

# CNA Strong

*Proud. Trusted. Valued.*

**April 8** | 8:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Time	CNA Track 1	CNA Track 2	Leadership
8:30–9:15 a.m.	<b>Opening Keynote: CNA Strong: Proud, Trusted and Valued</b> Lori Porter, CEO/Co-founder, National Association of Health Care Assistants		
9:30–10:30 a.m.	<b>Eyes on the Frontline: Spotting Significant Behavioral Changes</b> Veronica Garcia Walker, RN, Ph.D.	<b>COVID-19 Touched Everything: The Impact on Facility Culture</b> Gentry Harper, COO, Juliette Fowler Communities	<b>Let Me Grow Where I'm Planted: Growth and Development Opportunities for CNAs</b> Lori Porter, CEO/Co-founder, National Association of Health Care Assistants
10:45–11:45 a.m.	<b>It's All About You: Person-Centered Care</b> Shelley Nanney, RAC-CT, CMDCP	<b>Dementia 101: What You Need to Know about Alzheimer's and Dementia</b> Ann McKinley, CAO, Juliette Fowler Communities	<b>Work-Life Balance — Good For You and Everyone Around You!</b> Tara Godby, CPC, ELI-MP
12–1 p.m.	<b>When Your Resident is Dying: Providing the Best End of Life Care</b> Abraham Brody, Ph.D., RN, FAAN	<b>My Journey: A CNA's Story in His Own Words</b> Antonio Saavedra, BA	<b>The Active Involvement of CNAs in Care Planning</b> Gayle Atherton, BSN, RN, CPHQ, CPD
1:15–2:15 p.m.	<b>Are You a Thermostat or a Thermometer? Facing Challenging Situations</b> Shay Wilson, BA, Trainer/Life Coach	<b>Infection Control: It's an Everyday Thing</b> Thi Dang, MPH, CHES, CIC	<b>Creating a Culture of Empowerment</b> Rose Saenz, LVN, LNFA, MBA
2:30–3:30 p.m.	<b>Be an Everyday Hero: Prevent ANE</b> Sheri Mead, ADN, RN and Jennifer Wills, BSN, RN	<b>Would You Just Behave! Caring Through Responsive Behaviors</b> Hayley Moseley, MA, CMDCP	<b>A Great Environment for All: The Power of Shift Assignments</b> Michael Cummings, LNFA, ARM
3:45–4:45 p.m.	<b>Empowerment and Leadership</b> Scott Abel, JD	<b>Activities of Daily Living: Video Vignettes</b> Karen Keller, BSN, RN	<b>COVID-19 Touched Everything: The Impact on Facility Culture</b> Gentry Harper, COO, Juliette Fowler Communities
5–6 p.m.	<b>Closing Keynote: A Praise and Purpose Party!</b> Christopher Ridenhour, BA, GFN, Motivational Speaker		