

# The Disability and Aging Collaborative &



May 20, 2025

The Honorable Mike Johnson  
Speaker  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Hakeem Jeffries  
Minority Leader  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Speaker Johnson, Leader Jeffries, and Members of the House of Representatives:

The undersigned 730 organizations who are members of the Disability and Aging Collaborative (DAC), the Health and Long Term Services and Supports Task Forces of the Consortium for Constituents with Disabilities (CCD), and allied organizations write with grave concern about the “One Big Beautiful Bill Act” because of the harmful cuts and changes to Medicaid and the Affordable Care Act (ACA) that will result in at least [13.7 million people having their coverage taken away](#), including millions of people with disabilities and older adults. We urge you to vote no.

As we wrote previously on [May 12th](#) and [April 28th, 2025](#), the Medicaid provisions proposed and included in the budget reconciliation legislation are dangerous and life-threatening. These provisions, which [CBO estimates would terminate Medicaid and CHIP coverage from at least 10 million people](#), include:

- Mandating draconian work requirements that take health care away from almost 5 million people, many of whom are people with disabilities, older adults, and caregivers.
- Freezing provider taxes and state directed payments so that states will have little flexibility to finance their programs to meet unexpected needs, which will lead to cuts in home- and community-based services (HCBS) and other services states have the option to provide.
- Stopping the Eligibility & Enrollment rules that reduce barriers to coverage and care for people with disabilities, older adults, and children who are already eligible for Medicaid. This rollback would make Medicaid less efficient, [make Medicare unaffordable for nearly](#)

[1.4 million seniors and people with disabilities](#) who are dually eligible for both programs, [terminate coverage for 400,000 children](#), and reverse progress to diminish Medicaid's institutional bias by helping people with predictable HCBS monthly costs to avoid gaps in coverage.

- Shortening the retroactive coverage period, which threatens financial disaster for people who experience a sudden health crisis and who need long-term care.
- Reducing and freezing the home equity limit, which disproportionately harms cash-poor seniors on fixed incomes who have accumulated equity in their homes over many years.
- Effectively eliminating the nursing home minimum staffing rule, which disregards decades of research showing that higher staffing levels reduce injuries for staff and residents, improve care, and would save [13,000 lives annually](#).
- Mandating cost-sharing on Medicaid enrollees with very low incomes, which acts as a barrier to care.
- Implementing onerous eligibility checks that will interrupt the continuity of care for enrollees while ballooning administrative costs and uncompensated care for the uninsured.
- Penalizing states for using state-only funds to cover undocumented immigrants, which would increase uncompensated care in emergency rooms and drive up costs for everyone.

[Our April 28 letter](#) signed by 111 national organizations and over 325 state and local organizations along with our [Answers to FAQs](#) explain that we oppose any cuts and harmful changes to Medicaid. Our concerns with these policies have grown as we consider their combined impact on adults, infants, children and students with disabilities, older adults, caregivers and their families. As we've repeatedly emphasized, there is no way to carve out people with disabilities and older adults from the harm of these cuts.

In particular, we are concerned with the **mandatory work requirements**, which are more severe than previous federal proposals and are [designed to terminate health care](#) for [almost 5 million](#) people. The number of people who will become uninsured will be even higher if states are required to implement work requirements sooner than 2029 (as was originally proposed in the Energy and Commerce draft text) because states are not equipped to take on this burdensome task, especially when facing reduced federal funding. Rushing this process will only widen the cracks people will fall through.

Despite claims to the contrary, **many of those individuals who will have their coverage taken away will be people with disabilities, older adults between the ages of 50 and 65, and low-wage workers who provide services for people with disabilities**. Forcing older adults to comply with a work requirement up to age 65 puts them at risk of developing long-term health

complications, not only jeopardizing their health but also increasing costs on Medicare. Qualifying for Medicaid with a disability is a strict and narrow pathway that excludes many people with disabilities. As a result, millions of people with disabilities can only qualify through the expansion. Direct care workers and caregivers for people with disabilities are frequently covered by Medicaid Expansion. States have no way to automatically or easily identify these populations even if they wanted to exempt them. When similar exemptions were provided in Georgia, [only 7,000 individuals \(or 2%\) of a potential pool of 345,000 eligible were able to receive coverage after 20 months](#). In Arkansas, an estimated [95% of people targeted](#) by work requirements were working or should have met an exemption, and yet [just under a quarter](#) of targeted low-income people lost coverage in just seven months. That means most of the people who lost coverage were working or should have been exempt. In many ways, this new policy is even worse.

