

Preparing Hawaii for Its Aging Society



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Purpose of Today's Briefing

LEARN ABOUT...

- 1) White House Conference on Aging
- 2) State Plan on Aging
- 3) Aging & Disability Resource Center
- 4) Executive Office on Aging's roles & responsibilities
- 5) Projects & programs that address needs of older adults & their caregivers
- 6) Priority issues of the Area Agencies on Aging.

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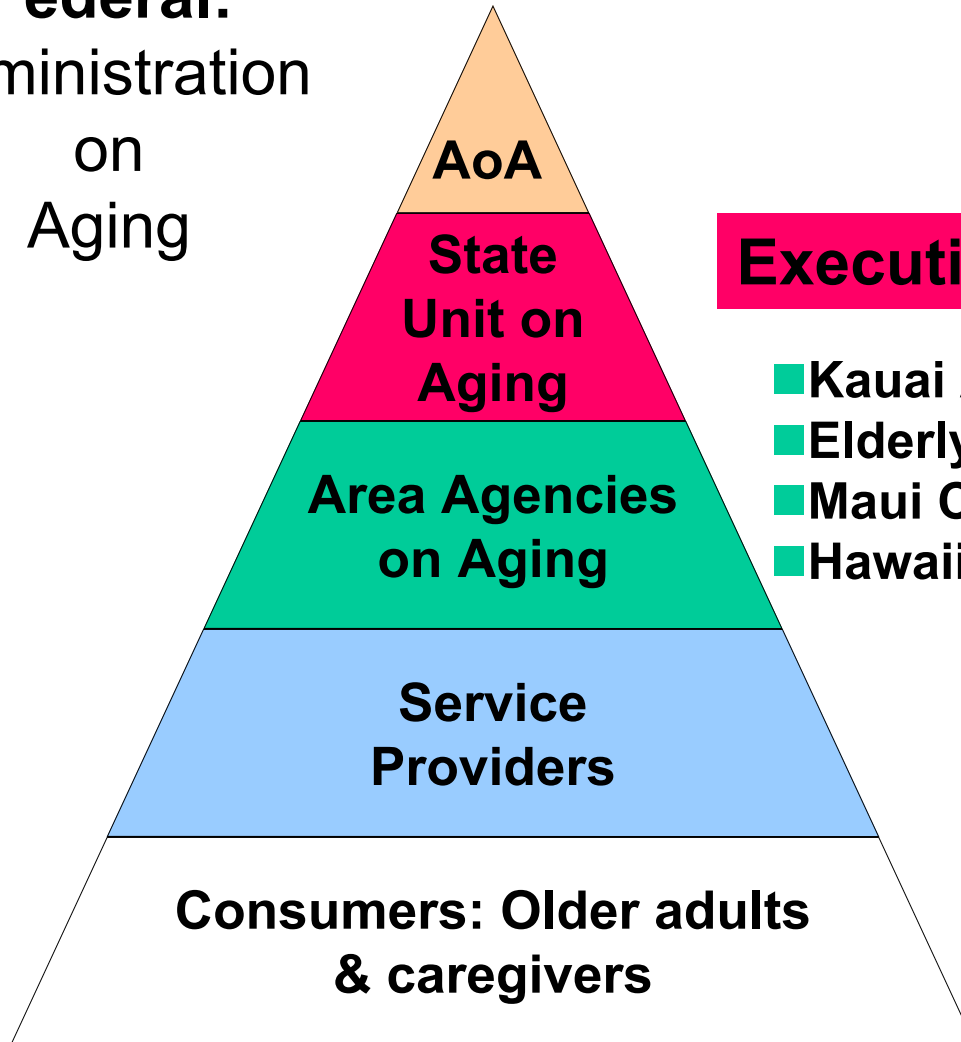
- 1) White House Conference on Aging
- 2) Aging Network
- 3) Executive Office on Aging (EOA)

White House Conference on Aging: Top 10 Resolutions (Dec 2005)

- 1) Older Americans Act (OAA) reauthorization
- 2) Coordinated, comprehensive long-term care strategy
- 3) Transportation options
- 4) Medicaid
- 5) Medicare
- 6) Geriatric training/education
- 7) Non-institutional long-term care models
- 8) Mental illness & depression
- 9) Workforce
- 10) Meet 21st century needs of seniors

Aging Network Structure

■ **Federal:**
Administration
on
Aging



Executive Office on Aging

- Kauai Agency on Elderly Affairs
- Elderly Affairs Division
- Maui County Office on Aging
- Hawaii County Office of Aging

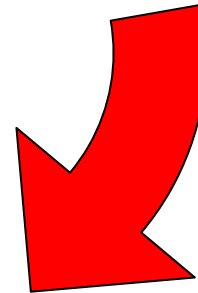
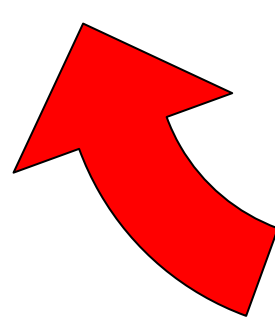
Executive Office on Aging: Based on OAA and HRS...

Older
Adults

Family
Caregivers

ADVOCATE

ADVISOR



ADMINISTRATOR



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Executive Office on Aging: VISION...

Older adults should have the *opportunity* and *choice* to fully participate in all aspects of society and community life and be able to maintain their health, dignity and independence.



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Executive Office on Aging: MISSION...

To ensure the *health, dignity and independence of older adults* and the *support of family caregivers* through advocacy and development, delivery and coordination of policy, programs and services



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