



## Geriatric Provider-Consumer Collaboration

The Center for Consumer Engagement in Health Innovation (CCEHI) is a hub devoted to teaching, learning and sharing knowledge to bring the consumer experience to the forefront of health. We work directly with consumer advocates to increase the skills and power they have to establish an effective voice at all levels of the health care system. The Center is committed to improving care for the most vulnerable populations which includes older adults. With support from the John A. Hartford Foundation, we are working at the state and national level to promote geriatric competent care practices and policies through partnerships between consumer advocates and providers.

Front-line physicians, nurses, social workers, personal care aides and other providers, as well as thought and research leaders in the geriatrics field, are in the position to recommend changes in practice that could transform care delivery and provider more effective, quality care. And consumer advocacy organizations can bring their policy and advocacy experience to these partnerships.

### *Pathways To Engagement*

Your involvement is needed to ensure success in health system changes going on now at such a rapid pace. It can range from attending meetings with policymaker or health plans or sharing your story as a provider, to sharing your professional expertise by participating in state and national educational events, webinars, and written materials.

#### **I am interested in getting involved:**

- Work with consumer advocates in states experimenting with new models of care for older adults
- Contribute an Eldercare Voices column in our biweekly *Health Innovations Hub* newsletter
- Write blog posts on special geriatric or aging topics, policy developments and noteworthy research
- Present in webinars on specific geriatric care topics
- Share my research and/or documented best practices with advocates, policymakers and/or health plans
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- I'd like to receiver the *Health Innovations Hub* newsletter

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organizations Affiliation:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_

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