The Community of Constituents initiative is a statewide movement of nearly 1,000 organizations, with more than 300 affiliated members, working together to transform the system of care so that all Californians can age with dignity, choice, and independence. This initiative includes the Sacramento-based California Collaborative for Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) and 20 county-level Regional Coalitions. It unifies parts of the LTSS advocacy world that have historically worked separately: aging and disability, rural and urban, health plans and community-based organizations, and consumers and providers. In 2018, the California Collaborative and Regional Coalitions are advocating for an LTSS system that includes integrated care and service delivery, updated reimbursement processes, investments in workforce development and caregiver support, sustainable and stable housing strategies, and attention to the care needs of middle-income Californians. In addition, they are working to identify and engage future LTSS leaders. Together, they serve as a visible, organized, trusted, and consumer-focused voice for LTSS efforts.
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California Collaborative for Long Term Services and Supports

At a Glance

The California Collaborative for Long Term Services and Supports (LTSS) is a coalition of 36 statewide organizations and 15 affiliates who work to advance aging and disability policy for all populations who need long-term services and supports. Member organizations represent people, caregivers, providers, advocates, legal services, labor, and insurers. Collectively, Collaborative organizations act on behalf of millions of California seniors and people with disabilities, their families, and those who provide them with services and supports. Since its formation in 2011, the Collaborative has sponsored hundreds of policy conversations on LTSS issues, has met and collaborated with state and federal officials, and has been a voice at the California Legislature on behalf of LTSS and the populations who use these services. Giving equal importance to issues of aging and disability, the Collaborative serves as a valuable resource where diverse perspectives come together to make recommendations and act on policies that advance person-centered care and support the dignity, independence and well-being of aging and disabled Californians.

Guiding Principles

1. **Dignity**: The services are grounded in respect for the person who uses them and driven by the preferences of that person.
2. **Choice**: Access to all types of services is provided on an equal footing.
3. **Flexibility**: The services are comprehensive and flexible enough to meet changing needs and incorporate new modes of service and supports.
4. **Quality**: Public funding and oversight that values and rewards high-quality care.
5. **Legality**: The services are consistent with the legal rights of individuals who use them.
6. **Cultural Competence**: The services are appropriate and responsive to the needs of underserved populations.
7. **Accessibility**: The services and information about them are easy to locate and use and are physically and programmatically accessible.
8. **Affordability**: The services are cost-effective for the person and the system.
9. **Inclusive**: The system recognizes and supports the crucial role of high-quality paid and unpaid caregivers, including family caregivers, and emphasizes the importance of workforce development and training.
10. **Independence**: The services support maximum independence, full social integration and quality of life.
Aging and Disability Coalition of Lake and Mendocino Counties

At a Glance

In 2013, the Community Care Management Corporation and the Disability Services and Legal Center applied for an Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC) grant. The two agencies make up a coalition, participate in a number of public committees together, meet regularly to seek out opportunities to create an ADRC, and consult with one another. The Aging and Disability Coalition of Lake and Mendocino counties aims to expand membership and advance discussions on issues specific to vulnerable populations in their rural areas. The Coalition is seeking out opportunities to provide information to local advisory councils, tribal councils and the Board of Supervisors on Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS) in their region and at the state level while identifying local champions for LTSS.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services

Counties Served:
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Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Cal MediConnect/ Managed LTSS

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation
Bay Area Senior Health Policy Coalition

At a Glance

Formed in 2009, the Bay Area Senior Health Policy Coalition mission is to inspire, exchange, educate and engage advocates, providers, policymakers, and other stakeholders in their efforts to strengthen the safety net for Bay Area seniors. The Coalition has representation from Alameda, Contra Costa, San Francisco, Santa Clara, and Napa counties. It is working to involve representatives from San Mateo, Marin, Solano, and Sonoma counties. The Coalition sponsors a bi-annual Senior Health Policy Forum. A recent event focused on bridging the aging service gap. The Coalition aims to forge and strengthen relationships across programs and geography, learn from best practices on a regional basis, and find a common voice as providers and advocates.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Managed LTSS

