



# Age-Friendly North Jersey

An Alliance of Leaders Strengthening Communities for All Ages



The Age-Friendly North Jersey is a growing network dedicated to making the communities where we live, work, and play better for longer, healthier, and more equitable lives. Our alliance supports age-friendly leaders who are doing the work of strengthening collaborations for meaningful and sustainable community impact.

We are led by local philanthropies and the Rutgers School of Social Work Age-Friendly Research Group. As of May 2021, our network included leaders from 16 age-friendly initiatives in Bergen, Essex, Morris, Passaic, and Union counties in New Jersey.



## Our Strategies

- Collaborative learning
- Coordinated advocacy
- Networking with local experts
- State and national connections
- Grant funding
- Research-based trainings
- Data sharing
- Peer support & mentorship
- Regional evaluation

## Our Impact

*"The opportunity to network and share ideas with other Age-Friendly Community Leaders has had a lasting impact on the Generations for Garfield Team. The Alliance gatherings foster a stronger sense of connection and engagement. By sharing our stories and achievements, we motivate each other to turn our cause into a movement!"*



Darleen Reveille  
Public Health Nurse, City of Garfield

Our work supports members in many priority goals, such as:



Enhanced Information & Communication



Making Older Adults More Visible



Promoting Safe Mobility



Reducing Social Isolation

## Connect with us!

We welcome connections with individuals, groups, and organizations at any point on their age-friendly community journeys. Whether you are just thinking about getting involved or are already engaged, and regardless of whether you are located in northern New Jersey, please reach out.

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