

## Nevada Lifespan Respite Care Coalition (NLRCC) State Plan Outline

The primary function of the Coalition in 2022 will be to **gather and disseminate information regarding family caregiver services and supports.**

Information will be collected from state and national sources to generate a profile on caregivers and caregiving in Nevada. The Nevada Lifespan Respite Care Coalition will invite people from across the state to:

- provide input about family caregivers and their needs
- report on respite programming and funding
- address hospital discharge planning and the care responsibilities placed on caregivers
- identify the workforce needs and training that support caregivers through respite

This information will be disseminated through:

- Social Media posts
- Website information
- Public Comment at meetings of state advisory bodies and legislative interim committees
- Development of a state plan for caregiver supports and services

The NLRCC State Plan for Nevada will:

- address the health and well-being of family caregivers
- address the availability and quality of respite and family caregiver support services
- include recommendations to improve the availability, quality, and access of respite and other caregiver support and the coordination of services and funding.

These efforts align with goals from the national RAISE Family Council, such as:

**Family caregivers' physical, emotional, and financial well-being will meaningfully improve as a result of expanded awareness, outreach, and education.**

**Increase public awareness and recognition of the diverse needs, issues, and challenges family caregivers face and of the importance of recognizing and supporting them.**

**Increase family caregivers' self-identification and awareness of—and access to—information, services, and supports across a range of topics.**

**Engage family caregivers through the use of evidence-supported and culturally sensitive family caregiver assessments to determine the willingness, ability, and needs of family caregivers to provide support.**