

AGENDA

Lifespan Respite Grantee/Partner Learning Symposium

Wednesday, October 11, 2017 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

Embassy Suites Huntsville, Huntsville, AL

- 8:00 – 8:30 AM** **Registration - Coffee**
- 8:30 – 9:45** **Welcome and Introductions - *Bring, Brag and Borrow***
- 9:45 – 10:15** **Lifespan Respite Update, *Victoria Wright, Administration for Community Living***
- 10:15 – 10:30** **Break**
- 10:30 – 12:15** **1-2-4-All - *Facilitated by Casandra Firman and Susan Janko Summers, ARCH***
Engaging everyone simultaneously in generating additional questions, ideas, and suggestions in response to the following questions:
- 1) *How can we best respond in a systematic way to family caregivers looking for respite, or looking for resources to pay for respite?*
 - 2) *How do we best recruit, prepare, use, and keep high-quality volunteer respite providers?*
- 12:30 – 1:00 PM** **Networking Lunch**
- 1:00 – 1:15** **Announcement of Small Grant Opportunity for Lifespan Respite states from the Dole Foundation to engage Military Caregivers**
Jed Johnson, Easterseals, Washington, DC
- 1:15 – 2:15** **Developing Uniform Data Collection across Lifespan Respite States**
Victoria Wright, ACL, and Heather Menne, Office of Performance and Evaluation, ACL
- 2:15 – 2:30** **Break**
- 2:30 – 2:45** **What's new from ARCH? *Jill Kagan, ARCH Director***
- 2:45 – 3:00** **Assessing Your Training and TA Needs for Lifespan Respite Grant Implementation**
Ray Kirk, ARCH Consultant
- 3:00 – 3:15** **Intro to Sustainability Learning Collaborative**
Susan Janko Summers, ARCH Consultant and Group Leaders
- 3:15 – 3:20** **Wrap up and Adjourn**
- 3:20 – 4:00** ***Meeting of Sustainability Learning Collaborative Members***
New collaborative members welcome.