A Conversation with Rhonda Schwartz
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Speaker: Rhonda Schwartz, Regional Administrator, Administration for Community Living (ACL), Region II—NY, NJ, PR, VI
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Session Overview
The Administration for Community Living (ACL) advocates across the federal government for older adults, people with disabilities, families and caregivers. ACL funds services and support provided primarily by states and networks of community-based programs. ACL administers the Older Americans Act, which funds a wide array of services for older individuals through the aging network, and also provides funding for Centers for Independent Living, protection and advocacy programs, and many other important services.

In this session you will learn important updates about new initiatives and priorities from ACL that will help improve services for seniors, caregivers and persons with disabilities.

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