

Webinar on The National Plan to Address Alzheimer's Disease

The National Plan to Address Alzheimer's Disease defines ways that federal and state government, along with private and nonprofit organizations, should collaborate to confront Alzheimer's - from earlier diagnosis to creating more resources to help families care for their loved ones at home. This webinar will introduce key National Plan goals and actions useful to those who provide home and community-based services for older adults and individuals with disabilities, including actions focused on people with intellectual disabilities.

Listeners will learn about:

- The prevalence of dementias, as well as their impact on health and long term services and supports programs for persons of all ages
- The Obama Administration's response to the challenges posed by this set of diseases, which includes collaboration across and within federal agencies to implement the National Alzheimer's Project Act

The agenda & speakers are as follows:

Tuesday, August 21, 2012 11:00 a.m. PT / 12:00 p.m. MT / 1:00 p.m. CT / 2:00 p.m. ET

Agenda:

- I. The Impact of Alzheimer's Disease (AD)
- II. National Plan to Address Alzheimer's
- III. ACL/AoA/AIDD Implementation Activities
- IV. State/Local Implementation
- V. Open Discussion

Presenters:

- Jane Tilly, DrPh., HHS Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation & ACL/Administration on Aging
- Mette Pedersen, PhD, ACL/Administration on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
- Amy Wiatr-Rodriguez, ACL/Administration on Aging
- Becky Kurtz, ACL/Administration on Aging
- Kate Gordon, Contractor, ACL/Administration on Aging

Moderator:

- Jane Tilly, DrPh., HHS Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation & ACL/Administration on Aging