

The Colorado PALTC Community
Honors

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Perry Nisson RPh

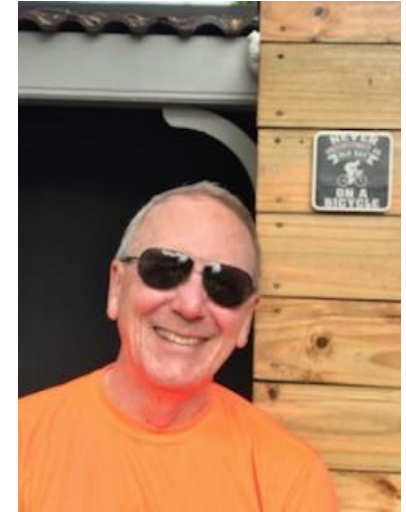
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THE COLORADO
SOCIETY FOR
POST-ACUTE AND
LONG-TERM CARE
MEDICINE

John Hiner MD CMD

- Began full time work in geriatrics at Swedish Medical Center Senior Health Plus Clinic in 1991
- By 1996 he transitioned to half of his time working in nursing homes
- *“In 2001, Marsha Jaroch NP and I left the clinic setting and pursued our full-time nursing home practice”*
- Provided care in **17 different facilities** and medical director in many facilities including Cherrelyn, Cherry Hills and Mariner Greenwood Village
 - **Served as Medical Director at Cherrelyn for 16 years!**
- In 2016 joined Rocky Mountain Senior Care
- Loved to witness the evolution of PALTC in Colorado
- **Words of Wisdom:**
 - *Never stop listening and learning*
 - *Be thankful for the very special group that is supporting you.*
- Retired in August, 2019





Perry Nisson RPh.

- Became a Consultant Pharmacist in September 1967 and owner of Nisson Pharmacy in Des Plaines, Illinois.
- In 1985 became an Independent Consultant Pharmacist in Colorado.
- Served PALTC communities across Colorado, including Denver, Lakewood, Boulder, Castle Rock, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Montrose, Delta, Grand Junction, Fruita, Palisade, Craig, Fort Morgan, Brush,
- Involved in pain management at the Hospice of St John in Lakewood, Colorado.
- In 2012, received the **Consultant Pharmacist of the Year** award from the Colorado Healthcare Association.
- **Words of Wisdom:** "Respect and embrace the expertise of professionals working within the long-term care industry. Positivity and kindness go a long way towards helping get past the challenges inherent in the industry."
- ***"I retired as a Consultant Pharmacist in long term care on December 31, 2021 after 37 years."***



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- Started Practicing in PALTC in 1988
- Started several Community Ethics Committees:
 - El Paso, Douglas County, Piñon Community Ethics Committee, and the Colorado LTC Community Ethics Committee at Vivage
- Founding member of CMDA
 - First VP and later **second president of CMDA.**
- Member of the Board of Directors of AMDA
- President of El Paso County Medical Society
- JAMDA award for best article series with Steve Levenson MD CMD
- Promoted Bed safety in LTC facilities
 - Multiple publications and promoted the standard of care
- Served and promoted Rural LTC Medicine
- **AMDA 2020 Medical Director of the Year**
- **Words of Wisdom:**
 - *“Create respect for LTC Medicine among our colleagues in other fields of Medicine and Surgery.”*
 - *Create an atmosphere of mutual respect and support.*
- Retiring May 31, 2022