

Wendy Simons, RESUME

Consultant

Summary of qualifications	<p>Licensed Residential Care/Assisted Living Facility Administrator # 5611 (Nevada Board of Examiners for Long Term Care Administrators) Administrator/Owner/Partner</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Mar-Von Residential Care Facility 1972-1992 18 resident facility▪ Elderkin Senior Care Facility 1981-1991 6 resident facility▪ Park Place Assisted Living 1992-2007 60 resident facility (Designed and built this community) <p>Principle/ Owner Wendy Simons Consulting Assisted Living Industry Consulting & Training - 1992-Present</p>
Education	<p>1968-1973 University of Nevada, Reno , NV BS Education/ Biology & Health Education</p>
Professional experience	<p>1976-1982 Lecturer in Animal Science University of Nevada , Reno 35 Years as an Administrator of Residential Care/Assisted Living Facilities. (Second generation operator, parents created the first facilities in Nevada in 1948)</p>
Publications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• “ <i>Park Place Medication Assistance Training Program</i>” for Residential Care Facilities 1999-2007• <i>Wendy Simons Medication Assistance Training Program for Residential Care/Assisted Living Facilities</i> Program # 052307-70• Senior Spectrum of Nevada (Multiple articles on Assisted Living and Senior care items in past years)• “<i>In or Out</i>” <i>Admissions/Retention/Discharges</i> Nevada Geriatric Education Center.• “<i>Assisted Living Guidelines</i>” Fact sheet (on web Nevada Care Connection, www.nevadacareconnection.org)• “<i>Rose’s, Daisy’s & Dandelions</i>” Senior Spectrum Magazine. June 2007• Assisted Living Today, “<i>A Wake Up Call</i>” 2000
Professional memberships	<p>Coalition of Assisted Residential Environments Nevada Geriatric Education Center , UNR School of Medicine Advisory Board member 2006-2007 and Presenter in numerous conferences Sanford Center for Aging, UNR Emeritus member Commission on Aging, State of Nevada (6/03-6/06)</p>
Community	<p>Member of Reno Rodeo Association Co-chair of Queen Committee and Drill Team Coach</p>

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Activities

2001-2007

Rotary Club of Reno Board member 2007-2008

Additional professional activities

Producer/host KOLO Channel 8 (CBS affiliate) "Senior Scope" for 20 years.

Co-chair Assisted Living Advisory Council, State of Nevada , Health Division 2005-2007

Facilitator for Board of Examiners for Long Term Care Administrator's, Administrator In Training (AIT) Mentor Program

Author/facilitator of Caregiver Training curriculum of 25 training courses.

Presenter at the California Association of Long Term Care Medicine conference, June 2007

Presenter at the Northern Nevada Alzheimer's Association Conference, 2006,2005

Presenter at the American Geriatric Society "*Opportunities and Pitfalls for the Primary Care Provider*" 2001

Presenter Assisted Living Federation of America Convention, "*How to Deliver What We Promise*" 2001

Luncheon Keynote speaker at ALFA University 1995

Member of the National Administrator's Board, Pass Point Committee for the National Administrator's Exam 1997,1999, 2006

Expert Court witness in 2 jurisdictions of Nevada and for the Attorney General's office.

Legislative Representative for the Residential Care Industry, and informal lobbyist for 25 years