

Elder Justice Scholars



[About](#)

[Hot Topics](#)

[Student Placements](#)

[Kinship Work](#)

[Health Concerns](#)

[Housing](#)

[Long Term Planning](#)

[Legislation](#)

[Elder Abuse](#)

[GLBT Concerns](#)

[Links](#)

[Contact Us](#)

Health Related Links and Articles

Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia

[Two Parents with Alzheimer's Raises Child's Risk](#)

[Alzheimer's Association, Early Onset Alzheimer's](#)

[Living with Early Onset Alzheimer's](#)

[Early-Onset Alzheimers: An Interview with a Mayo Clinic Specialist](#)

[Sufferers of Early Onset Alzheimer's Describe Life with the Disease](#)

[Dementia: It's Not Always Alzheimer's](#)

[Closing in on Origins of Main Ingredient of Alzhiemer's Plaques](#)

[Memory in One of Three People Over Age 70 is Impaired, Study Shows](#)

[Getting Forgetful? Then Blueberries May Hold the Key](#)

[Larger Belly in Mid-Life Increase Risk of Dementia, Study Suggests](#)

[First Diagnostic Test for Alzheimer's and Parkinson's Disease on the Horizon](#)

[When a Mind Begins to Disappear: A Young Family's Journey to the Dark Side](#)

[Administration on Aging Alzheimer's Resource Room](#)

[CANE Annotated Bibliography: Elder Abuse and](#)

[Mental Health/Alzheimer's Disease/Dementia CANE Annotated Bibliography: Dementia \(2000 - 2004\)](#)

[Alzheimer's Association: Dementia Care Training](#)

[Alzbrain.org: Resources for Caregivers and Professionals](#)

[Alzheimer's Resource Room](#)

[National Council for Certified Dementia Practitioners \(NCCDP\)](#)

[Virginia Department of Criminal Justice Services, Alzheimer's Training and Information](#)

[Alzheimer's Association Publications](#)

Donna Schuyler, Bryan A. Liang, *Reconceptualizing Elder Abuse: Treating the Disease of Senior Community Exclusion*, 15 *Annals Health L.* 275 (2006).

Karen Eltis, *Predicating Dignity on Autonomy? The Need for Further Inquiry into the Ethics of Tagging and Tracking Dementia Patients With GPS Technology*, 14 *Elder L.J.* 35 (2005).

Linda Dawson, *Preventing Abuse and Neglect in Health Care Settings: The Regulatory Agency's Responsibility*, 77 *Wis. Law.* 10 (Aug. 2004).

Iris Freeman, *Assuring Safety for People with Dementia in Long-Term Care Facilities: A Focus on Staffing*, 9 *Ethics, Law, and Aging Rev.* 107 (2003).

Jennifer Gimler Brady, *Long-Term Care Under Fire: A Case for Rational Enforcement*, 18 *J. Contemp. Health L. & Pol'y* 1 (Winter 2001).

John B. Breaux & Orrin G. Hatch, *Confronting Elder Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation: The Need for Elder Justice Legislation*, 11 *Elder L.J.* 207 (2003).

Joint Conference on Legal/Ethical Issues in the Progression of Dementia, *"Recommendations of the Joint Conference,"* 35 *Ga. L. Rev.* 423 (Winter 2001).

Michelle Stowell, Chapter 434: *Protecting Those with Alzheimer's Disease and Demntia by Increasing Educational Requirements for RCFE Staff*, 32 *McGeorge L. Rev.* 733 (Winter 2001).

Angela Snellenberrger Quin, *Imposing Federal Criminal Liability on Nursing Homes: A Way of Deterring Inadequate Health Care and Improving the Quality Delivered?* 43 *St. Louis U. L.J.* 653 (Spring

1999).

Caregivers

[Alzheimer's Care: Grief is Heaviest Burden for Caregivers](#)

[Dealing with Dementia: Help for Relatives, Caregivers, and Friends](#)

[Family Cardiac Caregivers May Have Higher Heart Disease Risk](#)

[Support and Counseling Helps Alzheimer's Caregivers Remain Healthy](#)

[Alzbrain.org: Resources for Caregivers and Professionals](#)

Judy M. Zarit, Caring for the Caregivers of the Elderly: Having Fun While Doing Good, *Family Relations*, Vol. 48, No. 4 (Oct., 1999)

Falling

[Risk of Falling is Overlooked as the Major Cause of Fractures in the Elderly](#)

