YOUR NATIONAL Membership Association
...is your national association

USAging exists to support your critical local efforts on behalf of older adults, people with disabilities and caregivers. We do this by offering an array of technical assistance, training, resources, advocacy, discounts and other benefits—all customized for Area Agencies on Aging and Title VI Native American Aging Programs, something no other organization can offer.

Keep reading to learn more about what USAging can do for you, your agency and your clients!
Your National Advocate and Champion

Public Policy and Advocacy
USAging provides members with a national voice, federal representation and advocacy and a powerful grassroots network vital to ensuring a national impact. USAging’s members receive information and training on aging and home and community-based services policy issues, including legislative analysis of federal policy, advocacy tools and timely calls to action.

Visibility and Leadership
Our publications and media outreach raise the recognition and visibility of our members and the work they do to support older adults, people with disabilities and caregivers, while our staff help position the Aging Network at the local, state and national levels.

Offering Critical Training and Resources
The weekly Answers on Aging™ members-only newsletter provides information on emerging trends, new resources, notification of funding opportunities and other news that AAAs and Title VI programs need to know.

The members-only USAging Boot Camp for New Directors offers training for new AAA and Title VI program directors, helping to facilitate learning about federal programs, agency operations and best practices from the field and to offer peer networking.

The Aging Innovations & Achievement Awards program annually recognizes replicable, innovative and successful member AAA and Title VI programs that drive excellence in operations and programming to benefit older adults and their caregivers.

USAging’s Consulting Services offer access to a vetted group of consultants with the expertise and experience to help AAAs, other CBOs and networks navigate strategy, capacity, finance and management needs related to health care contracting, Community Care Hub/network development, other business partnerships and agency operations.

USAging’s Preferred Providers offer discounts on services USAging members use every day, while USAging’s Corporate Marketplace provides a directory of vendors and services that have been vetted by USAging members!
Enhancing Your Services Through Programs and Technical Assistance

USAgeing’s many programs, training and technical assistance and other resources are designed to reflect and support our members’ work. For more information, please visit www.usaging.org.

Enhancing Health Care Partnerships
USAgeing makes it a top priority to help the aging and disability networks enhance their capacity and capitalize on opportunities in the changing health care environment to improve the health of older adults and people with disabilities.
• Aging and Disability Business Institute
  ° Center of Excellence to Align Health and Social Care

Tracking Trends
USAgeing’s surveys and reports help the Aging Network keep a pulse on trends and new directions among AAAs and Title VI programs. Agencies can use information from this research to advocate, leverage and enhance their programs.

Housing
Working to ensure older adults and people with disabilities have access to affordable, accessible and supportive housing options.
• Housing and Services Resource Center

Consumer Connections
Driving consumers to AAAs, Title VI programs and other aging and disability resources in their communities through two national call centers. This work includes developing consumer brochures that can be co-branded with your agency.
• Eldercare Locator
• Disability Information and Access Line (DIAL)

Healthy Aging
Supporting our members’ extensive work in helping older adults age with optimal health and independence.
• Aging and Disability Vaccination Collaborative
• Rural Health and Social Engagement
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Transportation
Ensuring affordable, accessible transportation/mobility options.
• National Aging and Disability Transportation Center (with Easterseals)
• National Transportation Accessibility Center

Social Engagement
Creating opportunities and education for social engagement as a part of healthy aging.
• engAGED: The National Resource Center for Engaging Older Adults
• Commit to Connect National Initiative

Livable and Dementia-Friendly Communities
Helping communities understand how to prepare for an aging population.
• Dementia Friendly America
  ◦ Dementia Friends USA

Caregiving
Innovating in caregiver services, just as our members do.
• Community Care Corps
• Innovations in Family Caregiver Services and Supports Initiative
• Center for Dementia Respite Innovations
• Grandfamilies & Kinship Support Network: A National Technical Assistance Center

Learn more at usaging.org
Providing Opportunities to Participate in Cutting-Edge Events

**Annual Conference and Tradeshow**
*July 7-10, 2024, Tampa, FL*
*July 20-23, 2025, Chicago, IL*

Every year, more than 1,000 national and local aging leaders, decision-makers and business executives attend the USAging Annual Conference and Tradeshow, making it the largest gathering of local aging industry professionals in the United States. It is the go-to conference to learn the latest on trends in the field, best practices, partnership opportunities, ACL priorities and more. USAging members save money with discounted rates!

**Annual Aging Policy Briefing & Capitol Hill Day**
*March 31-April 1, 2025, Washington, DC*

Our annual Aging Policy Briefing is the only national event focused on federal policy from the AAA perspective. It’s rich in educational content and policy news to get up to speed on the latest legislative and policy issues before going to Capitol Hill to advocate for older adults and caregivers! USAging members save money with discounted rates!

**Leadership Institute**
*September 17-19, 2024, Alexandria, VA*

The Aging Network is evolving and needs strong leaders to seize opportunities and face challenges head on. Take your leadership skills to a higher level by participating in USAging’s members-only leadership development program in the company of your AAA and Title VI colleagues.
Meet the Membership Team

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USAgeing is dedicated to supporting the success of our members through advancing public policy, sparking innovation, strengthening the capacity of our members, raising their visibility and working to drive excellence in the fields of aging and home and community-based services.

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