Sudden life events, emergencies, and personal tragedies like a miscarriage that prevent individuals from meeting the work requirement will also result in coverage being terminated. Many low wage workers are at risk of having their coverage taken away, as we saw with Luke Seaborn of Georgia, a former supporter of the Pathways program who has since [had his coverage taken away twice](#) when the state changed the reporting process without notifying him. Work requirements will also [impact direct care workers](#), who often have unstable scheduling or work part-time—job features that are incompatible with work requirements. Taking coverage away from these workers will further exacerbate workforce shortages and hamper access to community-based services for people with disabilities.

Finally, exemptions themselves are barriers that will disrupt and prevent coverage. Processes to prove eligibility are often inaccessible for people with mobility and intellectual disabilities due to requirements for signed physical paperwork from far-away offices or the lack of plain language resources on applying. People with disabilities can get caught in a catch-22 where they need health coverage in order to get the paperwork to show they are disabled, but cannot access health coverage without an exemption. People with chronic illness, substance use disorders, or mental health disabilities will be in need of services while they wait for their exemption to be approved and are at increased risk of their condition worsening and homelessness where they will be lost to the system or die.

**Limits on provider and insurer taxes and any other funding also present a critical threat to Medicaid coverage and access to care for older adults and people with disabilities.** When the federal share of Medicaid funding is reduced, states are forced to cut services, including reducing hours of services, limiting eligibility, reducing provider rates, or making up the difference by taking funding from other critical areas. States must continue offering mandatory services, meaning they will look to cut optional services in the face of a budget shortfall. The

vast [majority of Medicaid spending on optional services \(86%\) are services that support people with disabilities and older adults](#). In particular, **HCBS are optional services and comprise over half of all optional state Medicaid spending**. Between 2010 and 2012, in response to a reduction in federal Medicaid funding following the Great Recession, [every state and DC cut spending to one or more HCBS programs](#). Service reductions and the reduced number of people enrolled [greatly increased the waiting lists for the HCBS programs](#).

Without Medicaid, people with disabilities and older adults who need care to remain in their homes and communities have nowhere else to turn. Without access to critical benefits like HCBS, individuals are more likely to end up in costly institutional settings, experience preventable hospitalizations, and face a decline in overall health and well-being.

## **Conclusion**

We have heard from some members of Congress that the purpose of this bill is to protect Medicaid for the “most vulnerable populations,” but it does no such thing. This bill would take coverage away from millions of people with disabilities, older adults, pregnant women, and children by making it as difficult as possible to access the healthcare they are eligible to receive. If Congress wants to protect Medicaid for people with disabilities and older adults, they should reject this bill. There is no justification for enacting any of these cuts to Medicaid and taking away healthcare.

If you have any questions, contact Natalie Kean ([nkean@justiceinaging.org](mailto:nkean@justiceinaging.org)) and Tory Cross ([tory@caringacross.org](mailto:tory@caringacross.org)).

Sincerely,

## **160 National Organizations**

Access Ready Inc  
ADAPT National  
AFT: Education, Healthcare, Public Services  
Aging Life Care Association  
Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing  
American Academy of Nursing  
American Association of People with Disabilities  
American Association on Health and Disability  
American Civil Liberties Union  
American Humanist Association  
American Music Therapy Association

American Network of Community Options and Resources (ANCOR)  
American Spinal Injury Association  
American Therapeutic Recreation Association  
Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum (APIAHF)  
Association of Assistive Technology Act Programs  
Association of People Supporting Employment First (APSE)  
Association of Programs for Rural Independent Living  
Association of University Centers on Disabilities  
Autism Society of America  
Autistic People of Color Fund  
Autistic Self Advocacy Network  
Autistic Women & Nonbinary Network  
Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law  
Caregivers for Compromise  
Caring Across Generations  
Center for Economic and Policy Research  
Center for Medicare Advocacy  
Center for Public Representation  
Child Neurology Foundation  
Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation  
Clearinghouse on Women's Issues  
Clinician Task Force  
Coalition for Hemophilia B  
Common Cause  
CommunicationFIRST  
Community Catalyst  
Community Change Action  
Council of State Administrators of Vocational Rehabilitation (CSAVR)  
Designing Accessible Communities  
Disability Belongs  
Disability Research Center  
Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund (DREDF)  
Diverse Elders Coalition  
DQIA: Disabled Queers in Action!  
Elder Justice Coalition  
Epilepsy Foundation of America  
Esperanza United  
Families USA

