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Membership is **FREE** to anyone interested in joining.

Email your request for membership to: NECultureChangeCoalition@hotmail.com to join.

Visit our web site at www.necccoalition.org

You will need to be added to our email list to receive information about upcoming conferences and coalition meetings.

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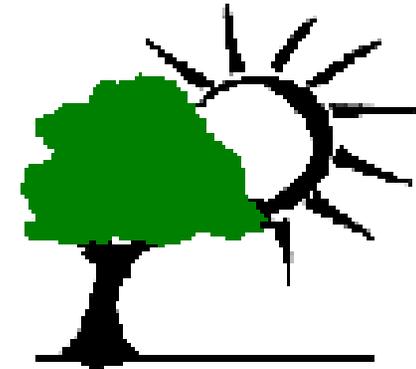
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www.K-State.edu/peak

www.phinational.org/

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Nebraska Culture Change Coalition

A coalition of those committed to culture change in long term care in Nebraska.



**“Let’s Ignite
the Fires of
Change”**



CULTURE CHANGE AND PERSON-CENTERED CARE

The resident is the center of care and is respected as the one who makes choices about the care they receive and how it is provided.

Care is aimed at nurturing the mind, body and spirit, and the unique needs of each individual. Emphasis is placed on celebrating a person's life and making the most of every day.

The Nebraska Culture Change Coalition is aimed at changing the culture and stereotype often associated with long term care.

It is not change for the sake of change. It is a commitment to changing the way we do things. It is respecting choices and changing the way care/services are delivered in order to enhance the quality of life for those we serve, to include the residents who live there and the staff who work in LTC.

If you have a passion for changing the culture of long term care and you want to be involved in changing the culture of LTC in Nebraska then you will want to be a part of this coalition!

Nebraska Culture Change Coalition

The coalition began with a meeting between a small group of homes working on culture change in Nebraska in March 2004. The Coalition has grown in membership as LTC homes in Nebraska partake on their culture change journey.

The Coalition continues to work on helping organizations find ways to enhance the quality of life for those who live and work in LTC through education and networking. Creating meaningful ways to connect people and initiating person-centered care are important parts of Culture Change.



Mission: To provide education and resources to assist LTC organizations in transforming their culture of care.



Vision: LTC communities in Nebraska will become a place where individuals not only choose to live and work, but where they thrive within the environment.



Values:

1. Personal choice and self-determination are basic rights.
2. A voice is meant to be heard and respected.
3. Relationships are an essential part of life.
4. Risk-taking is a normal and valuable part of life.
5. Individuality is what makes us all unique.



Goals:

1. To help organizations see the value in putting the person before the task.
2. To enhance the lives of others and to promote their growth, development and empowerment by providing education and increasing public awareness about culture change.
3. To help others understand that listening to and valuing what residents and staff say is an important part of treating others with dignity and respect.
4. To offer guidance to organizations on doing individual, environmental and organizational self-evaluation and on being receptive to change
5. To help organizations recognize and understand that culture change and transformation are not destinations, but a journey, always a work in progress.
6. To promote a forum where individuals can see and share wisdom, develop relationships and help create a legacy of culture change.