimer's Association, Desert Southwest Chapter

12:15PM

Lunch, Networking, Exhibits

1:15PM

“Evaluating Capacity”

Bree Johnston, MD

Medical Director, Hospice and Palliative Care, University of Arizona College of Medicine

2:15PM

“Driving Privileges: Evaluation, Intervention and the Arizona Law”

Kelly Wood, OT

Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Driving Rehabilitation Specialist

3:15PM

Break, Networking

3:30PM

“Improving Dementia Care Across Care Points – The Geriatric Emergency Department”

Nimit Agarwal, MD

Director, Geriatric Medicine, University of Arizona College of Medicine - Phoenix

4:30PM

Summary and Closing Remarks

Rosemary Browne, MD, President AZGS

Medical Director, SAVAHCS Home Based Primary Care Program