

## Lee Hammond President AARP Board of Directors

W. Lee Hammond of Salisbury, Maryland became AARP President on May 3, 2010.
He was elected to AARP's Board of Directors in 2002 after serving four years as AARP
Maryland State President. Hammond previously served as Secretary/Treasurer for the
2006-2008 biennium and chaired the Board Audit and Finance Committee in that capacity.
He also chaired the National Nominating Committee, was a member of the Governance
Review Committee and Chaired the Board of AARP Financial, Inc.

"I am honored to continue my service at AARP as President of the Board of Directors" said Hammond. "I have witnessed firsthand the great things that AARP can do for its members and the entire community, and I look forward to continuing to play an active role on the Board of an organization in which I truly believe. I am deeply committed to AARP's mission, and I will continue to further our shared goals in my new position."

Prior to serving as Secretary/Treasurer to the Board, Hammond served as Vice President-Membership and co-chair of the 2006 National Leadership Forum. He also co-chaired the National Leadership Conference Planning Committee in 2004 and 2006.

Hammond is currently on the Maryland Commission on Aging. In addition, he serves on the Board of Directors of the Maryland Rural Health Association and the Wicomico County Board of Education Federal Credit Union, where he chairs the Supervisory Committee. He is a Board member of M.A.C., Inc., a regional Area Agency on Aging. He was previously AARP Maryland State President and served as President of the Maryland Retired Teachers Association. Additionally, Hammond was one of the founding members of the Maryland Intergenerational Coalition and served on the U.S. Attorney's Health Care Fraud Task Force.

Hammond began his 30-year career in education in Wicomico County, Maryland, as a teacher, and then served as a school administrator for 25 years. In retirement, he served as president of the Maryland Retired Teachers Association and as a member of the Maryland Commission on Aging. In recognition of his volunteer service, Hammond received the Governor's Salute to Excellence and was elected to the Maryland Senior Citizens Hall of Fame. Lee and his wife Elaine have two children and two grandchildren.

# Work at 50+ Set the Stage for an Encore Career in Caregiving

October 15, 2010 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Macomb Community College John L. Lewis Center 14500 E. 12 Mile Road Warren, MI











# **WORK at 50+**

## Set the Stage for an Encore Career in Caregiving

## **Day Overview**

Location: Room 301	
8:00-9:00 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast
9:00-9:15 am	Welcome & Introductions, Charlene McPeak, Dean Health and Human Services
9:15-9:45 am	Keynote Speaker, Lee Hammond, President AARP Board of Directors
9:45-10:00 am	Break
10:00-11:30 am	<b>Panel Discussion:</b> Caregiving Careers,Workforce Shortage, the Affordable Care Act's Impact & Training Concerns.
	Moderator: Lee Hammond
	Panel: Hollis Turnham, Paraprofessional Healthcare Institute John King, Long-Term Care Regional Skills Alliance Bernadette Pieczynski, Associate Dean Health and Human Services, Macomb Community College
11:30-11:45 am	Training Opportunities in Direct Care Careers at Macomb Community College, Michelle Valin, Program Coordinator
11:45-12:00 Noon	Open Question & Answer Session
12:00 Noon-1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00-2:15 pm	First Breakout Session Selection
2:15-2:30 pm	Break
2:30-3:45 pm	Second Breakout Session Selection
3:45-4:00 pm	Evaluation and Adjournment

## **Breakout Sessions**

### Return to Learn – Room 316

Review important "Getting Started Steps" and discover the AARP WorkSearch career planning tool. Presented by Macomb Community College

## Health Careers—More than Just Nursing—Session 1, Room 307; Session 2, Room 311 Learn about many of the opportunities available in the healthcare field, as well as the training you will get there! Presented by Macomb Community College.

**Try It! Hands-on Workshop on the Art of Caregiving —Meet in downstairs lobby.** Get an introduction to safe and proper care techniques, and take advantage of the opportunity to practice them yourself! Presented by Macomb Community College.

### We Did It, So Can You! - Room 324

An up close and personal discussion of the rewards and challenges of making the transition to a professional caregiver career from those who have done it! A panel presentation composed of Macomb Community College Eldercare Specialist and Nursing Assistant graduates.

### The Power of Promoting Yourself at 50+ - Room 301

You never get a second chance at making a first impression. Discover how to make your first impression a lasting one in this dynamic, inter-active, and resourceful workshop. Understand the new reality of job hunting, discover the value of an "elevator speech", and learn how to sell your personal brand, as well as how to leverage that brand in your resume and interview. Presented by AARP