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Counties Served:
- Alameda
- Contra Costa
- Marin
- Napa
- San Francisco
- Santa Clara
- San Mateo
- Solano
- Sonoma

Languages Served:
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Central Valley Long Term Support and Services Coalition

At a Glance

The Central Valley Long Term Support and Services (CVLTSS) Coalition grew out of the expanded efforts of the Elder Abuse Prevention Roundtable (EAPRT). EAPRT started in 1997 with 15 participants. Today the Coalition includes members from protective agencies, social services agencies, law enforcement, legal services, senior service providers, private attorneys, and advocates. The mission is to promote greater understanding of the long-term social service and support needs of older and dependent adults and to advocate for the development of public policies to most effectively target this population through service development and coordination. CVLTSS works in partnership with EAPRT, as well as additional organizations to inform and encourage providers and consumers to have a voice in statewide policy discussions. In 2018, CVLTSS plans to host a public, town hall-style event aiming to raise awareness of long-term services and supports barriers; solicit feedback; and discuss solutions.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Housing
- Home- and Community-Based Services

Counties Served:
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- Kings
- Madera
- Tulare

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At a Glance

Formed in 2011, the Community Living Implementation Council (CLIC) advocates for consumer-friendly access to long-term services and supports (LTSS), as well as increased agency collaboration. CLIC consists of 21 member organizations that provide services and programs to individuals with disabilities, older adults, caregivers, and family members. The vision is that all older adults and persons with disabilities live independent, fulfilling, and healthy lives. The Council’s focus is to provide easy access to a broad array of services, a continuum of help in accessing services and advocacy for individuals desiring LTSS and more information.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- HIV & Aging
- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Transportation
- Nutrition

Counts Served:
- Nevada
- Sierra
- Sutter
- Yuba

Languages Served:
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Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS
- Health Homes
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Housing
- Transportation

County Served:
- Contra Costa

Languages Served:
- English
- Farsi
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At a Glance

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Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Home- and Community-Based Services

Counties Served:
- Butte
- Colusa
- Glenn
- Lassen
- Modoc
- Plumas
- Shasta
- Siskiyou
- Tehama
- Trinity

Languages Served:
- English
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Kern County LTSS Coalition

At a Glance

The Kern County LTSS Coalition began discussions in 2011 on the impact of legislation on their organizations and populations served. Today, the Coalition links the expertise of service providers, community-based organizations, public officials, and consumers to implement strategies to improve long-term services and supports (LTSS). The Coalition aims to develop and implement action plans related to supporting seniors and people with disabilities, as well as be an LTSS resource to local policymakers. Its mission is to promote empowerment and advocacy of well-being for seniors and people with disabilities through education, collaboration, and advocacy. The Coalition’s aim is to serve as a conduit to Kern County to elevate local and state LTSS opportunities to support its community of seniors and people with disabilities to experience a high quality of life in Kern County. In 2018, the Kern County LTSS Coalition plans to host an event emphasizing LTSS awareness.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services

Local Programs
- Housing
- Transportation

County Served:
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Inland Empire Long-Term Services and Supports Coalition

At a Glance

Formed in 2008, the Inland Empire Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS) Coalition brings together the expertise of critical pathway providers, community-based organizations, public officials, and consumers to implement strategies that improve LTSS. The Coalition’s mission is to facilitate systems change across networks, programs, databases, and funding. This will improve efficiency in service referrals and leverage staff, materials, and service resources. The primary focus for 2018 is to identify local legislative candidates running for an office to help educate and build LTSS champions. The Inland Empire LTSS Coalition will focus on participating in statewide webinars and attend an Advocacy Day training in the state capital. In addition, the Coalition will focus on conducting two forums, each with local community decision-makers.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- 1115 Waiver/Whole Person Care Pilots
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Counties Served:
- Riverside
- San Bernardino

