

***Death and Dying, Grief and IDDD***  
***\*\*FREE\*\* Nurse's Training Day with CEU's***

**November 12, 2009**  
**Room 150 –Training Center at Selinsgrove Center**

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**Training Agenda:**

**9:00 - 9:30 Registration**

**9:30 - 12:00** The morning session will focus on the death and dying stages, how it is experienced by the severely and profoundly ID, and review research focusing on how clients, family and staff react to the dying process.

**12:00 - 1:15 Lunch on your own**

**1:15 - 3:45** The afternoon session will focus on developing an education program for our clients. The Do's and Don'ts of working with the ID client in terms of a loss. A concrete program book will be reviewed along with other resources staff can find useful.

**3:45 - 4:00 Questions and Evaluations**

Non-nursing staff are welcome to attend.

**Win a Burke P. Bear Boyd's Bear.**

\$1.00 a ticket. 100% of the money goes to PACFI, who are dedicated to helping families and individuals affected by Cystic Fibrosis and to raising funds for CF research.

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Registration deadline: November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2009

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