

ESAAL Membership Services

Why Pay a Consultant?

Are you searching for assistance in opening an Adult Home, Enriched Housing Program, Assisted Living Program or Assisted Living Residence?

Need regulatory guidance?

Need help with on-going operational issues?

You have come to the right place! ESAAL has over 30 years experience of successfully creating opportunities for the growth of assisted living in New York State. ESAAL is the only association that **solely represents proprietary and non-profit adult homes, assisted living programs, and assisted living residences.**

Empire State Association of Assisted Living is recognized by the NYS government as the voice of assisted living providers. It has been instrumental in effecting regulatory and inspection process reforms. It has lobbied successfully to create Medicaid revenue sources for home care/assisted living services and to secure increased funding of the QUIP program. We have warded off persistent attempts to remove an assisted living provider's ability to have 30 days to rectify violations before being fined by the Department of Health. These are just a few examples of what we and our members have accomplished.

Our association works closely with NYS Department of Health central and regional office personnel, and we continue to advocate on your behalf as to the over-regulation that is imposed upon ACFs.

Why Become An ESAAL Member?

- ACF Industry Wage & Salary Survey
- OMIG Compliance Program Template & Guidance Document
- Group purchasing plan
- Lobbying New York State government
- Assistance with regulatory compliance
- Professional development providing continuing education credits
- Full-time public relations agency to assist with media relations
- Full-time legal firm to assist in compliance and regulatory issues
- We developed a two volume Adult Home Procedures Manual for new or seasoned administrators
- Assistance with development of policies and procedures
- Assistance with development of facility handbooks
- Assistance with development of facility emergency plan
- Assistance with plan of correction for DOH surveys
- Review and assistance with incident reporting
- Your facility website linked to our website with a picture and listing of amenities @ www.esaal.org
- And numerous other services.....

For more information about becoming a member, please contact Carla Erhartic, Member Services and Development at 518-371-2573 or email cerhartic@nycap.rr.com