Languages Served:
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The Los Angeles Aging Advocacy Coalition (LAAAC) was established in December 2009. Its mission is to preserve, protect, and strengthen access to quality care for older persons, their families, and caregivers in Los Angeles County. LAAAC’s 45 member organizations aim to strategically inform, educate, and engage elected and appointed officials, as well as other key stakeholders regarding the issues impacting the aging community in Los Angeles. Additionally, LAAAC offers educational opportunities for members and the community while also providing a forum to promote professional networking. LAAAC will host the Summit on Aging Policy: From Defense to Offense in summer 2018. The Summit’s goal is to illustrate to LAAAC’s farm team how different sectors can be partners in advancing policy that support older adults.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS

Local Programs
- Housing
- Transportation

County Served:
- Los Angeles County

Languages Served:
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- English
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Monterey Bay Aging and Disability Resource Center Coalition

At a Glance

Formed in 2011, the Monterey Bay Aging and Disability Resource Center Coalition is a partnership of organizations that serve as the primary points of entry into the long-term services and supports (LTSS) provider network. The Coalition’s mission is to create a network that smoothly integrates services from organizations to maximize ease of access for the individual or family seeking support. Their policy priority is to elevate the conversation about the challenges facing local seniors and people with disabilities, and have local elected officials make those they serve a priority in their current strategies. In 2017, the Coalition held two successful events focused on homelessness and LTSS systems. In summer 2018, the Coalition plans to host a State Assembly Candidate forum focusing on issues impacting older adults and people with disabilities.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS
- Funding for Core Services
- Homelessness Prevention
- Political Awareness

Local Programs
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Counties Served:
- Monterey
- San Benito
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Orange County Aging Services Collaborative

At a Glance

Formed in 2009, the Orange County Aging Services Collaborative (OCASC) provides a network of services and support to older adults and their family caregivers so that they may experience a high quality of life in Orange County. OCASC promotes the importance of a person-centered, integrated system of services and supports that enables older adults to live more functional lives. OCASC members include nearly every nonprofit and governmental provider serving seniors in Orange County, acting as one coordinated voice to advocate on behalf of the county’s elderly population. As more individuals desire to age in place, OCASC focuses on strengthening relationships with local elected officials to educate, empower, and build local champions to advocate on behalf of older adults and long-term services and supports (LTSS). The Collaborative produces annual policy statements, organizes an annual Leadership Forum on Aging, and conducts district visits to educate key stakeholders on the needs of seniors in Orange County. The Orange County Healthy Aging Initiative (OCHAI), a committee of OCASC, created the Older Adult Dashboard that has over 70 health, social, and economic indicators for Orange County’s older adults.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
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- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

County Served:
- Orange

Languages Served:
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# Placer County Aging and Disability Resource Coalition

## At a Glance

The Placer County Aging and Disability Resource Coalition began in late 2013 when the Placer County Older Adult Advisory Commission began discussing the advantages of developing an Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC). In early 2015, two key partners – the Area 4 Agency on Aging and the Independent Living Center – finalized development and implementation of the Placer County ADRC to meet the needs of older adults and people with disabilities. The primary focus of the Coalition is to advance the ADRC model in Placer County.

## Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

### System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Person-Centered Care

## County Served:
- Placer

## Language Served:
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San Francisco Long Term Care Coordinating Council

At a Glance

The San Francisco Long Term Care Coordinating Council (LTCCC) was created in 2004 to provide policy guidance to the mayor’s office. The Council’s mission is to advise, implement, and monitor community-based, long-term care planning; and to improve the coordination of home, community-based, and institutional services for older adults and people with disabilities. LTCCC has 40 members, representing consumers, advocates, and service providers. Additional representation includes city and county departments: Aging and Adult Services, Public Health, Mayor’s Office on Disability and Housing, San Francisco Housing Authority, and the Municipal Transit Authority. LTCCC focuses on how service delivery systems interact to serve people and recommends ways to improve coordination and system interaction. In 2018, LTCCC and the Dignity Fund Coalition will produce a candidate town hall event for the mayoral candidates of the summer mayoral election.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Palliative Care
- Whole Person Care Pilots