Family Caregiver Alliance, National Center on Caregiving  
Feminist Majority Foundation  
Freedom Writers Collaborative  
Futures Without Violence  
Generations United  
Gerontological Society of America  
Grantmakers In Aging  
Gus Gear, Inc.  
Hand in Hand: The Domestic Employers Network  
Health Care for America Now (HCAN)  
Huntington's Disease Society of America  
Hydrocephalus Association  
I Love You, Lead On Community  
Institute For Exceptional Care  
Institute for Women's Policy Research  
International Christian Concern for Development  
International Registry of Rehab Technology Suppliers  
Japanese American Citizens League  
Justice in Aging  
KIDS V CANCER  
Lakeshore Foundation  
League of Women Voters of the United States  
Legal Action Center  
Little Lobbyists  
MEAction  
Medicare Rights Center  
MomsRising  
Muscular Dystrophy Association  
NAACP  
National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (NAELA)  
National Adult Day Services Association (NADSA)  
National Adult Protective Services Association  
National Alliance for Caregiving  
National Alliance for Direct Support Professionals (NADSP)  
National Asian American Pacific Islander Mental Health Association (NAAPIMHA)  
National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities  
National Association of Local Long Term Care Ombudsman (NALLTCO)  
National Association of Long-Term Care Ombudsman Programs

National Association of Nutrition and Aging Services Programs  
National Association of Social Workers (NASW)  
National Association of Statewide Independent Living Councils  
National Center for Dignity in Healthcare and Community Living for People with Disabilities  
National Center for Law and Economic Justice  
National Center for Pediatric Palliative Care Homes  
National Consumer Law Center, on behalf of our low-income clients  
National Consumer Voice for Quality Long-Term Care  
National Council of Jewish Women  
National Council on Independent Living  
National Diaper Bank Network  
National Disability Institute  
National Disability Rights Network (NDRN)  
National Down Syndrome Congress  
National Employment Law Project (NELP)  
National Health Council  
National Health Law Program  
National Mental Health Consumers' Self-Help Clearinghouse  
National Multiple Sclerosis Society  
National Organization on Disability (NOD)  
National Partnership for Women & Families  
National PLACE  
National PLAN Alliance (NPA)  
National Respite Coalition  
NBJC  
NETWORK Lobby for Catholic Social Justice  
Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies  
Network of Occupational Therapy Practitioners with Disabilities & Supporters (NOTPD)  
New Disabled South  
OT Leaders and Legacies Society  
PHI  
Popular Democracy In Action  
Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medical Association  
Prevent Blindness  
Protect Our Care  
Public Advocacy for Kids (PAK)  
Reframe Health and Justice  
Rehabilitation Engineering & Assistive Technology Society of North America (RESNA)

SAGE  
Service Employees International Union (SEIU)  
SiX Action  
Society of the flora, fauna & friend  
Southeast Asia Resource Action Center (SEARAC)  
SPAN Parent Advocacy Network (SPAN)  
Special Needs Alliance  
Supermajority Education Fund  
TASH  
TDIforAccess  
The Advocacy Institute  
The AIDS Institute  
The Arc of the United States  
The Carefullist  
The Coelho Center for Disability Law, Policy, and Innovation  
The Kelsey  
The Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights  
The National Alliance to End Homelessness  
The Partnership for Inclusive Disaster Strategies  
The Self-Direction Center  
Touch the Future Inc  
Triage Cancer  
United Church of Christ  
United Spinal Association  
US Gender and Disability Justice Alliance  
USAging  
Village to Village Network  
Voices of Health Care Action  
VOR - A Voice Of Reason  
Well Spouse Association  
Wilson Clinical Services, PLLC.  
Working Families Party  
World Institute on Disability  
Young Center for Immigrant Children's Rights  
YWCA USA



## **550+ State & Local Organizations**

### **Alabama**

Accessible Alabama  
Alabama Disabilities Advocacy Program  
Alabama Lifespan Respite  
Epilepsy Foundation Alabama  
Joy Bells Alzheimers and Dementia Ministries  
Mephibosheth LLC  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
New Disabled South  
Thrive Alabama

