



# COLUMBIA COUNTY

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Dear Consumers and Citizens Seeking Information  
about Long-Term-Care Services,

The State of Wisconsin is moving toward a new means of providing long-term-care; it is called Family Care. Columbia County has been actively working with a consortium of 12 counties to help make this happen. We anticipate that we will be starting Family Care in January 2008. Because this will be a new venture for our agency and yourselves, we are scheduling meetings with the Care Management Organizations (CMOs) to answer questions. The CMOs that will be serving Columbia County will be Elder Care of Wisconsin and Community Living Alliance. Both of the CMOs are from Madison.

**We would like you to attend one of the meetings on June 28, 2007:**

**1 pm to 3 pm at the Law Enforcement Center, 711 E. Cook Street, Portage, or**

**4 pm to 6 pm at the Columbus High School, 1164 Farnham, Columbus, in the multipurpose room**

The CMOs and our agency will do their best to answer your questions. To help with that, we would like 3 questions that you would really like to have answered sent to us prior to the meeting.

Please RSVP by June 26, 2007 letting us know if you will be attending and what your 3 questions are. Please send your reply to the Columbia County Health and Human Services, PO Box 136, Portage, WI. 53901 or give it to your Social Worker if you are currently receiving services.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

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