

Lifespan Respite

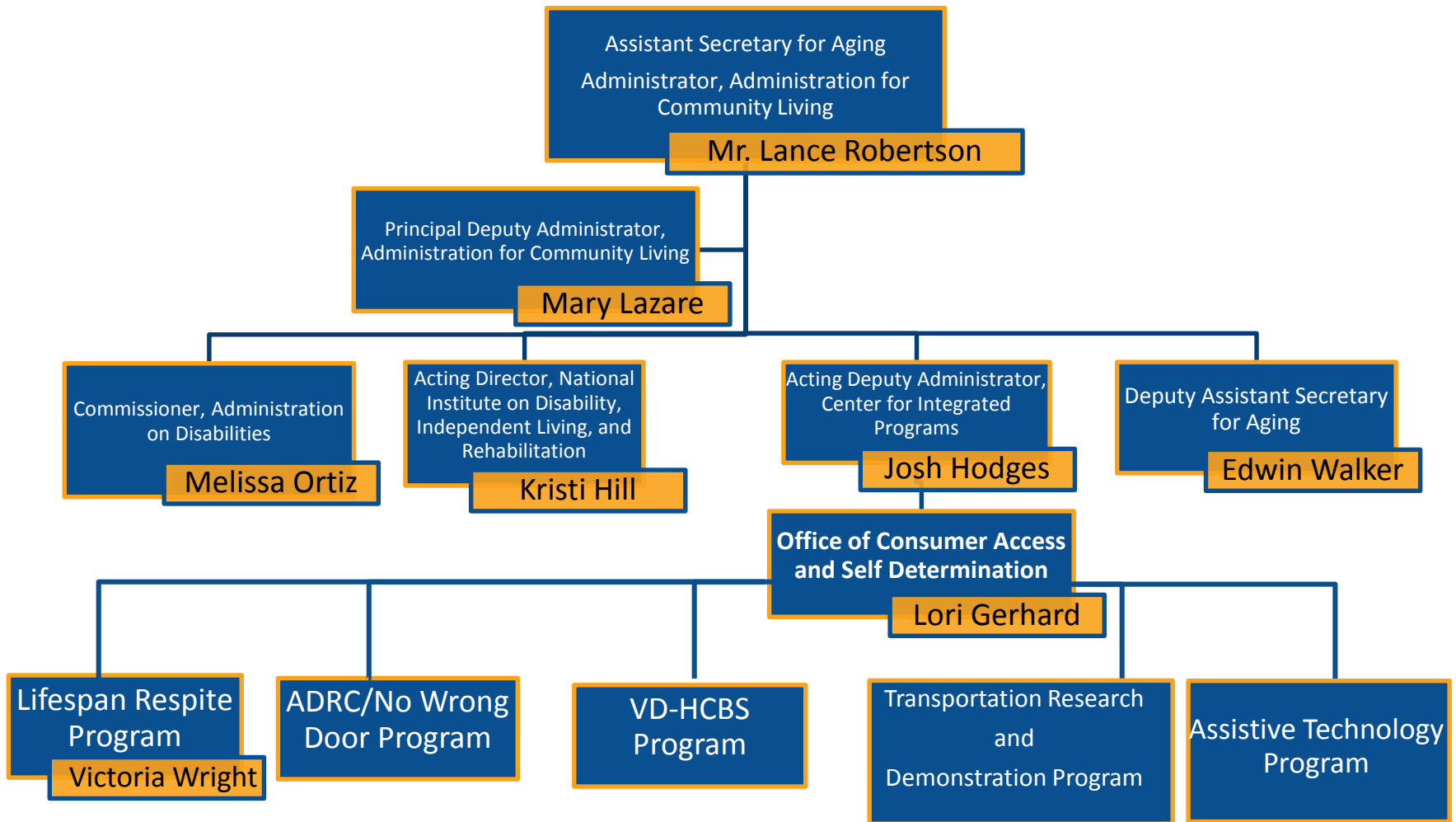
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Administration for Community Living Leadership



2017 Lifespan Respite Program Update

➤ **2 - Lifespan Respite Care Program: Grants to New States**

North Dakota

South Dakota

➤ **12 - FY2017 Lifespan Respite Care Program: Advancing State Lifespan Respite Systems**

