

# ADMINISTRATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING

IMPROVING THE LIVES OF OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH  
DISABILITIES THROUGH SERVICES, RESEARCH, AND EDUCATION

## WHAT IS COMMUNITY LIVING?

OLDER ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES HAVE THE  
SAME OPPORTUNITIES AS EVERYONE ELSE TO:

- ✓ CHOOSE WHERE TO LIVE
- ✓ EARN A LIVING
- ✓ PARTICIPATE IN SOCIETY
- ✓ MAKE DECISIONS ABOUT THEIR LIVES



## WHY IS COMMUNITY LIVING IMPORTANT?



PEOPLE  
PREFER IT



IT COSTS  
LESS



IT'S A LEGAL  
RIGHT



EVERYONE BENEFITS  
WHEN EVERYONE  
CAN CONTRIBUTE

## HOW DOES ACL SUPPORT COMMUNITY LIVING?



**FUNDS** SERVICES  
THAT HELP PEOPLE LIVE  
INDEPENDENTLY



**INVESTS** IN RESEARCH,  
INNOVATION, TRAINING,  
AND EDUCATION



**ADVOCATES** FOR  
PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES  
AND OLDER ADULTS

## WHO ARE ACL'S PARTNERS?

NATIONWIDE AGING  
AND DISABILITY  
NETWORKS

STATES, TRIBES,  
AND  
COMMUNITIES

COLLEGES  
AND  
UNIVERSITIES

NONPROFIT,  
FAITH-BASED,  
AND INDUSTRY  
PARTNERS

OTHER FEDERAL  
AGENCIES