



## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Older Adult Falls Prevention Webcast Preventing Falls – One Step at a Time Wednesday, September 4, 2013 from 9:00am - 11:00am EST

<u>Purpose</u>: To provide health care professionals, coalitions/organizations, caregivers, and other individuals with quality information on falls prevention strategies.

Registration: Register at http://survey.doh.state.fl.us/survey/entry.jsp?id=1375899982840

## **Topics**

- Evidence-Based Fall Risk Management in the Clinical Setting
- Caregivers & Fall Prevention
- Falls Prevention and Home Safety
- Engaging the Media as Partners in Prevention
- Evidence-Based Interventions at the Community Level

Time*	Topic	Speaker(s)
9:00-9:10am	Introduction	Reikan Lin Florida Department of Health, Injury Prevention Program
9:10-9:30am	Opportunities, Resources, and Implementation of Evidence-Based Fall Risk Management in the Clinical Setting	Tiffany E. Shubert, PT, PhD UNC Center for Aging and Health UNC Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention
9:30-9:50am	Caregivers and Fall Prevention: What are the Critical Factors to Examine?	Mark Brimer, PhD, PT Florida Fall Prevention and Rehabilitation
9:50-10:10am	Fall Prevention and Home Safety	Carolyn Sithong, MS, OTR/L, SCEM, CAPS Home for Life Consulting and Design
10:10-10:30am	Amped Up Advocacy: Engaging the Media as Partners in Prevention	Lonnie Parizek The Ounce of Prevention Fund of Florida
10:30-10:50am	Implementing Evidence-Based Interventions at the Community Level	Liliana Herrera Area Agency on Aging/ Your Aging Resource Center Palm Beach/Treasure Coast, Inc.
10:50-10:55am	Closing	Reikan Lin

<sup>\*</sup>Speakers will begin their segments immediately after the preceding segment, so the times listed represent the anticipated start times.

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