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Then you know that no matter their age, a break from giving care can make a HUGE difference!

ALL age groups ALL over S.C.

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S.C. RESPITE COALITION HELPS FAMILIES TAKE BREAKS!

From January to October 31, 2016, SC Respite Coalition has provided \$108,416 directly to family caregivers to purchase respite from private providers, agencies, camps or adult day programs.

Brenda S. cares for her adult son with Rubenstein-Taybi Syndrome.

"Respite has given me a chance to take a break and catch a second wind so that I can keep caring for our son at home."

SC Respite Coalition focuses on younger or midlife families without any respite or on waiting lists for other respite programs. We coordinate with the Family Caregiver Support Programs to provide funding to family caregivers of elders.

It is especially challenging to find husbands and wives who realize that this is more than just marriage, but that now they are family caregivers and MUST care for themselves too!

SCRC Voucher recipient, Earnest M cares for his wife who is getting dementia.

Bonnie Sue, caregiver to her husband with a traumatic brain injury: "I really enjoyed my time that I got. It seems strange to get to go out and have some time to myself....I have been closed in for 3 1/2 years!"

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