### **Alaska**

Alaska Association on Developmental Disabilities  
Alaska Christian Conference  
Alaska Governor's Council on Disabilities and Special Education  
Disability Law Center of Alaska  
Epilepsy Foundation Alaska  
Hope Community Resources

### **Arizona**

Ability360  
Arizona ADAPT  
Arizona Association of Providers for People with Disabilities  
Arizona Center for Law in the Public Interest  
Arizona Developmental Disabilities Planning Council  
Arizona Statewide Independent Living Council  
Assist To Independence  
Autism Society of Greater Phoenix  
Autism Society of Southern Arizona  
Care 4 the Caregivers  
Direct Advocacy & Resource Center  
Disability Advocacy and Policy Alliance  
Disability Rights Arizona  
Encircle Families (formerly Raising Special Kids)  
Epilepsy Foundation Arizona

Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
New Horizons Disability Empowerment Center  
PLAN of Arizona  
William E. Morris Institute for Justice

### **Arkansas**

Area Agency on Aging of Western Arkansas  
Arkansas Independent Living Council  
Disability Rights Arkansas  
Epilepsy Foundation Arkansas  
ILRC Inc.  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
New Disabled South  
Southeast Arkansas Independent Living Services  
Spa Area Independent Living Services  
Sources for Community Independent Living

### **California**

Agency on Aging Area 4  
Aging Services Collaborative of Santa Clara County  
Alameda County Advisory Commission on Aging  
Archstone Foundation  
Autism Society Inland Empire  
Autism Society of Los Angeles  
Autism Society San Diego  
Autism Society San Francisco/Bay Area  
Autism Society Ventura County  
Bet Tzedek Legal Services  
CA Coalition on Family Caregiving  
CA IHSS Consumer Alliance  
California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform  
California Alliance for Retired Americans  
California Association of Public Authorities for IHSS  
California Community Living Network  
California Elder Justice Coalition  
California Foundation for Independent Living Centers

California Health Advocates  
California Long-Term Care Ombudsman Association (CLTCOA)  
Californians for Disability Rights Inc  
Caring Across Communities, Inc.  
Cardea Health  
Center for Caregiver Advancement  
Center for Independence of Individuals With Disabilities (CID)  
Choice in Aging  
Courage California  
Disability Community Resource Center  
Disabled Resources Center, Inc.  
Disability Rights California  
Eden Area Village  
Epilepsy Foundation Greater Orange County  
Epilepsy Foundation Los Angeles  
Epilepsy Foundation of Northern California  
Epilepsy Foundation of San Diego County  
Family Voices of California  
FREED Center for Independent Living  
Greenwood Law Corp.  
Health Projects Center  
Home Health Care Management Inc  
Homeless Action Center  
Human Services Association  
Independent Living Resources Solano & Contra Costa Counties  
Jewish Family Service LA  
JLA Trust  
Legal Assistance for Seniors  
Marin Center for Independent Living  
MSSP Site Association  
Nevada County Association for the Developmentally Disabled  
Ombudsman Services of San Mateo County  
PathPoint  
Personal Assistance Services Council

Phatt Chance Community Services Inc  
Placer Independent Resource Services  
Plumas Rural Services  
PRC  
Resources for Independence Central Valley  
Rolling Start, Inc. Center for Independent Living  
Sacramento County  
San Diegans for Healthcare Coverage  
San Francisco Senior and Disability Action  
SAVS (Sonoma Applied Villages Services)  
Senior and Disability Action  
Senior Services Coalition of Alameda County  
Silicon Valley Independent Living Center  
Sonoma County Homeless Action!  
Sourcewise  
Special Needs Trust Foundation  
St. Barnabas Senior Services  
Support for Families of Children with Disabilities  
The Arlene Francis Foundation  
The Children's Partnership  
The Public Interest Law Project  
UDW/AFSCME Local 3930  
Western Center on Law and Poverty

## **Colorado**

Advocates for Compassionate Therapy Now  
Atlantis Community, Inc  
Autism Society Boulder County  
Autism Society of Colorado  
Center for People With Disabilities  
Colorado Center for Aging Board Members  
Colorado Center on Law and Policy  
Colorado Coalition for the Homeless  
Colorado Consumer Health Initiative  
Colorado Cross-Disability Coalition

