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**NCOA Falls Prevention Summit:**

**A White House Conference on Aging event**

On April 30, NCOA will host a one-day Falls Prevention Summit to help inform the agenda for the 2015 White House Conference on Aging (WHCOA). The purpose of this event is to update the 2005 Falls Free® National Action Plan and engage key stakeholders to commit to implementing recommendations for the revised National Action Plan. Due to limited space, the summit is invitation-only, but you can follow along on Twitter using the hashtag #FallsSummit.

[Read the 2005 National Action Plan](#) | [Follow the April 30 event on our Twitter page](#)

**Falls prevention and transportation**

Join the National Center on Senior Transportation on May 6 for a free webinar on the importance of falls prevention awareness in transportation. Each year, 37,000 older adults sustain injuries that require medical attention due to getting into and out of a vehicle. Explore strategies for ensuring that older passengers can use public transportation independently, safely, and without fear.

[Sign up](#)

**Webinar: Strong Brains, Sharp Minds – Part II**

Join NCOA and IlluminAge to explore inexpensive, community-based programs that promote brain-friendly choices and opportunities for seniors and caregivers. The free webinar is May 7.

[Register](#) | [Watch the Part I webinar](#)

**Call for Proposals: 2016 Aging in America Conference**

Next year's conference is March 20-24 in Washington, DC. The American Society on Aging is now accepting proposals to share your research, business or program model, policy agendas, and successful outcomes. The deadline is June 1.

[See how to submit](#)

### *Coming up ...*

- **Unlocking the Door to Veterans Benefits** : Discover the kinds of veterans' benefits and how they work with Medicare. *April 28 @ 3 p.m. ET*
- **ReFraming Aging: Understanding and Changing the Way Americans Think about Aging** : Explore research by the FrameWorks Institute on how the public perceives aging. *May 5 @ 2 p.m. ET*

### *Did you miss this?*

- **Budgeting in 3 Minutes** : Before Financial Literacy Month ends, share our free budgeting tool on EconomicCheckUp®.
- **Older Americans Month** : May is the month to celebrate older adults! Get materials to spread the word.

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