



WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY

See it • Stop it • Prevent it



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The Arizona Department of Economic Security (DES) is hosting the fifth annual World Elder Abuse Awareness Day Conference, bringing together dozens of organizations and more than a hundred professionals to discuss the best practices for identifying, stopping and preventing elder abuse in Arizona. We hope to see you there!

WHAT: 5th annual World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) Conference hosted by The Arizona Department of Economic Security.

WHEN: June 15, 2023

WHERE: Desert Willow Conference Center, 4340 E. Cotton Center Blvd, Phoenix, AZ 85040

This conference will feature several esteemed keynote speakers:

- **Leslie Kyman Cooper**, the Arizona Attorney General's Office
- **Iya Affo**, the Heal Historical Trauma Culture & Indigenous Wellness Academy
- **Sarah Galvin**, Justice in Aging
- **Angie Rodgers**, Director of the Arizona Department of Economic Security

There will be many informative breakout sessions on diverse topics, including:

See It:

- Mental Health vs. Dementia/Alzheimer's Disease
- Cross Sectional Care Coordination for Low Income Populations
- Technology Scams and Savvy Scammers

Stop It:

- Panel: APS, AAA Region One and AHCCCS
- Underreporting Abuse in Minority Communities (Rural, Refugees etc.)
- Racial and Ethnic Approaches to Community Health (REACH)

Prevent It:

- Family Caregiver Support Programs and Services
- Elder Abuse Coalitions: How They Work Together and Develop Prevention Strategies
- Panel: Coordination of Care for Older Adults and Their Grandchild

Past participants have praised the WEAAD conference, saying:

"Very inspirational and informative." | "Great presenters - lively and captured my attention" | "It was so very organized and an absolute delight to be part of."