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**Alzheimer's Association Presents 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Education Conference**

(Rocky Hill, CT) – The Alzheimer's Association Connecticut Chapter is pleased to present its 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Education Conference **Tuesday March 27, 2012 from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Cromwell, CT.** This annual full day conference is for both professionals and family caregivers. It is designed to share the best practices and interventions for caring for persons with dementia while focusing on the quality of life throughout the continuum of care. The keynote speaker for the conference is Dr. Christopher van Dyck, Professor of Psychiatry (Geropsychiatry) and Neurobiology Director, Alzheimer's Disease Research Unit, Yale University School of Medicine whose presentation is titled; ***New Diagnostic Criteria for Alzheimer's Disease: What is changing?***

For more information and to register for the conference visit the website at [www.alz.org/ct](http://www.alz.org/ct) or call 860-828-2828.

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*The mission of the Alzheimer's Association is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health. The Alzheimer's Association Connecticut Chapter's main office is in Rocky Hill, with regional offices throughout the state in Hamden, New Milford, Norwich, and Norwalk. To learn more contact the Connecticut Chapter at 860-828-2828 or at [www.alz.org/ct](http://www.alz.org/ct)*

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