Local Programs
- HIV & Aging
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Areas Served:
- San Francisco City and County

Languages Served:
- Cantonese
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Formed in 1992, the San Mateo County New Beginning Coalition (NBC) serves as a unique channel to engage older adults, people with disabilities, caregivers, and service providers in San Mateo County. The NBC is committed to enhancing the quality of life for older adults and people with disabilities through the development and implementation of countywide services. The Coalition holds quarterly meetings; more than 40 members focus on promoting independence through holistic and community-based approaches to health care, well-being, and safety. Additionally, the NBC supports: 1) options for increased mobility; 2) advocating for affordable and accessible housing options; 3) promoting community-based services that support independence, socialization, and safety for older adults, people with disabilities, and their caregivers; and 4) efforts for San Mateo County to be an age-friendly community.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Cal MediConnect/Managed LTSS

Local Programs
- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Transportation

County Served:
- San Mateo

Languages Served:
- Cantonese
- English
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At a Glance

The Adult & Aging Network (AAN) began in 2011 with the aim to advocate for individuals with mental health disabilities in Santa Barbara, Ventura, and San Luis Obispo counties. In 2015, the Coalition’s mission shifted to improve countywide planning and coordination of services for older adults and adults with disabilities. Currently, AAN is also focused on improving access to basic services and advocating for policies that are supportive of older adults and individuals with disabilities. Additionally, AAN aims to promote collaboration and best practices among its members while pursuing opportunities to support healthy aging initiatives across the region.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Managed LTSS
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Counties Served:
- San Luis Obispo
- Santa Barbara
- Ventura

Languages Served:
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Senior Coalition of Stanislaus County

At a Glance

Formed in 2007, the Senior Coalition of Stanislaus County (SCSC) was originally established to increase awareness of fall prevention activities, improve coordination and collaboration of agencies serving older adults, and participate in activities to strengthen and sustain the Coalition. In 2012, the SCSC reframed the mission to enhance the physical, mental, and social well-being of older adults and persons with disabilities while increasing awareness of fall risk. Today with 34 member agencies, the focus of SCSC is to improve the delivery of long-term services and supports (LTSS). Additionally, SCSC is focused on building support for family caregivers, forming relationships with underrepresented communities, and sustaining fall prevention goals and activities through advocacy, education, and services.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Managed LTSS
- Person-Centered Care

County Served:
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Language Served:
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Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- 1115 Waiver/ Whole Person Care Pilots/ Health Homes
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Managed LTSS

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Nutrition
- Transportation

Senior Services Coalition of Alameda County

County Served:
- Alameda

Languages Served:
- Cantonese
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Key Policy & Communication Focus Area

System Transformation
- 1115 Waiver/Whole Person Care Pilots/Health Homes
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Managed LTSS
- Person-Centered Care

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Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance

At a Glance

Formed in 2010, the Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance (YHAA) was organized after a community-based summit identified gaps in service in Yolo County. YHAA’s mission is to enhance the well-being of Yolo County older adults through education, collaboration, and advocacy. It includes 80 member organizations, half of which provide services to older adults and people with disabilities. All four local health care groups and Partnership Health plan are YHAA members. YHAA focuses on promoting and advocating for the well-being of the aging community and their caregivers. Other aims are to increase collaboration between service providers and educate the public about issues confronting older adult and disabled populations.

Key Policy & Communication Focus Areas

System Transformation
- Age & Disability Friendly Cities
- Aging and Disability Resource Connections
- Building Bridges – Aging and Disability
- Building Bridges – Health Care and Social Services
- Managed LTSS
- Person-Centered Care

Local Programs
- Behavioral and Mental Health
- Home- and Community-Based Services
- Housing
- Transportation

County Served:
- Yolo

Languages Served:
- English
- Spanish
- Russian

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