

CCA Advocacy Committee Agenda Monday, September 13, 2021 – 9:30AM – 11:30AM www.ColoradoCenterForAging.org

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AGENDA FOR MONDAY'S MEETING

9:30AM – 10:00AM Guest Speaker - Jennifer Horn, MSW - Pikes Peak Area Council of Governments

Jennifer Horn, MSW, graduated with her bachelor's degree in Psychology from CSU-Pueblo and completed her graduate degree at Newman University in Social Work. Jennifer works in the Family Caregiver Support Center at the Pikes Peak Area Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging as a care planner, older LGBT adult educator/advocate, and Veteran advocate.

Currently, she is working with other local advocates, non-profits, and independent practitioners to develop an intergenerational program tailored towards older LGBT adults and LGBTQIA+ youth. This population is a passion of Jennifer's, and she has been researching and advocating for older LGBT adults to be included in the discussions regarding senior services and long-term care planning for nearly two decades.

"I encourage everyone to ask the difficult questions in a nonjudgmental safe space. Ask the questions the way they pop into your head, and we can take it a part piece by piece to figure out what the question really is and try to find the appropriate answer." - Jennifer Horn, MSW

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10:00AM - 11:30AMReview CCA Advocacy Topics and Introduce Olivia Hart, the new Executive
Assistant to the CCA Advocacy Committee

We will be reviewing ideas for advocacy topic research. Bring your questions!

For those of you on an **Advocacy Subgroup** you have been sent a link to access advocacy resources relevant to your topic. If you need the link again email – mailto:GetInvolved@ColoradoCenterForAging.org

Meet Olivia Hart on the next page

Introducing Olivia Hart, the new Executive Assistant to the CCA Advocacy Committee

SATURDAY SPOTLIGHT Olivia Hart



"I am a member of CCA to assist in any way possible to improve the health, wellness and livelihood of elder Coloradans."

Raising the Voice of Older Coloradans

Through my work previously as a CNA I saw a real need pertaining to issues involving abuse and neglect, behavioral health and memory care. It was in those experiences that I choose to change my path in health care to pursue law school.

"We did not come to fear the future, we came to shape it." -Barack Obama



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