Alabama

Arizona

Colorado

Idaho

North Carolina

Nevada

New York

Oklahoma

Rhode Island

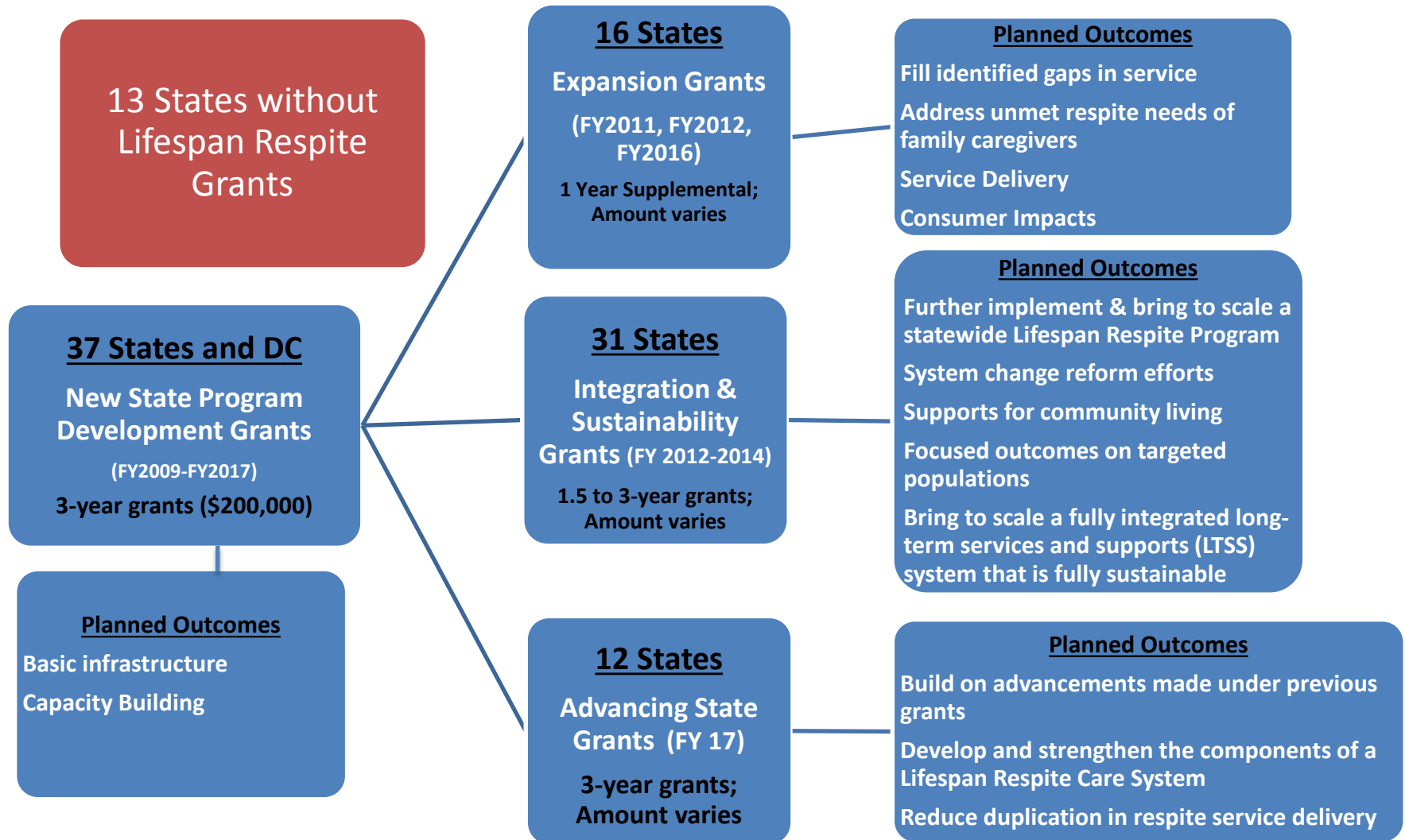
South Carolina

Tennessee

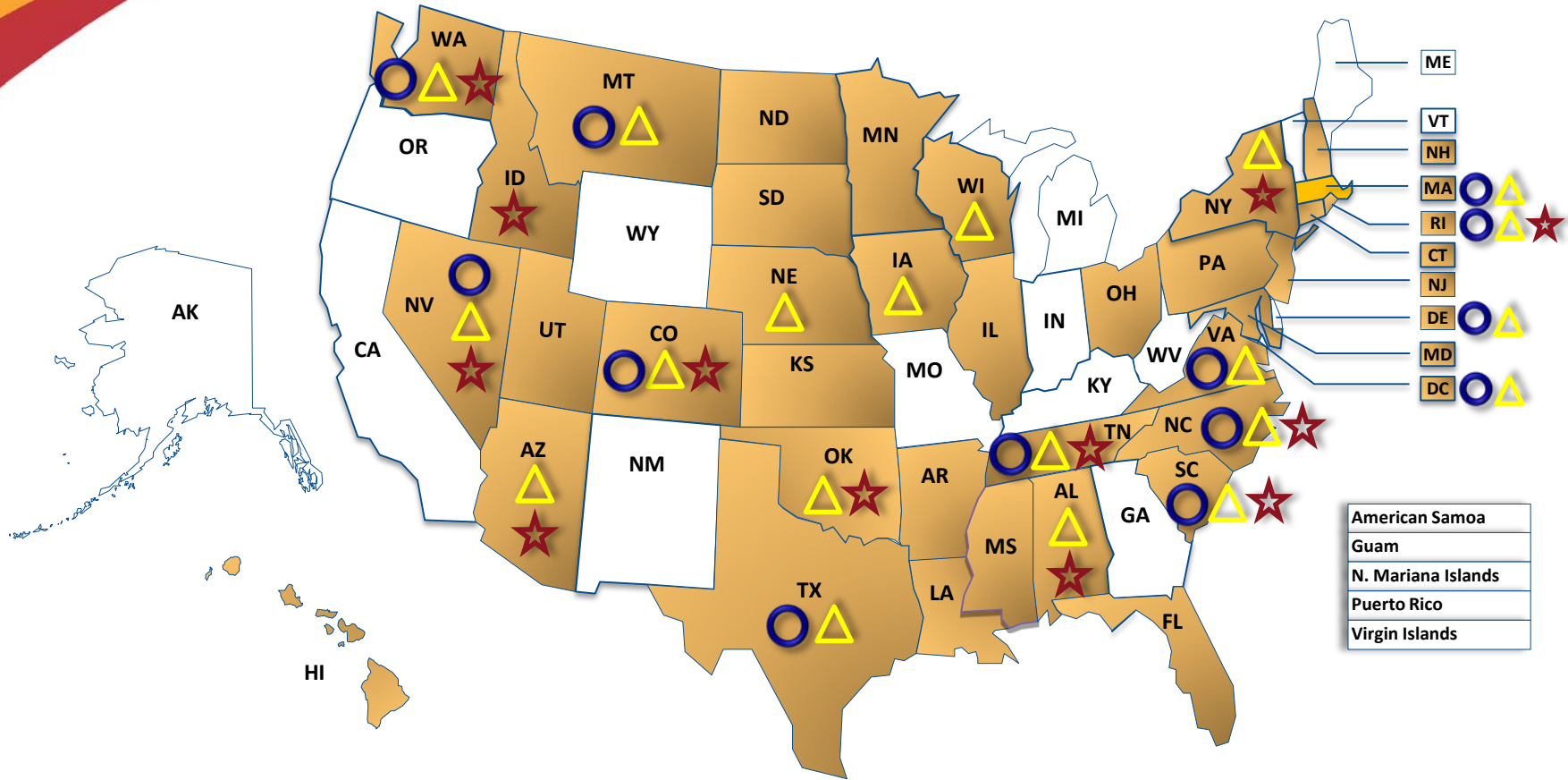
Washington

➤ **TA Center : Year 3**

Lifespan Respite: Federal Program History



Lifespan Respite States Awarded as of 2017



- Lifespan Respite State Grantees
- Expansion Grantees
- △ Integration and Sustainability Grantees
- ★ Advancing States





