

# Age-Friendly Ecosystem Collaboration Workshop Brainstorm Guide

Identifying an initiative (or initiatives) that you and your partners can plan together sits at the foundation of collaborative endeavors.

The brainstorming process is a vital step in building a shared collaborative initiative because it creates space for all voices, perspectives, and ideas to surface before decisions are made. By inviting participants to think creatively and openly, groups can uncover common goals, identify complementary strengths, and generate a sense of shared ownership. This exchange helps move the group from individual priorities to collective purpose, laying the foundation for an initiative that everyone feels invested in and committed to advancing together.

By exploring challenges and opportunities collectively, participants can identify shared priorities and design initiatives with co-benefits across sectors—for example, efforts that improve both caregiver support and workforce retention, or housing and health outcomes.

## Action Steps



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a shareable worksheet  
to guide this conversation.



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Tools for facilitators can be found in the  
Workshop Facilitators Guide

# Creating a Harmonious Age-Friendly Ecosystem that Delivers

**Collaborative Aim**

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**Necessary Conditions**

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SECTOR INPUTS			
	Strengths	Existing Activities	Who Should Lead & Why?
Health Care			
Public Health			
Education/ Research			
Communities/ Cities/States			
Home & Community Based Services			
Employers/ Workplaces			

**Other Partners?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Challenges** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Strategies** \_\_\_\_\_

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