

Let's Get Ready for April National Health Care Decisions Month!

Get your free "April Celebration Packet" to plan your event.

Our 4th Annual April Health Care Decisions Month celebration with our Partners & Friends is underway. We'll supply you with an "April Celebration Packet" of fun event ideas, MA planning documents, flyers & more to help adults in your community complete a Health Care Proxy and Personal Directive. We'll promote your activities on our "April Calendar of Events." Last year, our Partners & Friends offered 55 great events!

This year, expand your reach into your community. Invite your volunteers to become a **Health Care Planning Ambassador!**

Ambassadors start peer-to-peer care planning discussions anywhere adults live, work and gather.

- You select volunteers or interested community members to represent your organization
- We provide a [free workshop](#) so your Ambassadors can confidently talk with friends, family and everyone in the community about a Health Care Proxy & Personal Directive
- Ambassadors can connect adults back to you for needed care to improve healthy living



Spring Ambassador Workshops

We are offering *Ambassador Workshops* to your volunteers in 6 regions across the state, and providing membership groups with a *Train-the-Trainer Ambassador Workshop*. Here's a list of workshops to date:

- February 22Massachusetts Councils on Aging, Outreach Coordinators Train-the-Trainer Workshop
- March 7Cape Cod Task Force Train-the-Trainer Workshop, Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis
- March 17MA Conference of United Church of Christ, Super Saturday Event Informational Session
- March 19MA Coalition for the Prevention of Medical Errors, Ambassador Workshop Information
- March 22South Shore Partners & Friends Ambassador Workshop, Marshfield
- April 10Metrowest - Greater Boston Partners & Friends Ambassador Workshop, Belmont
- April 18Holyoke & Western MA Train-the-Trainer Ambassador Workshop, Baystate Health
- Date TBAWorcester Partners & Friends Ambassador Workshop, UMass Memorial Hospital
- Date TBANorth Shore Partners & Friends Ambassador Workshop

For more information & registration, visit the [Ambassador Program webpage](#).