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TO: Adult Day Centers in North Central Connecticut
FROM: Crystal Bailey, Grants Manager
DATE: February 1, 2021

RE: 2022 Alzheimer's Aide Grant Proposals

The North Central Area Agency on Aging, Inc. (NCAAA) is seeking grant proposals for adult day care services to participants with Alzheimer's disease and/or related dementias. State funding will supplement Alzheimer's Aide positions to better serve this population.

Funded Adult Day Centers must be serving individuals with a diagnosis of Alzheimer's and related dementias, as defined by the National Institute on Aging as irreversible and deteriorating dementias that may include but are not limited to: Frontotemporal disorders, Lewy Body Dementia, Vascular Dementia/Vascular Cognitive Impairment, or Mixed Dementias. Participants must have had a comprehensive medical evaluation that has ruled out unrelated conditions such as depression, TBI, alcoholism, and drug interactions. Clients will be expected to have a physician with whom the center can work and who will certify by letter that he or she has done an appropriate medical work up and that the patient's diagnosis is an irreversible and deteriorating dementia as listed above. Documentation to that effect should be on file at the funded adult day center.

Amount Available: \$41,528 – Estimated Level, subject to approval by Legislature

Grant Period: July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022

Application Due Date: **MARCH 19, 2021 BY 11:59PM Eastern Standard Time**
(LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.)

Eligible Applicants: Any existing municipal, proprietary, or nonprofit adult day care center that agrees to the terms and conditions for the grant award and can demonstrate capacity in providing services to the North Central Connecticut participants who have Alzheimer's disease and/or related dementias. Adult day centers with satellite centers may submit an application for each site.

Applications: www.ncaaact.org/funding

Questions and Technical Assistance: Please direct any questions to Crystal Bailey, Grants Manager, at 860-724-6443 ext.246 or via email at crystal.bailey@ncaaact.org.

