



Please join us for a FREE Webinar entitled:

Whole Community Inclusion and Emergency Preparedness Planning at the State Level

Tuesday, September 22, 2015

2:00-3:00 p.m. EST

This webinar will have real-time captioning and a sign language interpreter. Pre-registration is required-details below.

This webinar presentation will provide an overview of the Georgia Emergency Preparedness Coalition of Individuals with Disabilities and Older Adults, our network and the development of preparedness resources not only for individuals with disabilities and older adults but for the emergency preparedness and response planning agencies throughout the state. The presenters will also provide information on how the coalition strives to integrate key concepts of inclusion, integration, equal access, self-determination, physical access, effective communication and reasonable modifications in all of our preparedness planning.

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Betsy Kagey, Academic and Special Projects Liaison in the Emergency Preparedness and Response Section of the Office of Health Protection in GDPH.

Dr. Kagey's work entails emergency planning for vulnerable and special needs populations, public health emergency preparedness collaboration with academic institutions in Georgia and environmental health issues associated with disaster response and recovery. Dr. Kagey is a member of the Georgia Coalition for Emergency Preparedness for Individuals with Disabilities and Older Adults.

Jennifer Hogan, Disaster Preparedness Coordinator for the Georgia Division of Aging Services.

Jennifer Hogan works with older adults, the 12 Area Agencies on Aging, State and local partners to coordinate disaster preparedness planning for older adults and people with disabilities. Jennifer has over ten years of experience preventing fraud, abuse, neglect and exploitation of older adults and people with disabilities. She is a member of the Emergency Preparedness Coalition for Individuals with Disabilities & Older Adults. She is also a certified Mental Health First Aid Trainer.

Learning Objectives:

- Learn about the development and sustainability of the Georgia Emergency Preparedness Coalition for Individuals with Disabilities and Older Adults.

- Learn about the process of working together to develop our Functional and Access Needs Support Services Toolkit for Georgia.
- Gain an understanding of how the focus and priorities of the coalition have changed over time to address the emergency preparedness needs of persons with disabilities based upon lessons learned from several major disasters over the past few years.

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To register for this webinar please click on the link below:

[Whole Community Inclusion Webinar Registration](#) or visit:

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For more information on the Georgia Emergency Preparedness Coalition for Individuals with Disabilities and Older Adults please visit:

<http://ada.georgia.gov/emergency-preparedness>



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