Colorado Developmental Disabilities Council  
Colorado Primary Care Clinic  
Colorado Respite Coalition  
Colorado Safety Net Collaborative  
Cystic Fibrosis United  
Doctors Care  
Epilepsy Foundation of CO & WY  
Front Range Pediatric Therapies  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
PEAK Parent Center  
Show and Tell  
The Arc - Jefferson, Clear Creek & Gilpin Counties  
The Arc of Pueblo Colorado  
The Arc Pikes Peak Region  
The Independence Center

#### **Connecticut**

Aspire Living & Learning  
Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.  
Disabilities Network of Eastern CT, Inc.  
Disability Rights Connecticut  
Epilepsy Foundation of CT  
Greater Hartford Legal Aid  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
New Haven Legal Assistance Association Inc.  
PLAN of CT Inc  
Proud Parents: Leadership & Encouragement for ALL Parents

#### **Delaware**

Community Legal Aid Society (Delaware)  
Delaware Developmental Disabilities Council  
Epilepsy Foundation of Delaware  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
Parent Information Center of Delaware  
Weston Adult Day Care

**District of Columbia**

Autism Society of the District of Columbia  
Bread for the City  
Cabin Creek Health Systems  
DMV Sr and Disability Community Group  
Epilepsy Foundation Metro D.C.  
Home Care Partners  
Legal Aid DC  
Shared Horizons, Inc.  
The Quality Trust for Individuals with Disabilities

**Florida**

Compass LGBTQ Community Center  
Disability Rights Florida  
Epilepsy Foundation Florida  
FL National Organization for Women (FL NOW)  
Florida Alliance for Retired Americans  
Florida Health Justice Project  
Florida Policy Institute  
Greater Orlando National Organization for Women (Greater Orlando NOW)  
National Organization for Women, Palm Beach County  
New Disabled South  
Parent to Parent of Miami  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC  
The Senior Care Connector Inc

**Georgia**

disABILITY LINK  
Georgia ADAPT NDN  
Georgia Estate & Elder Law, LLC  
Georgia Values Action  
Hutchinson Health and Wellness Services  
Inspire Positivity Inc  
New Disabled South  
Parent to Parent of Georgia

**Hawaii**

Aloha Independent Living Hawaii  
Epilepsy Foundation of Hawaii  
Hawaii Families As Allies  
Hawaii Family Caregiver Coalition  
Lanakila Pacific  
Responsive Caregivers of Hawaii

**Idaho**

Disability Rights Idaho  
Idaho Anti-Trafficking Coalition  
Idaho Council on Developmental Disabilities  
Idaho State Independent Living Council  
Living Independence Network Corporation

**Illinois**

Access Living  
Added Chance  
Allendale Association  
Alternatives (for the Older Adult, Inc.)  
Arrowleaf  
Association House of Chicago  
Autism Society of Southern Illinois  
Caritas Family Solutions  
Citizen Action/Illinois  
Disability Resource Center, Joliet, IL  
Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Chicago  
Family Focus  
Going Home Coalition - The Arc of Illinois  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Haven Youth and Family Services  
Health & Medicine Policy Research Group  
Human Resources Development Inst.  
Illinois Accountability Initiative  
Illinois Caregiver for Compromise  
Illinois Collaboration on Youth

Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities  
Illinois National Organization for Women  
Illinois Respite Coalition  
IMPACT CIL  
Institute on Disability and Human Development University of Illinois Chicago  
kaleidoscope  
Kids Above All  
Kmetko and Associates, Ltd.  
Lakeside Community Committee  
Lawrence Hall  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
Molina  
New Moms  
Of Color Inc  
REV UP Illinois - The Arc of Illinois  
Senior Services Associates, Inc.  
Springfield Center for Independent Living  
The Arc of Illinois  
The BRIDGE youth and family services  
The Center for Youth and Family Solutions  
The People's Lobby  
The Statewide Independent Living Council of Illinois  
UCP Seguin  
Will County NOW  
Women Employed

**Indiana**

Autism Society of Indiana  
Epilepsy Foundation Indiana  
Epilepsy Foundation of Kentuckiana  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Indiana Disability Rights  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic



**Iowa**

Arcare, Inc.  
Autism Society of Iowa  
Central Iowa Center for Independent Living  
Disabilities Resource Center  
Disability Rights Iowa  
Epilepsy Foundation Iowa  
Iowa Developmental Disabilities Council  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic

**Kansas**

Arcare, Inc.  
Epilepsy Foundation of Missouri and Kansas  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
Senior Services of Wichita

**Kentucky**

Autism Society of Kentuckiana  
Epilepsy Foundation of Kentuckiana  
Independence Alliance  
Kentucky Protection and Advocacy  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
New Disabled South

