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## Join us for Aging Advocacy Day May 9!

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### Advocacy

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*[Janet Zander](#), Advocacy and Public Policy Coordinator*

#### ***Need to Know***

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##### **Registration Now Open for Aging Advocacy Day May 9**

Registration for Aging Advocacy Day 2023 is underway. Don't wait, submit your registration today. Our event is less than two months away! Do you know of an organization or business that might be interested in helping to sponsor Aging Advocacy Day? If so, our sponsorship deadline has been extended and sponsors are still welcome! For more information, to locate promotional materials, to register, or to find our sponsorship form, visit <https://gwaar.org/aging-advocacy-day-2023>.



### Family Caregiver Support

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*[Bryn Ceman](#), Older Americans Act Consultant - Family Caregiver Support Specialist*

#### ***Need to Know***

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##### **Webinar: Statewide Caregiver Support Community Webinar**

March 28 | 10 a.m.

Join us March 28 for the Statewide Caregiver Support Community webinar. This meeting will include an advocacy update, Department of Health Services (DHS) updates, GWAAR updates and data reporting, best practices, and frequently asked questions. For more information visit <https://gwaar.org/wisconsin-caregiver-support-community-monthly-calls>.

## Health Promotion

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### **Nice to Know**

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#### **Registration Now Open for the 2023 engAGED and Commit to Connect Social Engagement Virtual Summit!**

*May 9-10, 2023 | Noon – 3 p.m.*

Given the importance of elevating innovative approaches to help older adults, people with disabilities and caregivers stay engaged and connect to others - and their communities, engAGED: The National Resource Center for Engaging Older Adults and Commit to Connect are again joining forces to co-host a two-day Social Engagement Virtual Summit.

The logo for engAGED features the word "engAGED" in a purple, sans-serif font. The "e" is lowercase, while "ngAGED" are uppercase. A teal-colored wave-like graphic underlines the "ngAGED" portion of the text.

**The National Resource Center  
for Engaging Older Adults**

The Virtual Summit will bring together national, state and local leaders for interactive sessions highlighting the latest research, innovative programs, and tools and resources for the aging and disability networks. The Virtual Summit will highlight the topics of social engagement in rural communities and supporting the social connectedness needs of unpaid caregivers and will showcase creative solutions to spur ideas for replication within your community.

Taking place May 9 and 10 from 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. CT each day. There is no cost to attend, but you must register to participate! For the full agenda and details on how to register, visit the events (<https://www.engagingolderadults.org/2023-virtual-summit>) page.