

# Front Line Perspectives:

## Sensory Changes in Aging Adults

### FEATURING:

- A comprehensive overview of sensory and cognitive changes in aging adults
- A handout of helpful resources for clinicians to reference in their everyday practice

**Tuesday,  
February 18, 2020**

**11:45 am – 12:00 pm:**

Registration, Complimentary Lunch, & Welcome

**12:00 - 1:00 pm:** Presentations

**1:00 pm:** Evaluations and Adjourn

### Emory University Hospital

Annex Room 235B  
1365 Clifton Road Atlanta,  
Georgia 30322

*A light lunch will be provided  
Space is limited.*

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- Social Workers (ASWB ACE – 1 CE Credit)
- Case Managers (CCM - 1 Clock Hour)
- RN ( CA Board of Registered Nursing – 1 Contact hour)

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**Presented By:**

**Triff Cook, MBA, CMC**  
*Home Care Assistance*

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When working with aging adults, helping professionals must be mindful of how to distinguish typical signs of aging from those that require a heightened level of attention and intervention. It is important to keep in mind the impact that aging has on a person's whole being – body, mind, and environment. Understanding these changes on a cognitive, physiological, and sensory level gives insight into the unique challenges patients may be facing, and prepare clinicians to best support their needs. Lending their unique firsthand perspectives from their daily work along with empirical research, experts in the field from Homecare Assistance Atlanta will present on sensory changes amongst aging adults. Participants will walk away with the essential knowledge, tools, and skills necessary for providing comprehensive care for the aging population.

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#### By attending our workshop, you will be able to:

1. Distinguish between signs of normal aging and dementia
2. Identify one way in which each sense is impacted by aging
3. Name at least two strategies for aging adults to implement to offset cognitive changes

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# Speaker Information:

## **Triff Cook, MBA, CMC**

*Home Care Assistance*

Triff Cook, MBA, CMC is the Director of Client Services at Home Care Assistance. Home Care Assistance provides private duty personal care and oversight for people who need extra help to stay independent. All caregivers are state certified and licensed and help clients with everything from bathing, dressing and grooming to housekeeping, driving and meal preparation.

Triff is certified in Alzheimer's Care and is a resource for families of older adults and others with chronic needs, including helping those suffering from Alzheimer's Disease or Parkinson's or exhibiting symptoms of dementia. She speaks often to groups on topics related to healthy aging.

Triff is a graduate of Dartmouth College and has an MBA from Emory University. She received her certification in Geriatric Care Management in 2009 from the National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers, now known as Aging Life Care Association. An resident of Atlanta since 1980, Triff paints, gardens and is learning to play bridge-a game long associated with healthy aging!