**Louisiana**

Autism Society of Acadiana  
Autism Society of Greater New Orleans  
Autism Society-Greater Baton Rouge, Inc.  
Autism Society Louisiana State Chapter, Inc.  
Community Provider Association of Louisiana  
Epilepsy Foundation Louisiana  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
New Disabled South

**Maine**

Disability Rights Maine  
Epilepsy Foundation New England  
Maine AllCare

Maine Parent Federation  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic

## **Maryland**

Aspire Living & Learning  
Accessible Resources for Independence, Inc.  
Autism Society of Baltimore-Chesapeake  
Autism Society of Maryland  
Bay Area Center for Independent Living, Inc.  
Community Development Network of Maryland  
Epilepsy Foundation Maryland  
Home Care Partners  
Maryland Developmental Disabilities Council  
Maryland NOW  
Maryland Statewide Independent Living Council  
Montgomery County Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health, Inc.  
Public Justice Center  
Shared Horizons, Inc.  
SMCIL  
Special Education Equal Development Society, Inc.  
The Arc Baltimore  
The Arc Maryland  
The Arc Montgomery County  
The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region  
The Arc of Frederick County, Inc.  
The Arc of Howard County  
The Arc Prince George's County  
The Arc Southern Maryland  
The Freedom Center  
The IMAGE Center of Maryland  
The Maryland Statewide Independent Living Council (Maryland SILC)  
The Parents' Place of MD  
Trans Maryland

**Massachusetts**

Aspire Living & Learning  
Autism Society of Massachusetts  
Boston Center for Independent Living  
Center for Living & Working, Inc  
Disability Policy Consortium  
Epilepsy Foundation New England  
Federation for Children with Special Needs  
Health Law Advocates  
MetroWest Center for Independent Living  
Parent/Professional Advocacy League, Inc.  
Somerville-Cambridge Elder Services  
Tri-Valley, Inc.

**Michigan**

ASK Family Services  
Autism Alliance of Michigan  
Autism Society of Greater Detroit  
Center for Civil Justice  
David's House Ministries  
Detroit Disability Power  
Disability Network Mid-Michigan  
Disability Rights Michigan  
Epilepsy Foundation of Michigan  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Mental Health Association in Michigan  
Michigan Alliance for Special Education  
Michigan Developmental Disabilities Council  
Michigan Developmental Disabilities Institute  
Michigan Elder Justice Initiative  
Michigan Statewide Independent Living Corporation  
MOKA Corporation  
Southeast Michigan Senior Regional Collaborative  
The Arc Michigan  
The Arc of Macomb County, Inc.

Thresholds, Inc.

## **Minnesota**

Autism Society of Minnesota  
Epilepsy Foundation of Minnesota  
Family Voices of Minnesota  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Institute on Community Integration, University of Minnesota  
Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid - Minnesota Disability Law Center  
Reach for Resources  
Upstream Arts

## **Mississippi**

Disability Rights Mississippi  
Epilepsy Foundation of Mississippi  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
Mississippi Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities  
New Disabled South

## **Missouri**

Arcare, Inc.  
Epilepsy Foundation of Missouri and Kansas  
Independent Living Center of SEMO  
Rural Advocates for Independent Living, Inc.

## **Montana**

ADAPT Montana  
Disability Rights Montana  
Epilepsy Foundation Montana  
Montana Chapter of the National Organization for Women  
Not Dead Yet Montana  
Summit Independent Living

## **Nebraska**

Arcare, Inc.  
Disability Rights Nebraska  
Epilepsy Foundation Nebraska  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
Nebraska Association of Service Providers

**Nevada**

Canopy Collective  
Epilepsy Foundation Nevada

**New Hampshire**

ABLE NH  
Aspire Living & Learning  
Capital Recovery Health  
Chesco  
Community Partners for Change, Inc  
CRJ  
Disability Rights Center - NH  
Epilepsy Foundation New England  
Life Transition Services, LLC.  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic  
Kent Street Coalition  
New Futures / The Alliance for Healthy Aging  
New Hampshire Public Health Association  
NH Hunger Solutions  
NH School Nurses Association  
Strategies for Disability Equity  
The New Hampshire Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics  
Visions for Creative Housing Solutions, Inc.  
Waypoint

