Funding options for Schmieding Home Caregiver Training Program

As you may know there have been changes to the funding for our programs. We would like to make you aware of some options that are available for tuition at this time.

<u>Paying Privately</u> is the first option and classes will have to be paid in full prior to first day of class. Discounts may be available please contact us or come by our office

512 South 16th Street Fort Smith, AR 72901 Phone: (479) 424-0053(office) or (479) 478-8819

Sponsorships, through your employer (if available) the same requirements will apply, tuition must be paid in full prior to first day of class.

<u>Arkansas Rural Endowment Fund Loan Program (AREF)</u>, Loan applications must be filled out online and do not have to be paid back until 6 months after course completion.

1306 West Fourth St. Little Rock, AR 72203 501-375-2358 FAX 501-375-8625 aref@aref.org

<u>Western Arkansas Employment Development Agency (WAEDA)</u>, for more information visit http://www.waeda.org/ or you can call or go by their office at:

1500 East Main, Van Buren, AR 72956 Monday-Thursday 8am-5pm 479) 474-7061 <u>Arkansas Rehab Services</u>, Provides assistance to those with physical or mental disabilities for more information please call (479) 452-7131

<u>Transitional Employment Assistance (TEA)</u>, for more information on TEA services please contact your local DHS office or visit http://humanservices.arkansas.gov/dco/Pages/SupportServices.aspx

^{**}A \$50.00 deposit is required to hold your spot in class and seats are limited. Deposits are nonrefundable, but will be applied to the cost of tuition.

^{**} Loans may take up to two weeks to be approved. Loan money must be received prior to first day of class.