[Toll-Free Hotline to Help Seniors Avoid Falls](#)

[Yoga Poses Can Prevent Falls in Women Over 65, Study Suggests](#)

[Worried About Family or Friends Falling? New Guideline Identifies Those Most at Risk](#)

Fitness

[A Month of Exercise Helps Ease Heart Failure](#)

[Maintaining Aerobic Fitness Could Delay Biological Aging by up to 12 Years, Study Shows](#)

[Elderly Improve With Exercise, Too](#)

[Older Women Have Harder Time Preserving Muscle Than Men](#)

High Blood Pressure

[High Blood Pressure Runs in Families](#)

[High Blood Pressure Associated With Risk for Mild](#)

[Cognitive Impairment](#)

Medicare

[Medicare Drug Plan Fuels Health-Care Spending](#)

[Medicare's Drug Program Enrollment Up, Costs Down](#)

[Home-Based Senior Care Program Has Limited Benefits](#)

[Most Medicare Recipients Ignore Colorectal Cancer Screening](#)

[Medicare's Drug Benefit Tough to Navigate](#)

Susan Adler Channick, *The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003: Will it be Good Medicine for U.S. Health Policy?*, 14 Elder L.J. 237 (2006).

Medicine

[Medicines and Older Adults](#)

[New Drug May Help Rescue the Aging Brain](#)

Stroke

[Daytime Dozing Linked to Increased Stroke Risk in Elderly](#)

[Early Blood Pressure Reduction May Improve Stroke Outcome](#)

Advance Directives

[Put It In Writing](#) is sponsored by the American Hospital Association and has key resources for patients, their family and friends, and the hospitals that serve them.

[Caring Connections](#) is a consumer engagement initiative intended to improve care at the end of life. This site has information on care planning, financial planning and links to state specific advance directives,

[Aging With Dignity](#) is the creator of the Five Wishes Advance Directive, the most popular advance directive in the United States. Five Wishes is available in the

following languages:

- Albanian
- Arabic
- Bengali
- Chinese - Traditional and Simplified
- Croatian
- French
- Gujarati
- Haitian Creole
- Hindi
- Hmong
- Japanese
- Korean
- Polish
- Portuguese
- Russian
- Somali
- Spanish
- Urdu
- Vietnamese

[American Bar Association Commission on Law and Aging](#)

Miscellaneous

[Elder Care Websites](#)

[National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke](#)

[Humor Plays an Important Role in Healthcare Even When Patients are Terminally Ill](#)

[Health "Shocks" Dimish Wealth More Later in Life](#)

[Update to Food Guide Pyramid for Older Adults](#)

[Worst U.S. Nursing Homes Listed](#)

Werner Gruber, *Life and Death on Your Terms: The Advance Directives Dilemma and What Should be Done in the Wake of the Schiavo Case*, 15 Elder L.J. 503 (2007).

Helen Y. Kim, *Do I Really Understand? Cultural Concerns in Determining Diminished Competency*, 15 Elder L.J. 265 (2007).

Mike E. Jorgensen, *The Convicted Felon as a Guardian: Considering the Alternatives of Potential Guardians With Less-Than-Perfect Records*, 15 Elder L.J. 51 (2007).

Laura Fernandez Feitl, *Caring for the Elderly Undocumented Workers in the United States: Discretionary Reality or Undeniable Duty?*, 13 Elder L.J. 227 (2005).

Andrew D. Wone, *Don't Want to Pay for your Institutionalized Spouse? The Role of Spousal Refusal and Medicaid in Funding Long-Term Care*, 14 Elder L.J. 485 (2006).

Jacqueline d. Farinella, *Come On In, The Water's Fine: Opening Up the Special Needs Pooled Trust to the Eligible Elderly Population*, 14 Elder L.J. 127 (2006)

Elizabeth D. Tedrow, *Social Security Privatization in Other Countries--What Lessons Can Be Learned for the United States?*, 14 Elder L.J. 35 (2006).

Susan L. Waysdorf, *The Aging of the AIDS Epidemic: Emerging Legal and Public Health Issues for Elderly Persons Living With HIV/AIDS*, 10 Elder L.J. 47 (2002).

[About](#) | [Hot Topics](#) | [Student Placements](#) | [Kinship Work](#) | [Health Concerns](#) | [Housing](#) | [Long Term Planning](#) | [Legislation](#) | [Elder Abuse](#) | [GLBT Concerns](#) | [Links](#) | [Contact Us](#)