



Dane County Department of Human Services Division of Disability and Aging Services

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DANE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

To: Personnel and Finance Committee

From: Shari Gray-Dorn, Adult Protective Services Supervisor

Re: Request for Exception to Ordinance Chap 20.17 Honorarium Limitation

Date: October 11, 2022

Dane County Department of Human Services again received a \$4,753 Domestic Abuse in Later Life grant from the Wisconsin Division of Public Health (WDPH), Bureau of Aging and Disability Resources. WDPH has approved our plan to offer the Eighth Annual Domestic Violence in Later Life Conference, which will focus on the Intersection of Dementia and Domestic Violence/Intimate Partner Violence: Assessment and Intervention.

Dr. Bonnie Olsen is this year's keynote speaker. She is the Vice Chair of Academic Affairs in the Department of Family Medicine at the Kreck School of Medicine at USC. Dr. Olsen is a clinical psychologist with extensive experience as a geropsychologist, working in academic medicine for 17 years. She provides mental health and cognitive assessment and short-term treatment in a collaborative model with several primary care physicians in Kreck's School of Medicine interprofessional Geriatric Assessment Clinic.

The conference planning committee has negotiated a \$1,500.00 honorarium with Dr. Olsen. This fee is half of her customary fees and is reasonable given her expertise and reputation. The free conference will be held virtually the morning of October 13, 2022. The presenters will share materials with conference participants and engage individuals in breakout sessions, polls and case scenario discussions.

Thank you for considering this request.

CC: Astra Iheukumere, Interim Director
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