

Transportation Workshops at the 2010 n4a Conference

Look for the following NCST-sponsored workshops at the n4a Annual Conference in St. Louis this July.

One-Call for Senior Transportation: How AAAs & Transit Providers are Helping Seniors Get Rides

Monday, July 19, 1:15-2:30 p.m.

This session will explore connections between AAA's information and referral/assistance programs (and ADRCs) and efforts to streamline access to the range of transportation services available to seniors in the community, including public transit. Presenters will discuss the role of technology, involvement in 211 systems and the Federal Transit Administration's vision of one call for transportation. They will also discuss opportunities and challenges involved in helping seniors explore transportation options and develop a personal mobility plan.

On the Cutting Edge—Transportation Information for Elders

Monday, July 19, 4:45-5:45 p.m.

An opportunity to be on the cutting edge...and learn from others too! This interactive discussion will give you an opportunity to help the National Center on Senior Transportation and the Eldercare Locator develop protocols for assisting older adults and caregivers understand the transportation options available to them. Together we can build on the strengths of the Aging Network to better address the challenges facing older adults and caregivers in getting around. Join us!

Transportation Challenges & Solutions in Indian Country

Tuesday, July 20, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Presenters from two Title VI programs will discuss their involvement in senior transportation, connection with the tribal transit system and share best practices. NCST will present information gleaned from Title VI programs nationwide regarding senior transportation on tribal lands. Information will also be shared about successful AAA/Title VI partnerships in providing senior transportation.