

January 4, 10

Dear Colleague:

You have the opportunity to hear the dynamic and inspirational speaker, Donna Evans, LSW, BWS, Thursday, February 4, 2010 at Southwest Regional Medical Center's C.O. Haskins Education Main Auditorium on the 6th floor. Donna is a regionally recognized hospice social worker with 13 years of amazing stories and insights which she will share in an energetic and memorable program.

And, you can receive up to 2 CE's for attending!

"After the Terminal Diagnosis; Understanding the Stages of Death & Dying" will be a comprehensive focus regarding the realities facing patients and family members following a terminal diagnosis. We will provide resources and tools social workers can use to counsel patients and families, from offering a step-by-step process of identifying specific issues to teaching meaningful conversation skills, and assisting in final arrangements, funeral planning, and legal documentation. All of these assistance issues will leave the family with a stronger, more positive bond with you and your organization.

This program is designed for social workers, case management workers, clinical personnel, chaplains, and those involved in end-of-life care. Our goal is to give you the tools to help patients die with dignity, in comfort and with peace, knowing their caregivers followed their wishes and provided for their needs.

Please complete the bottom portion of this letter and return to Tina Brumfield, 1405 Aston Avenue, McComb, MS 39648 or fax to: 601.249.3863.

Name _____ **Yes! I will attend.** _____

Address _____

Phone _____ **FAX** _____

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