

TA Webinar/Peer-to-Peer Learning: Second Wednesday @ 2:00pm EST of Each Month¹

New MIPPA Leads Orientation: Second Thursday @1:00pm EST Quarterly

MIPPA Leads Call: Fourth Wednesday of the Month @ 2:00pm EST Quarterly²

January

- 1/8/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call: Medicare Rights Center – What's New in 2025**
 - × *Facilitator(s): Shea Corti w/ Emily Whicheloe managing Q&A as well as Ryan Ramsey*

- 1/9/2025: New MIPPA Leads Training and Orientation**
 - × *Facilitator(s): Ryan Ramsey*

- 1/22/2025: MIPPA Leads Call**

February

- 2/12/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – Reaching Out to Rural Populations**

¹ Exceptions for October and November

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- How can MIPPA Leads and BECs better serve rural populations to ensure they are providing equitable assistance across their regions/states?
- × *Facilitator(s): Rosalind Newsholme*

March

- **3/12/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – Peer to Peer Learning “Expanding your Reach Through Partnership and Collaboration with One Another”**
 - Sharing best practices from states where the BECs are collaborating with the MIPPA Leads and strategies to begin that work if you have not already started.

April

- **4/9/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – Boost Your Budget Week 2025**
 - NCOA's national campaign unites aging and disability service providers under a common charge to:
 - ✓ Educate low-income Medicare beneficiaries and their caregivers about the benefits available to improve their health and economic security and Connect individuals to online (BenefitsCheckUp®) and community resources for benefits screening and application assistance.
 - × *Facilitator(s): TBD*
- **4/10/2025: New MIPPA Leads Training and Orientation**
 - × *Facilitator(s): Ryan Ramsey*
- **4/23/2025: MIPPA Leads Call**

May

- **5/14/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – Emergency Preparedness for Older Adults: Helping Through Disasters”**

- Discuss Disaster Planning and all resources outlined on NCOAs site and resources available to the public.
- × *Facilitator(s): Kayla Little*

June

- **6/11/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – Peer to Peer Learning “Partnerships with your state Medicaid and SSA Offices, Experience with Recertifications in 2024, and Additional Application Events in 2025.”**
 - Feedback on relationships in each area with Medicaid and SSA and hopefully show people who have not reached out to create those relationships how it could help their work. Also, what are people’s plans for improving and increasing assistance in 2025?
 - × *Facilitator(s): TBD*

July

- **7/9/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – “Let’s Talk about LI-NET”**
 - Presenting on the topic of the Limited Income Newly Eligible Transition program, what are its benefits, how to apply, and raising awareness of its availability.
 - × *Facilitator(s): TBD*
- **7/10/2025: New MIPPA Leads Training and Orientation**
 - × *Facilitator(s): Ryan Ramsey*
- **7/23/2025: MIPPA Leads Call**

August

- **8/13/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – “Let’s Talk about LI-HEAP”**
 - Presenting on the topic of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program, what are its benefits, how to apply, and raising awareness of its availability.
 - × *Facilitator(s): Gabriel Smith*

September

- 9/10/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call - Peer to Peer Learning
“Importance of Recruiting, Training, and Maintaining Volunteers to Support Your Work”
 - Discuss importance of recruiting and using volunteers to serve more people throughout your state/region and strategies that aim to keep volunteers interested and involved with an organization throughout their relationship.
 - × Facilitator(s): *Kayla Little*

October

- 10/1/2025: MIPPA Leads Call
- 10/8/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call – "Medicare Part D Changes in 2026"
 - Pre- AEP updates to Medicare and/or plan finder to prepare for AEP and 2026.
 - × Facilitator(s): *Ryan Ramsey*
- 10/9/2025: New MIPPA Leads Training and Orientation
 - × Facilitator(s): *Ryan Ramsey*

November

BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call - (***NONE, Allow focus for AEP***)

December

- 12/10/2025: BEC & MIPPA Leads TA Call - Peer to Peer Learning
“BenefitsCheckUp to Support Your Work and Feedback from the Network”
 - Demo of BenefitsCheckUp discussion of how to incorporate that tool into the normal work of the network and receive feedback on how it could be more useful.
 - × Facilitator(s): *TBD*