

NORTHEAST FUNERAL WOMEN'S COLLABORATIVE



BEYOND THE SEAT AT THE TABLE:
BUILDING CAREERS, INFLUENCE,
AND THE FUTURE OF
FUNERAL SERVICE.



FEATURING OUR SEMINAR LEADERS

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Our interactive program will explore professional relationships, leadership skills, workplace practices and career strategies that will help support funeral service professionals at all career stages build sustainable and meaningful careers.

LEARN

Gain practical knowledge and fresh perspective.

CONNECT

Build meaningful relationships and expand your community.

ADVANCE

Strengthen skills, confidence, and career influence.

GIVE BACK

Invest in the profession and support one another.

More than a gathering – the start of a professional community here in the Northeast.

WHY ATTEND?

- ✓ Women in funeral service deserve more than representation – they deserve meaningful, sustainable, influential careers.
- ✓ Our program examines how women enter, thrive, lead and stay in funeral service.
- ✓ Real career growth depends on relationships, mentorship, sponsorship, advocacy, and opportunity.
- ✓ Together, we will help shape what the Northeast Funeral Women's Collaborative can become.
- ✓ Participants will leave with fresh ideas, practical tools, and meaningful connections.

JOIN US FOR OUR INAUGURAL DINNER MEETING

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14

5:00 PM – 8:30 PM

The Publick House
277 Main Street
Sturbridge, Massachusetts

Be part of a groundbreaking initiative here in the Northeast created to support women in funeral service through learning, connection, advancement, and giving back.



Reach out to us for a discount rate for overnight accommodations.

From student, apprentice, licensee to owner – all belong here!



More information?
Call CFDA @ 860-721-0234 /
MFDA @ 781-335-2031



Or email us at
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1 WHAT IS YOUR FUNERAL ESTABLISHMENT?

Funeral Home:

Street Address:

City/State/Zip:

Phone Number: Email:

2 WHO IS ATTENDING?

The following attendees for this event are:

1.		Email:	Cell:
2.		Email:	Cell:
3.		Email:	Cell:
4.		Email:	Cell:

Additional registrants may be submitted on a separate sheet.

3 TUITION INFORMATION

\$125 per person includes cocktails, dinner, program and 3 CEU's (if applicable)

4 HOW TO REGISTER:

Completed registration forms may be submitted to the
Massachusetts Funeral Directors Association by one of the following methods:

 Fax: 781-335-3245 |  Email: events@massfda.org |  Online: www.massfda.org |  Mail: MFDA, 536 Broad St., #4, Weymouth, MA 02189.

5 Amount Due: Payment Method: ☐ Check payable to MFDA ☐ Credit Card

Card Type: ☐ Discover ☐ Mastercard ☐ Visa

Card #: Exp. Date:

Billing ZIP Code: CVV Code:

Cardholder Name: Signature:

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