

Lancaster County Link partners' meeting

PARTNERS' NETWORK CROSS-TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

March 17 meeting notice

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Your monthly community partners' / cross-training meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m. on ... **Thursday, March 17** – the third Thursday of the month

When:

NEW FORMAT - The newly adopted meeting format “cross-training meeting begins with a brief business meeting followed with the cross-training presentations. And maybe a “pecha kucha!” A open question and answer session and “information sharing” complete the meeting.

Where:

**Denver Borough Municipal Building
501 Main St. Denver, PA 17517**

Presenters:

Two cross-training presentations today:

Jan Mills - Geriatric & Dementia Care Consulting, LLC and
Lauren Updegrave - Pennsylvania Bureau of Blindness and Visual Services

“DEMENTIA is EVERYWHERE!! GOOD COMMUNICATION is ESSENTIAL!!” -



Jan's facilitation today will focus on the importance on communicating with someone you may know ... someone who is experiencing a form of dementia.

While “Alzheimer's is not a normal part of aging, although the greatest known risk factor is increasing age, and the majority of people with Alzheimer's are 65 and older, the number of Americans with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias will grow each year as the size and proportion of the U.S. population age 65 and older continue to increase,” the Alzheimer's Association tells us.



Lauren's presentation - **“The Road to Independence for the Visually Impaired”** - will explain the Bureau of Blindness and Visual Services which is within the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation. The mission of the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation is to assist Pennsylvanians who are blind and visually impaired to work and also maintain independent lives. The presentation will focus specifically on the Independent Living Program.

We are grateful to Pennsylvania State Representative Mindy Fee for providing the refreshments for this meeting. Mindy represents residents of the 37th District, northern Lancaster County, which includes the borough of Denver.



RSVP TODAY TO

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March 15.
Please let us know if you require accommodations.

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