



Join ElderSource on Tuesday, June 11 for World Elder Abuse Awareness Day



In recognition of World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (June 15), ElderSource is hosting a **free** workshop, “*Empower Yourself: Learn How Not to be Scammed.*”

Tuesday, June 11
12:30 to 2:30 pm
River House
179 Marine St., St. Augustine, FL 32084

The workshop will help participants identify and protect themselves from scams, fraud, financial exploitation and elder abuse. The event is **FREE** and open to the public.

Guest speakers include:

- **Ken Amaro**, First Coast News Consumer Advocate
- **Alicia Somers**, Financial Wellness Manager, Regions Bank
- **Octavius Holiday Jr.**, Division Chief Human Rights Section, State Attorney’s Office

Abuse and neglect of elders comes in many forms. If a person suspects that an elder is being financially exploited, neglected or abused, call the Florida Abuse Hotline at 1-800-962-2873. Calls can be placed anonymously with the agency.

Register today. The first 100 people to RSVP receive a free boxed lunch!

[Click here for more information and to RSVP](#)

Or call 904-391-6664.

Another Round of Celebrity Server!



Whiskey Jax

Tuesday, June 25 at 5:30pm to 8:30pm
950 Marsh Landing Pwky
Jacksonville, FL 32250

Local “celebrities” take on new roles as servers at Whiskey Jax where all of their tips are donated back to ElderSource. The celebrity servers will compete against each other to see who can collect the most tips! All proceeds support ElderSource and our mission to serve seniors and caregivers in the community.

Celebrity Servers:

- **John Miller** - President, Swisher International
- **Liz Morgan** - Event Planner, Liz Morgan PR
- **Jack Leone** - Partner, Cornelius, Chou & Leone CPA
- **Bob Grant** - Chairman, GenNext Community for GuideWell & Florida Blue
- **Doug Baer** - CEO, Brooks Rehabilitation
- **Nikki Kimbleton** - Director of Public Affairs, City of Jacksonville,
- **Jackie Smith** - Director of Special Operations, for Congressman John Rutherford
- **Kathryn Latham** - Board of Directors, Beaches Council on Aging
- **Jeannette Bajalia** - President & CEO, Women's Worth & Petros Planning
- **Laura Williams** - Vice President Operations Manager, Wells Fargo Advisors

[Click here for more information and updates!](#)

Virtual Caregiver Support Group



ElderSource Institute has launched the Virtual Caregiver Support Group, giving caregivers a safe place to share information, ask questions, voice personal feelings and stories. The support group will make it possible for caregivers to connect face-to-face in real time with other caregivers using today’s technology. A skilled moderator will guide the participants through their

conversations. The groups will last six to eight weeks (once a week) with each session lasting 60 to 90 minutes.

ElderSource Institute is inviting any caregiver to sign up; however the group will be focused on those who feel they cannot leave their loved one to attend a support group but would benefit from participating in one. Caregivers need to have internet access and some form of technology to participate such as a smart phone, tablet, iPad, desk top computer or laptop computer. A video conferencing app will be used and the facilitator will instruct the caregiver

on how to use the app.

[Click here for detailed information](#)

The Virtual Caregiver Support Group is funded from the proceeds of the annual ElderSource fundraising event, A Night with the Stars.

For more information on how to participate
please email Louise Starmann at
louise.starmann@eldersourceinstitute.org or call
904-391-6610.

Mobile Resource Vehicle on Board

The ElderSource Mobile Resource vehicle arrived just in time for the 45th anniversary celebration! The vehicle was funded by grants from National Council on Aging and Florida Blue. We look forward to coming to an outreach near you!



Thank You for Believing in Our Mission



Thank you to everyone who was able to attend our Open House Anniversary Celebration on May 15th. We're thankful we could celebrate 45 years of service with great friends in the community. We appreciate your support over the years and look forward to working many more years with you to provide services to the community.

[Click here to see photo gallery](#)

[Video: Board members anniversary well wishes](#)

[Video: ElderSource CEO thanks community partners and friends](#)

LGBT Elder Cultural Competency Training: Wednesday, August 14



The LGBT Elder Cultural Competency Training is 90-minute training designed for professionals who work with older adults, helping them better understand key concepts, vocabulary and many barriers faced by older adults in the LGBT community.

This free training is sponsored by AARP Jacksonville.

Be sure to visit the website to register and save your spot now!

For more information call 904-391-6613 or email: info@eldersourceinstitute.org

[Click here to register for more information](#)

Ways to Give



Support Dining with Dignity

Many seniors have difficulty eating for a variety of reasons: tremors from Parkinson's Disease, paralysis or weakness from stroke or pain from arthritis etc. Often, they cannot prepare their own food or feed themselves. Assistive eating devices allow seniors to eat with dignity, thereby increasing their nutritional intake, independence and quality of life. Support a senior through this program!

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Sunday, June 16th is Father's Day. Amazon Smile is the perfect place to shop to find great gifts for dad and give back to our agency. When you shop with Amazon Smile, a percentage of your purchase comes back to ElderSource. It's the gift that keeps giving!

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