

## Required Disclosures to Participants

### **PURPOSE OF THE ACTIVITY:**

To educate doctors, nurses, public health educators on the topic of elder abuse

### **OBJECTIVES OF THE ACTIVITY**

Objective #1: Identify health and safety concerns for seniors ages 65 and older

Objective #2: Demonstrate effective methods for caring for and working with seniors ages 65 and older

Objective #3: Describe red flags of elder abuse mistreatment, and explain how to address it.

### **TARGET AUDIENCE:**

Doctors, nurses, health educators, social workers, community members, attorneys, law enforcement, and seniors

### **PRESENCE OR ABSENCE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST FOR PLANNERS/FACULTY/AUTHORS/MODERATORS:**

**Planning Committee:** One planner has a conflict of interest to disclose as it relates to this educational activity

**Speakers/Moderators:** One speaker has a conflict of interest to disclose as it relates to this educational activity

All other planners/faculty/authors/moderators had no conflict of interest to disclose as it relates to this educational activity.

**Presence or Absence of Commercial and/or Sponsorship Support disclosure:** There is sponsorship support for this educational activity

### **NON-ENDORSEMENT OF PRODUCTS DISCUSSED/DISPLAYED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS ACTIVITY:**

#### **Non-Endorsement of Products**

As an Accredited Provider of Continuing Education (CE) Credits for Health Education (CHES), Nursing (CNE), Medicine (CME), and Public Health (CPH) the American Public Health Association Learning and Professional Development Programs (LPDP) Unit and its respective Continuing Education accrediting organizations do not endorse any products or services that are displayed or referred to in conjunction with this activity and are not responsible for the actual presentation of content during scientific sessions.

### **POLICY ON DISCLOSURES TO LEARNERS**

#### **Policy on Disclosures to Learners**

Kasem Cares strives to ensure balance, independence, objectivity and scientific rigor in all of its educational programs. All planners, faculty members, moderators, discussants, panelist and presenters participating in this program have been required to disclose any real or apparent conflict(s) of interest that may have a direct bearing on the subject matter of this program. This includes relationships with pharmaceutical companies, biomedical device manufacturers or other corporations whose products or services are related to the subject matter of the presentation topic. The intent of this policy is to identify openly any conflict of interest so that the attendees may form their own judgments about the presentation with full disclosure of the facts. In addition, faculty is expected to openly disclose any off-label, experimental and/or investigational uses of drugs or devices in their presentation. Disclosures, Conflict of Interest (COI) and Resolution of COI policies are available via APHA's [website](#).

## **ACCREDITATION STATEMENTS**

### **Medicine (CME) Accreditation Statement**

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the American Public Health Association (APHA) and Kasem Cares. The APHA is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

**Designation Statement:** The APHA designates this **live** educational activity for a maximum of **10** *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit (s)*<sup>™</sup>.

### **Nursing (CNE) Accreditation Statement**

This continuing nursing education activity was approved by APHA/PHN, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

### **10 Credits**

### **Health Education (CHES) Statement**

The American Public Health Association is accredited by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. to sponsor continuing education for Certified Health Education Specialists (CHES). This program is a designated event for the CHES to receive up to **10** Category I CE contact hours (CHEC).

## **INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO OBTAIN CREDIT**

### **How to Obtain CE Credit**

Participants must attend the entire activity/session/meeting and complete the evaluation online in order to earn credit hours and obtain a CE certificate. A link to the online evaluation system will be sent to all registered participants who attend the activity that will contain instructions and a personal ID number for access to the system.

All online evaluations must be submitted by **May 23, 2016** to receive continuing education credit for this activity.