No Wrong Door System

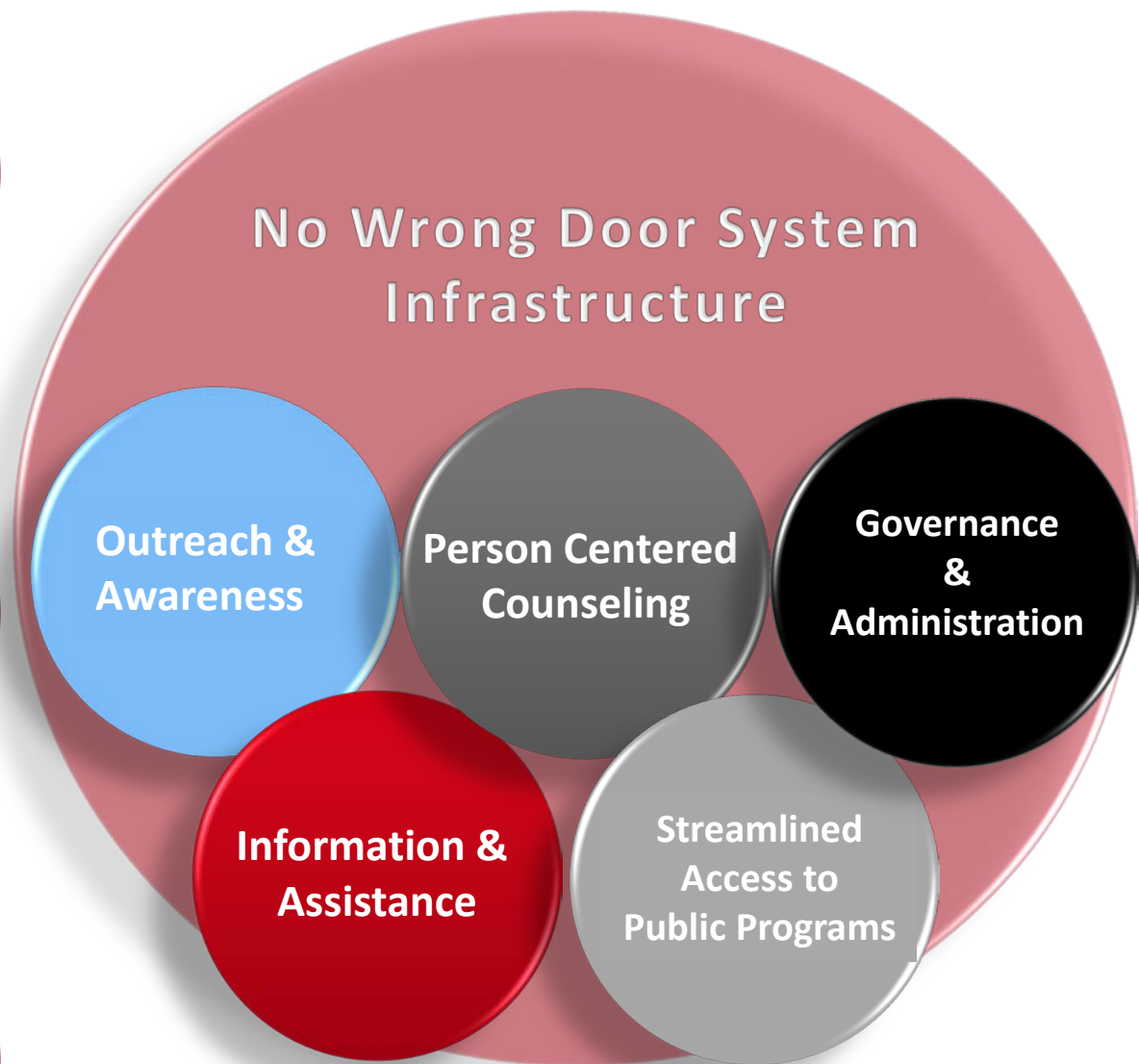
- Coordinated systems of *access* for individuals with disabilities of all ages, older people, their families and caregivers
- One-on-one person-centered counseling
- Streamlined access to public programs for all populations
- Collaboration and established referral sources across multiple state and local service organizations

Assistive Technology

- Supports *access* to obtain devices and services that facilitate the ability to remain independent and engaged in the community
- State financing for device reutilization, short-term loans, and device demonstrations

Lifespan Respite Care

- Improved *access* to community-based respite care for family caregivers
- Expanded respite services that provide planned or emergency care to and individual in need in order to provide temporary relief to the caregiver.



What's on the Horizon?

- November is the Caregiver Month
- Identify and test method for collecting data
- FY18 Planning Process begin
- In the next 30 days...
 - Grant Close Outs
 - Key Personnel Changes

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