



**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – SEPTEMBER 2017**

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ECIAAA Annual Report for  
Fiscal Years 2016-2017



**Letter from the Chairperson of the Corporate Board**

Dear Friends,

Thank you for attending this annual luncheon where we can again meet and greet each other, and hopefully, you will relax for a few minutes and enjoy this event. You are special people in the work that you do every day. Washington Irving once said “Great minds have purposes, others have wishes. Little minds are tamed and subdued by misfortune; but great minds rise above them.” Your commitment confirms over and over that you are the great minds.

As Chairperson of the ECIAAA board, I often look at the responsibilities and opportunities that come with this involvement. The Corporate Board and Advisory Council are comprised of experienced, educated, dedicated people. We see intensive, thoughtful work by committed staff, administrative people here and throughout 16 counties who make it happen day after day. Thanks to each of you who are part of this incredible network.

How do members of the Corporate Board and Advisory Council support this work? Take a look at ECIAAA . . .

**E**–Enable older adults to stay active in community programs by affirming the extension of state and national funding sources based on current budgets. Support and evaluate the Executive Director – setting the tone for success.

**C**-Coordination and communication about the many individualized community-based services that are effective throughout this PSA 05.

**I**-Inspire others to remain vigilant during this incredibly challenging environment. Inspiration and independence for seniors is our middle name.

**A**-Approval of the annual budget and monitoring financial statements in ways that support evidence-based programs. Approving, updating, and always anticipating the next step.

**A**-Appreciate this outstanding staff of dedicated individuals while encouraging credentialing and training opportunities throughout the 16 counties.

**A**-Advocacy, advocacy, advocacy – never stops. Value individuals who share this philosophy for Seniors, persons with disabilities, and family caregivers.

*Ruth Ann Lipic* “When love and skill work together, expect a masterpiece.”—Ruskin.

Accomplishments of the Aging Network in PSA 05 for FY 2016-FY 2017	Persons Served	Service Units Provided
12 Senior Information Services/CPOE Providers	14,446	42,333 contacts
3 Congregate Meal Programs	4,376	208,760 meals
4 Home Delivered Meal Programs	2,971	369,180 meals
2 Legal Assistance Providers	499	2,611 hours
9 Caregiver Advisor Programs – Caregivers	1,093	6,958 contacts
9 Caregiver Advisor Programs – Grandparents Raising Grandchildren	206	1,901 contacts
5 Respite Service Programs	28	457 hours
2 Gerontological Counseling Programs	58	648 hours
4 Diabetes Self-Management Programs	52	198 sessions
1 Matter of Balance Program	100	610 sessions
4 Chronic Disease Self-Management Program & Strong for Life Programs	112	2,488 sessions
ECIAAA-sponsored Long Term Care Ombudsman Program	Advocates on behalf of 10,000 residents in 194 facilities	
7 Adult Protective Service (APS) Providers	Investigated 1,250 60+ ANE & 284 under 60 ANE Reports	
7 Care Coordination Units funded by the Illinois Community Care Program	Coordinated community-based services for 5,565 clients	