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Calendar of Events

The Rio Grande Chapter of CMSA meets monthly on the **THIRD** Thursday of the month. Breakfast Meetings are held at Best Western Rio Grande Inn. The Inn is just off I-40 West-bound and exit at Rio Grande Blvd. going South. The Inn is on the right (west) side of the street. Plenty of parking on the north side of the building. Phone: 843-9500.

Join us for a breakfast buffet starting at 7:30 and the presentation from 7:45 to 8:45 a.m. RSVP to Gloria Martinez-Newton via e-mail: havencare@qwest.net or phone: 275-2275 by NOON Monday prior to the meeting.

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2007 MEETING AGENDA

- Jan 18 Annual Business Meeting and Nominations. Sponsored by United Mobility & Seating.
- Feb 15 Identifying Hospice Eligible Patients by Dr. Gerard Muraida. Sponsored by VistaCare Hospice.
- March 15 Advanced Bionics will be sponsoring this meeting . Topic to be decided.
- April 19 Footprints Home Care will be sponsoring this meeting. The topic will be on Leadership.

MARK THESE DATES!!!!

The 2007 CMSA Rio Grande Chapter Conference will be held on Thursday, October 4 and Friday, October 5, 2007 at the Wyndham Airport Hotel in Albuquerque, NM.

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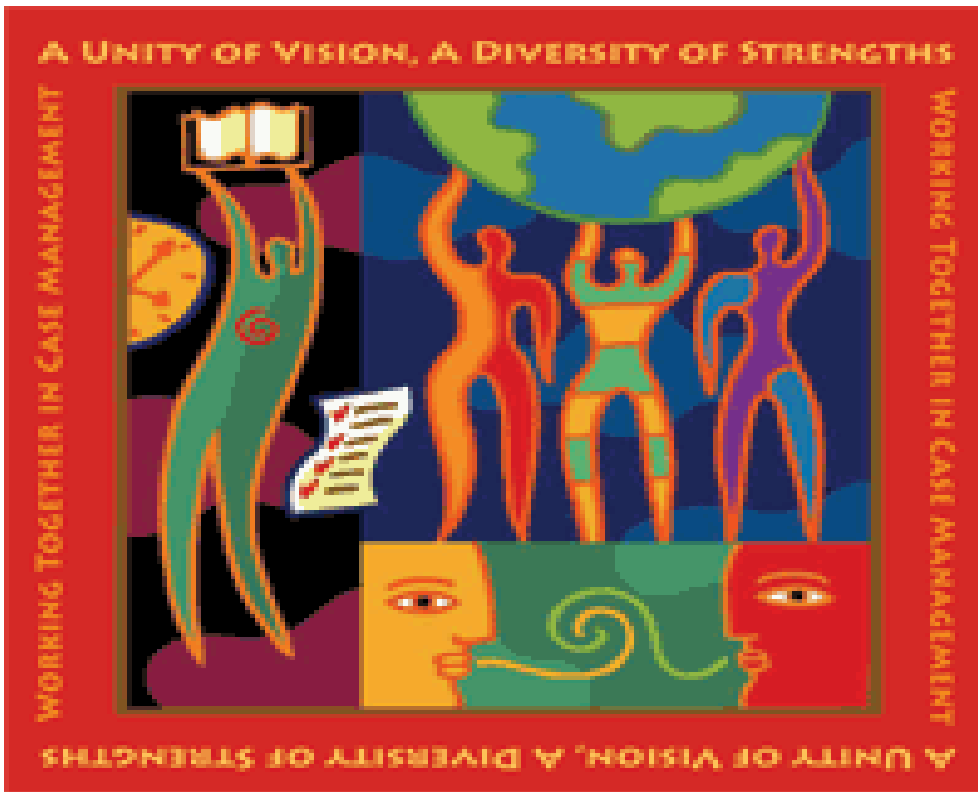
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The Annual Holiday Celebration

Held on Thursday, December 7, 2006 at the Albuquerque Country Club was a great success. The food was delicious and the deserts amazing!!!

The quality and number of articles offered in the Silent Auction was diverse and it was fun to watch and participate in the bidding. The bidding was fast and competitive. We raised almost \$650.00 for three charities.

The Charities were;

All Faiths Receiving Home, a home for children.
The Women's Shelter and the
The Roadrunner Food Bank.

A special thanks to:

The Membership Committee members for organizing this celebration.

Susan Hazeltine who ran the Silent Auction and
All the members and sponsors who donated auction items.

NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS

NEW

Phyllis Gorman

RENEWING

Kathleen Harris
Diane McDonald
Greg Noble
Liz Tennyson
Louise Wells

The Give-N-Get Program



For each article you write for The Link, you will receive a gift. Some ideas:

- A summary of the monthly meeting
- Review of an interesting, educational article
- Changes in case management, rules or trends

Contact Lynette Napier 838-0202 or 363-3361 or lnapier@phs.org) for more information or to reserve your spot in the newsletter, share your knowledge, and receive your prize!



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Would you or your company like to present to our Chapter???? We'd LOVE to have you!

As Case Managers, we are eager to be educated about your products and services. Please remember that to meet our educational needs we do ask that you be able to provide a case management focus.

Contact Carolyn Simon for more information; Carolyn_Simon@bcbsnm.com or 816-2059.

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