**New Jersey**

Alliance Center for Independence  
Association for Special Children and Families  
DIAL-Center for Independent Living  
Disability Rights New Jersey  
Epilepsy Foundation New Jersey  
Family Voices NJ  
New Jersey Tenants Organization  
Ocean County National Organization for Women  
Planned Lifetime Assistance Network of NJ (PLAN|NJ)  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC

The Arc of New Jersey

**New Mexico**

Autism Society New Mexico  
Disability Rights New Mexico  
Epilepsy Foundation New Mexico  
Family Caregiver Center of New Mexico  
Health Action New Mexico  
New Mexico Caregivers Coalition  
Parents Reaching Out

**New York**

Autistic Adults NYC  
Autism Society Greater Hudson Region  
Autism Society of America Nassau Suffolk  
Autism Society Western New York  
Center for Elder Law & Justice  
Citizen Action of New York  
Disability Rights New York  
EPIC Family of Human Service Agencies  
Epilepsy Foundation of Northeastern New York, Inc.  
Fulton County Office for Aging and Youth  
GRAY PANTHERS NYC  
INCLUDEnyc  
Independent Living Center of the Hudson Valley  
Long Island Center for Independent Living, Inc. (LICIL)  
NAMI Huntington  
NYS Caregiving and Respite Coalition  
Parent Network of WNY  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC  
St. Lawrence County Office for the Aging  
The Epilepsy Institute DBA The Epilepsy Foundation of Metro NY  
The Mediation Offices of Eric A. Deutsch

**North Carolina**

Advocates for Medically Fragile Kids NC  
Autism Society of North Carolina

Council on Aging in Henderson County  
Dementia Alliance of North Carolina  
Disability Rights North Carolina  
Epilepsy Foundation North Carolina  
FIRSTwnc  
Guidance Carolina  
HOPE North Carolina, Inc.  
NC Caregiving Collaborative  
NC Statewide Independent Living Council  
New Disabled South  
North Carolina Justice Center  
North Carolina Serious Illness Coalition  
The Frankie Mae Foundation  
The North Carolina Regional Ombudsman Association  
Yocasta Bianconi, LLC

#### **North Dakota**

Epilepsy Foundation North Dakota  
North Dakota Protection & Advocacy Project

#### **Ohio**

Advancing Independence Network  
Arcare, Inc.  
Autism Society Central Ohio  
Autism Society of Greater Akron  
Autism Society of Northwest Ohio  
Autism Respite PLUS, LLC  
Dayton Autism Society  
Disability Rights Ohio  
Epilepsy Foundation Ohio  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Independence Alliance  
Linking Employment, Abilities & Potential  
Ohio Self Determination Association  
Ohio Statewide Independent Living Council  
PLAN of Southwest Ohio, Inc.

Pro Seniors, Inc.  
SOCIETY FOR EQUAL ASSESS/ILC  
Southeastern Ohio Center for Independent Living  
The Arc of Ohio  
The Autism Society of Ohio  
University of Cincinnati Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities  
Western Reserve Independent Living Center

#### **Oklahoma**

Dynamic independent  
Epilepsy Foundation Oklahoma  
New Disabled South  
Oklahoma Policy Institute  
Oklahoma Statewide Independent Living Council  
REACH, Inc.  
SODA - Area Agency on Aging

#### **Oregon**

Autism Society of Oregon  
Disability Rights Oregon  
Epilepsy Foundation Oregon  
HASL Center for Independent Living  
Lane Independent Living Alliance  
Oregon Statewide Independent Living Council  
UCP Oregon  
Umpqua Valley disAbilities Network

#### **Pennsylvania**

Autism Society Berks County  
Autism Society Greater Philadelphia  
Autism Society Lehigh Valley  
Autism Society Northeastern Pennsylvania  
Center for Advocacy for the Rights and Interests of Elders (CARIE)  
Community Legal Services of Philadelphia  
Disability Pride Pennsylvania  
Disability Rights Pennsylvania  
Disabled in Action of PA



Eastern PA Trans Equity Project  
Epilepsy Foundation Eastern PA  
HUNE  
J Badger Consulting Inc  
Liberty Resources Inc.  
Pennsylvania Association of Area Agencies on Aging  
Pennsylvania Health Law Project  
S.A.F.E., Inc - Supporting Autism and Families Everywhere  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC  
Williamsport NOW

#### **Rhode Island**

Aldersbridge Communities  
Autism Society RI  
Disability Rights Rhode Island  
Epilepsy Foundation New England  
Living Innovations a Service of Mosaic

