

State Falls Prevention Coalition Member Checklist

Use this checklist as a guide to identify the types of members your coalition needs to establish a varied and multidisciplinary membership.

Aging Organizations and Professionals

- Aging and Disability Resource Centers
- Aging professionals (e.g. gerontologists, professors)
- Area Agencies on Aging
- Meals on Wheels (or other meal delivery services)
- Senior Centers
- State Units on Aging
- AARP (state and/or local)
- Title VI Native American Aging Programs
- Villages (e.g. Village-to-Village Network, model villages)

Disability Organizations and Professionals

- Direct support professionals
- State assistive technology programs
- State and local disability offices (centers for independent living)

Government Agencies

- City and urban planners
- Fire departments
- Housing departments
- Law enforcement
- Parks and recreation departments
- Traffic and safety departments
- Local health departments

Healthcare Organizations and Professionals

- Case Managers
- Dietitians
- Occupational therapists
- Podiatrists
- Emergency Medical Services
- Pharmacists
- Optometrists
- DME providers
- Physicians
- Registered Nurses
- Social Workers
- Home health care agencies
- Medical groups and/or hospital systems
- Mental and behavioral health providers
- Primary care offices
- Public health professionals
- Skilled nursing facilities

Housing

- Architects
- Home modification businesses
- Home repair and handyman services
- Housing and community development departments
- Mobile home parks
- Non-profits such as Habitat for Humanity and/or Rebuilding Together

- Public housing
- Real estate agents
- Senior housing
- Assisted living
- Retirement communities
- State and local housing authorities

Community Members

- Caregivers for older adults
- Family members of older adults
- Older adults

Policymakers & Advocacy Groups

- Community leaders
- Neighborhood associations
- State and local policymakers

Other

- Education systems
- Faith-based groups
- Gyms, fitness centers, and health clubs
- Libraries
- Media (e.g. newspaper, radio, podcasts)
- Transportation (e.g. taxi services, city transit authorities)
- Rotary clubs
- Other (Consider who else in your community serves older adults, has a stake in reducing falls, or could benefit from collaboration?)