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THE LATEST FACTOIDS, RESEARCH, TRIVIA AND INFORMATION "The Devil's in the Details"

THE DEMENTIA DETAILS DISPATCH JUNE 2012

NO MEETING JUNE 6th

June 2012 Support Groups

June 1 & 15 Grand Villa 9:30 AM
June 5 & 19 St. Mark Village 9:30 AM
June 5 & 19 Grand Villa 6:00 PM
June 20 Bon Secours PL 6:00 PM

NO MEETING JULY 4th

July 2012 Support Groups

July 3 & 17 St. Mark Village 9:30 AM
July 3 & 17 Grand Villa 6:00 PM
July 6 & 20 Grand Villa 9:30 AM
July 18 Bon Secours PL 6:00 PM

Sean W. Scott
Elder Law Attorney

TOP TEN MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY MISTAKES

A lot of people have a basic misunderstanding of Medicaid benefits, qualifications and planning. This is the third in the series of the top ten.

3. Assuming it is too early or too late

Basic advance planning can provide vital protection later. It is not too late to act even if a person is already receiving care. For more information call: **727.539.0181**
Visit: <http://www.virtuallawoffice.com/>



President Calvin Coolidge, in 1924, supported the idea of a national Father's Day. Then in 1966 **President Lyndon Johnson** signed a presidential proclamation declaring the 3rd Sunday of June as Father's Day. **President Richard Nixon** signed the law which finally made it permanent in 1972.



VETERANS DESIGNATION

Veterans who live in Florida can add a *veteran designation* to their driver license or ID card, which is simply a **blue "V"** on the bottom right portion of the card. Visit any Florida driver license office and present their DD-214, which shows their honorable discharge from active duty. Pay a one-time \$1 fee, *in addition to the card replacement or renewal fee*. Visit: www.gathergoget.com



The family of football great **Junior Seau** came to the decision to allow Seau's brain to be studied "to help other individuals down the road." Although Seau did not leave a suicide note, the fact that he did not shoot himself in the head, is significant. The similarity between Seau's suicide --- and that of former *Chicago Bears* safety **Dave Duerson** are telling. Duerson died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound to the chest last year, and in a suicide note, Duerson had asked his family to donate his brain to the Boston University School of Medicine. Researchers from that school later determined that Dave Duerson suffered from a *neuro-degenerative disease linked to concussions*, and that played a role in triggering his depression, which eventually led to his suicide.

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A PURPOSE IN LIFE TO PROTECT THE BRAIN

Statistics are showing that for two people with a similar amount of Alzheimer's changes in the brain, the one with higher purpose in life did much better with cognitive function over time. Having an overall sense of well-being, contributing to society, being a productive person, having goals and a knowledge of what's important to you, will bring a sense of wellness that is important to your life.

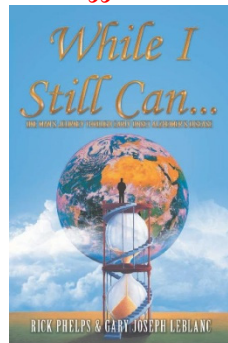


COVERED WITH TRAVEL INSURANCE?? MAYBE NOT---

Some travel insurance policies will cover passengers with dementia but it may be more expensive. Every insurance contract carries exclusions. The most common exclusions are for a pre-existing illness diagnosed prior to departure, a trip taken against your doctor's advice, exceptional risks taken by the insured and others of which can be found in the "What Is Not Covered" section of your insurance policy. Policies that do not cover claims arising from a 'pre-existing medical condition' may list chronic illnesses like *dementia*, *a cold* or *a recent surgery*.

Source: <http://www.cottagecountry>

Hot off the Press



While I Still Can by GARY JOSEPH LEBLANC is a story of the arduous hardships and triumphs through the eyes of an Alzheimer's patient.

E-mail Gary for ordering information:
us41books@bellsouth.net



There is a foolish corner in the brain of the wisest man--- ARISTOTLE

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