# The 34<sup>TH</sup> Int. Home Care & Rehabilitation Exhibition H.C.R. 2007

# **Program**

1. DATE & TIME October 3 (Wed) to 5 (Fri), 2007, 10:00am-5:00pm

2. VENUE Tokyo Big Sight, East Exhibition Halls (Tokyo Int. Exhibition Center)

3-21-1, Ariake, Koto-ku, Tokyo 135-0063 Japan

3. ENTRANCE FEE No charge (Some lectures or seminars require an admission fee.)

4. EXHIBITORS 580 companies from 16 countries (approximately 25,000 products will be

exhibited.)

#### 5. INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM (tentative)

Considering issues regarding care systems and systems for persons with physical challenges with experts from overseas.

October 3, 2007: The Current Situation & Issues Concerning Social Firms in Europe

October 4, 2007: The Current Situation, 10 Years After Implementing the Care Insurance in Germany

#### 6. SOCIAL WELFARE SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS (tentative)

With the objective of promoting skills development for social welfare workers, caregivers, etc., various programs will be offered each day of the exhibition. These programs will be held in Japanese.

- ① Programs for users and their families
  - October 3-5: How to select and use home care & rehabilitation equipments including canes, walking aids for the elderly, and lifts that are newly added this year
  - October 5, 2007: How to cook meals for the elderly: delicious, appetizing and simple Japanese and French cuisine
- 2 Programs for specialists
  - October 3, 2007: Effects and possibilities of new therapies utilizing natural power such as animals or plants-towards environmental social welfare study applications
  - October 4, 2007: Prevention of "Nosocominal Infection" in social welfare institutions
- ③ Programs on the management of social welfare institutions
  - October 4, 2007: Challenges of assessments by a third party
  - October 5, 2007 : Concerns of social welfare institutions from the viewpoint of financial statements
- ④ Programs for manufacturers of home care & rehabilitation equipment
  October 5, 2007: Development of home care & rehabilitation equipment and public financing

## 7. SPECIAL EVENTS (tentative)

- ① "Children's Square" for children with disabilities: consultation services on home care & rehabilitation equipment for children, care for children with disabilities, etc. will be provided also.
- ② The latest technology in home care & rehabilitation equipment: from artificial muscles to robots
- \* The above programs may be changed without notice.

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