## The Trusted Voice for Senior Living and Care...



# Membership That Matters For Affordable Housing Members

LeadingAge Georgia is an affiliate partner of LeadingAge (formerly American Association of Homes INSTITUTE and Services for the Aging), which represents over 6,000 nonprofit facilities, serving over one million ON AGING older adults in the United States at its headquarters in Washington, D.C. LeadingAge Georgia and LeadingAge national involve their members in the Associations' organizational structure to develop educational programming, provide membership services, and to represent and influence public policy.

Join our membership of nearly 160 housing and service providers, who proudly embrace the continuum of aging services by serving over 127,000 residents and clients in Georgia. Be counted among organizations committed to Quality First initiatives adopted by LeadingAge Georgia (formerly Aging Services of Georgia).

#### Be Informed

- Read the latest senior housing and community based services news in the monthly Coffey Break Newsletter, featuring timely information regarding all levels in the Continuum of aging services.
- Staff Training and Professional Development: Through the Georgia Institute on Aging, members are able to participate in a variety of training opportunities tailored specifically to meet your everyday operational needs. Participate in networking opportunities via Listservs that provide a forum for peer consult by specific professional groups (i.e., HUD Administrators Listserv, Social Workers/Service Coordinators Listserv, etc.)
- Access timely information on topics via free LeadingAge Georgia white papers and HUD/LIHTC regulations and policies.
- The Annual Conference & Trade Exposition: Annually, LeadingAge Georgia and the Georgia Institute on Aging hosts a Conference on Aging by bringing its members nationally recognized and local experts on Fair Housing issues and the latest and most innovative ways to be effective and provide quality care to residents and clients. Typically, it is a two-three day event held each year in the spring. Join us during the next annual conference on aging, which will be held March 27-29, 2017 in collaboration with LeadingAge SC at Hilton Head Marriott Resort & Spa in Hilton Head, SC and experience over 30 educational events annually.
- Receive biennial statewide Salary and Benefits Survey Data on professionals in the field of aging to remain competitive.

### Be Heard

- Representation: LeadingAge Georgia is at the forefront of legislative and policy development issues affecting housing providers and their residents. Our Association's leadership has ensured that we are informed and represented legislatively through our lobbying efforts during the legislative season.
- Networking and Communications: As a member of LeadingAge Georgia, Affordable Housing/HUD or LIHTC
  (Tax Credit) professionals can subscribe to the HUD Administrators Forum via the SHAREpoint listsery to network
  with Georgia's most successful Affordable Housing Administrators and colleagues to poll and share in pertinent dialogue on critical issues facing senior housing providers.
- LeadingAge Georgia Public Policy Symposium: Increase the strength of your single voice by attending this symposium, which offers LeadingAge Georgia members an opportunity to set legislative priorities for our organization and legislative council as we advocate for priority needs of our residents and constituency. Educate state legislators and HUD regulators through public testimony and in-person meetings with state and local level officials.

#### Save

- Concerned about bottom line: Benefit from our valuable Group Purchasing and Shared Services Program offered by Value First and save up to 40% on products/services offered through this program.
- Receive affordable professional development training for you and your staff to remain current and competitive in our
  ever evolving senior living market.

**LeadingAge Georgia** (formerly Aging Services of Georgia) is the statewide association that represents the key not-for-profit and other mission-driven organizations dedicated to providing quality housing, health care, and community-based services that people need, when they need them, in the places they call home.