#### **South Carolina**

AccessAbility  
Disability Rights South Carolina  
Epilepsy Foundation South Carolina  
Family Connection of SC  
New Disabled South  
Our Mother's Voice  
South Carolinians for Alternatives to the Death Penalty (SCADP)

#### **South Dakota**

Epilepsy Foundation South Dakota

#### **Tennessee**

AbleVoices  
AgeWell Middle Tennessee  
Autism Tennessee  
Buffalo River Services, Inc.  
Community Development Center  
Disability Power & Pride  
Family Voices of Tennessee

FiftyForward  
Memphis Lupus Support Group  
Michael D. Vaughan DDS, PLC  
Mid South Liver Alliance  
New Disabled South  
Raising Kellan  
Statewide Independent Living Council of Tennessee - SILCTN  
Tennessee Community Organizations  
Tennessee Disability Coalition  
Tennessee Health Care Campaign  
Tennessee Justice Center  
TN Coalition for Better Aging  
TNSTEP- Parent Training and Information Center

## **Texas**

ADAPT OF TEXAS  
Area Agency on Aging and Aging and Disability Resource Center of the Capital Area  
Autism Society of Texas  
Autism Society of Texas-El Paso  
Coalition of Texans with Disabilities  
Disability Connections  
Disability Rights Texas  
Epilepsy Foundation Central & South Texas  
Epilepsy Foundation of Texas  
Family to Family Network  
Gulf Coast ADAPT  
Latino Texas Policy Center  
New Disabled South  
REACH, Inc.  
REV UP Texas  
Texas Parent to Parent

## **Utah**

Disability Law Center of Utah  
Epilepsy Foundation Utah  
OPTIONS for Independence

**Vermont**

Aspire Living & Learning  
Epilepsy Foundation New England  
Vermont Center for Independent Living  
Vermont Coalition for Disability Rights  
Vermont Family Network

**Virginia**

American Spinal Injury Association  
Autism Society of Central Virginia  
Autism Society of Northern Virginia  
Autism Society of Tidewater Virginia  
Charlottesville NOW (National Organization for Women)  
Epilepsy Foundation Metro D.C.  
Epilepsy Foundation of Virginia  
FiftyForward  
Home Care Partners  
New Disabled South  
Our Stomping Ground (OSG)  
Shared Horizons, Inc.  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC

**Washington**

Autism Society of Washington  
Disability Rights Washington  
Epilepsy Foundation Washington  
Ladybug House  
Northwest Health Law Advocates  
PAVE  
Washington Association of Area Agencies on Aging (W4A)  
Washington State National Organization for Women  
Wilson Clinical Services, PLLC.

**West Virginia**

Epilepsy Foundation West Virginia  
New Disabled South  
West Virginia Developmental Disabilities Council

## **Wisconsin**

Access to Independence, Inc.  
Aging and Disability Professional Association of Wisconsin  
Aging and Disability Resource Center of Racine County  
Ascend Services, Inc  
Center for Caregiver Serenity Inc.  
Chrysalis Inc.  
Clubhouse Wisconsin  
Community Living Alliance  
Developmental Disabilities Coalition  
Disability Rights Wisconsin  
Employment Resources Inc  
Epilepsy Foundation Wisconsin  
Great Lakes ADA Center  
Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging Resources, Inc.  
Journey Mental Health Center  
Little Wonders Child Care  
NAMI Northwoods  
Oregon Mental Health Services, LLC  
Peer Specialists Limited  
Recovery Coalition of Dane County (Wisconsin)  
Respite Care Association of Wisconsin  
Save IRIS  
Special Education Advocacy Services of Luzerne, LLC  
The Arc Fond du Lac, Inc.  
The Autism Society of South Central Wisconsin  
The Respite Caregiver of LaCrosse  
Upstream Arts  
WI Board for People with Developmental Disabilities  
WI Survival Coalition of Statewide Disability Organizations  
Wisconsin Aging Advocacy Network  
Wisconsin Alliance for Excellent Schools  
Wisconsin Autism Empowerment  
Wisconsin Coalition Against Sexual Assault

Wisconsin Coalition of Independent Living Centers

Wisconsin Family & Caregiver Support Alliance (WFACSA)

Wisconsin Family Ties, Inc.

Wispact, Inc.

## **Wyoming**

Better Wyoming

Epilepsy Foundation of CO & WY