

Celebrating Pride and the Community Supporting LGBTQ+ Older Adults in Michigan



For many people, Pride Month means parades, celebrations, and visibility. For LGBTQ+ older adults, it can mean something more layered.

Many LGBTQ+ older adults came of age when their identities were criminalized,

pathologized, or simply erased. They navigated healthcare systems that didn't see them, family structures that didn't always accept them, and communities that weren't always safe. Those experiences don't disappear with age. They shape how people ask for help, whether they trust providers, and whether they feel welcome in the spaces meant to

Services:

- Adult Day Services
- MI Choice Waiver Program
- Care Management
- Caregiver Support
- Nutritional Services and Home Delivered Meals
- Friendly Reassurance
- Long-term Care Ombudsman
- MMAP Assistance
- Information & Assistance
- Elder Abuse Prevention
- Outreach, Advocacy, and Education
- Transportation
- And Much More

Inside the Senior Alliance

Podcast Episode 1.65

Amanda Sears interviews State Representative Jamie Thompson about her nursing background, senior healthcare, and House Bill 4418, which lets designated surrogates make healthcare decisions for those who cannot.

Volunteers Needed!

Help Us Help Our Community

The Senior Alliance is seeking adults 60+ from Western and Southern Wayne County to join our Advisory Council. Members share ideas, discuss aging issues, support advocacy, and provide feedback on programs and services for older adults.

Meet Our Star of The Month Katie Teachout

Recognized for her leadership, expertise, and positive attitude. Always willing to help, solve problems, and support her team, she brings warmth, humor, and dedication to the Fiscal Team.

Sign Up 2026 Golf Outing

Whether it's providing holiday meals to homebound seniors or purchasing safety products to help older adults remain in their homes longer, every dollar raised from this outing and our other fundraisers is reinvested to meet our community's needs.

We're so proud of our team! **Thank you!**



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